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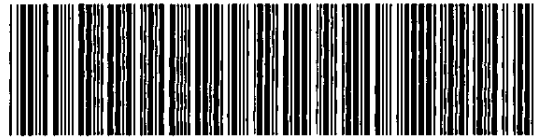
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

September 29, 2009

YVETTE SHELTON-EDMONDS  
704 PINWOOD DRIVE  
DAVENPORT, FL 33896

SUBJECT: INSPIRED TO INDEPENDENCE INCORPORATED  
Ref. Number: W09000043480

We have received your document for INSPIRED TO INDEPENDENCE INCORPORATED and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The Florida Statutes require an entity to designate a street address for its principal office address. A post office box is not acceptable for the principal office address. The entity may, however, designate a separate mailing address. The mailing address may be a post office box.

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## COVER LETTER

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Inspired to Independence Incorporated  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00  
Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee &  
Certificate of  
Status

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: Yvette Shelton-Edmonds  
Name (Printed or typed)

704 Pinewood Drive  
Address

Davenport, Florida 33896  
City, State & Zip

(863) 424-6400  
Daytime Telephone number

timtai@aol.com  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

**NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.**

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:  
*Inspired to Independence Incorporated*

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal street address and mailing address, if different is: *704 Pinewood Drive, Davenport Florida*

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

*Provide specific services to underprivileged older children in foster care in order to build life skills and enable the youth to transition into self-sufficient independent adults and contributing members of society therefore lessening the burden of government. Inspired to Independence Incorporated is organized exclusively for charitable purposes and qualifies as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. No part of the earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit or be distributable to its members, officers, trustees, or other private persons except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and make payments and distributions to further the purpose of Inspired to Independence. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation or participate in or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition of any candidate of public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not except for an insubstantial degree, engage in any or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purpose of this corporation.*

*If the corporation is dissolved, any assets remaining will be distributed to another corporation serving a similar purpose and qualifying as a tax-exempt charitable organization under the provisions of 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.*

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

*The corporation board consists of three (3) directors who have a vested interest in the management affairs of the corporation; agree to accept responsibility for the organization; agree to ensure the organization is fulfilling its mission; and oversees the corporation's activities. The directors were selected due to their wealth of expertise in the area of oversight management and the provision of those service provided by the corporation. The board of directors is appointed in accordance with the bylaws.*

**ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS**

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

*Yvette Shelton-Edmonds, Chief Executive Officer, 704 Pinewood Drive, Davenport, Florida 33896  
Carol Jackson, Executive Officer, 652 Cherry Street, Minneola, Florida 34715  
Ron Taylor, Executive Officer, 614 South Fifth Street, Immokalee, Florida 34113*

**ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

*Yvette Shelton-Edmonds 704 Pinewood Drive, Davenport Florida 33896*

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

*Yvette Shelton-Edmonds 704 Pinewood Drive, Davenport Florida, 33896*

*This corporation has no members*

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*Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.*

*[Signature]*  
Signature/Registered Agent

*9/24/09*  
Date

*[Signature]*  
Signature/Incorporator

*9/24/09*  
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