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SUBJECT: THE HANDS OF GRACY AND MERCY ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY
(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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☐ \$87.50
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FROM: RUTHIE WHEELER
Name (Printed or typed)

3804 AVE L
Address

FORT PIERCE, FL 34947
City, State & Zip

772-766-5078
Daytime Telephone number

ruth.wheeler2@gmail.com
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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.



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September 7, 2010

RUTHIE WHEELER
3804 AVE L
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SUBJECT: THE HANDS OF GRACE AND MERCY ASSISTED LIVING
FACILITY, INC.
Ref. Number: W10000042100

We have received your document for THE HANDS OF GRACE AND MERCY ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$73.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Please return the corrected original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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Articles of Incorporation of The Hands of Grace and Mercy Assisted Living Facility, Inc.

The undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Laws of Florida, do hereby certify:

First: The name of the Corporation shall be, The Hands of Grace and Mercy Assisted Living Facility, Inc.

Second: The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is

3204 Hibiscus Ave, Ft. Pierce, FL 34947, Saint Lucie County.

Third: Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Fourth: The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial trustees of the corporation are as follows:

Ruth Wheeler, 3808 Ave L, Fort Pierce, FL 34947-President

Harrison Freeman, 4001 Avenue J, Fort Pierce, FL 34947-Vice-President

Otelia Miller, P. O. Box 215, Port Salerno, FL 34992 -Treasurer/Secretary

Fifth: No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, 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 Third 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 publishing 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 other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

If reference to federal law in articles of incorporation imposes a limitation that is invalid in your state, you may wish to substitute the following for the last sentence of the preceding paragraph: "Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation."

Sixth: Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction 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.

Seventh: The Manner in which the board members will be selected, all board members will be voted in by majority vote as stated in the original Bylaws.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names this day of August 31, 2010

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Ruthie Wheeler, 3808 Avenue L, Fort Pierce, FL 34947

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Ruthie Wheeler, 3808 Avenue L, Fort Pierce, FL 34947

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.

Ruthie Wheeler
Signature/Registered Agent

9/13/2010
Date

Ruthie Wheeler
Signature/Incorporator

9/13/2010
Date

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