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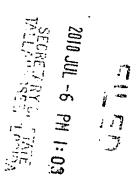
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July 2, 2010

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

Re:

Vida: Women in Literary Arts, Inc.

Articles of Incorporation

Dear Sir or Madam:

On behalf of the above-captioned organization, enclosed for filing please find the Articles of Incorporation. A check in the amount of \$70.00 is also enclosed for the filing fees.

Please return the Certificate of Incorporation to:

Erin Belieu 1540 Chuli Nene Tallahassee, FL 44313-32301

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact me at (216) 586-7581.

ery truly yours,

Diana J. Adams

Paralegal

Enclosures

cc: Ellen E. Halfon, Esq.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

VIDA: WOMEN IN LITERARY ARTS, INC.

Article I. Name. The name of the corporation shall be Vida: Women in Literary Arts, Inc. (the "Corporation").

Article II. <u>Principal Office and Mailing Address.</u> The principal office and mailing address of the Corporation shall be c/o Prof. Erin Belieu, English Department, Florida State University, 405 Williams Bldg., Tallahassee, FL 32306-1580.

Article III. Purposes. The Corporation is organized and will be operated exclusively for charitable, religious, literary, or educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Code"), including and without limitation to seek and explore critical and cultural perceptions of writing by women through meaningful conversation and the exchange of ideas among existing and emerging literary communities. The foregoing enumeration of specific purposes shall not be held to limit or restrict in any manner the powers of the Corporation conferred by the laws of the State of Florida and shall be understood to be in furtherance of, and in addition to, such general powers conferred on a corporation not for profit under the provisions of Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.

Article IV. Manner of Election. The initial directors shall be appointed by the incorporator of the organization. Subsequent directors shall be elected in accordance with methods and qualifications specified in the Bylaws of the Corporation. In no event shall the number of directors be fewer than three and persons under age 18 may not serve.

Article V. <u>Initial Registered Agent and Street Address.</u> The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is Erin Belieu, 1540 Chuli Nene, Tallahassee, FL 32301.

Article VI. <u>Incorporation.</u> The name and address of the Incorporator is Erin Belieu, 1540 Chuli Nene, Tallahassee, FL 32301.

Article VII. No Members. The Corporation shall have no members, as permitted pursuant to Section 617.0601(1)(a) of the Florida Statutes.

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Article VIII. Prohibited Activities. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall insure to the benefit of its Directors, officers or other private shareholders or individuals, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities that would invalidate its status as a corporation (i) which is exempt from federal income taxation under Code § 501(a) as an organization described in Code § 501(c)(3), and (ii) contributions to which are deductible under Code § 170(c)(2), 2055(a)(2) and 2522(a)(2).

Article IX. <u>Dissolution</u>. Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the Directors shall, after paying or adequately providing for the payment of all known obligations of the Corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the Corporation exclusively either by direct distribution for the purposes of the Corporation (as set forth in Article III), or by distribution for such purposes to one or more organizations (i) which then qualify for exemption from federal income taxation under the provisions of Code § 501(a) as an organization described in Code § 501(c)(3), and (ii) contributions to which are then deductible under Code §§ 170(c)(2), 2055(a)(2) and 2522(a)(2), as the Directors shall determine.

Article X. Amendment. These Articles of Incorporation may be amended or superseded, in whole or in part, in the manner provided in the Bylaws of the Corporation.

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

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Signature/Registered Agent: Erin Belieu

Signature/Incorporator: Erin Belieu

6/ 23 /2010

Date

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