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Department of State
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SUBJECT: The Delphonse Education and Performing Arts Center, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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☐ \$78.75
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& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Jerfson Delphonse
Name (Printed or typed)

7925 Merrill Road, #2105
Address

Jacksonville, Florida 32277
City, State & Zip

904.514.3602
Daytime Telephone number

Delphonse.center@gmail.com
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

EXHIBIT A

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

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ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

The Delphonse Education and Performing Arts Center, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal street address and mailing address, if different is:

7925 Merrill Road, #2105
Jacksonville, Florida 32277

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 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 shall have at least 3 directors, but not limited to 3, and collectively they shall be known as the Board of Directors. The number may be changed by amendment of this Bylaw or by repeal of this Bylaw and adoption of a new Bylaw, as provided in these Bylaws.

Each director shall hold office until the next annual meeting for election of the Board of Directors as specified in these Bylaws, and until his or her successor is elected and qualified.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

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

Jerfson Delphonse	7925 Merrill Road, #2105	Jacksonville, Florida 32277	Executive Director
Apryl G. Delphonse	7925 Merrill Road, #2105	Jacksonville, Florida 32277	Program Director
Otis Bernard Young	8231 Balmoral Drive	Tallahassee, Florida 32311	Chairperson
Vivian R. Wilson	2316 Brynmahr Drive	Tallahassee, Florida 32303	Secretary
Felicia D. Gaines	717 Summerwood Way	Jacksonville, Florida 32218	Treasurer

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Jerfson Delphonse
7925 Merrill Rd., #2105
Jacksonville, FL 32277

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Jerfson Delphonse
7925 Merrill Rd., #2105
Jacksonville, FL 32277

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.

Jerfson Delphonse
Signature/Registered Agent

2/22/10
Date

Jerfson Delphonse
Signature/Incorporator

2/22/10
Date

EXHIBIT A

ATTACHMENT TO STATE CHARTER

1. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c) (3) on the Internal Revenue Code or (2) by a corporation to which contributions are deductible under Section 170 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code.

2. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

3. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charity and no part of the net income or assets of the corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.

4. On the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, the Board of Trustees shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

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