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SUBJECT: Gold Coast Youth Orchestra Incorporated
(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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FROM: Donna D. Richards
Name (Printed or typed)

977 SE 10th Court
Address

Pompano Beach, FL 33060
City, State & Zip

954-290-5082
Daytime Telephone number

kenpomom@bellsouth.net
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.

**Articles of Incorporation
Gold Coast Youth Orchestra Incorporated**

Article I – Corporate Name

The name of the corporation shall be: **Gold Coast Youth Orchestra Incorporated**

Article II – Principle Office

The principal place of the principle office and the mailing address of the corporation shall be:

977 SE 10th Court

Pompano Beach, Florida 33060

Article III – Specific Purpose

The purpose of the Gold Coast Youth Orchestra is to nurture the musical abilities of talented youth in South Florida and inspire them by providing quality instruction and varied performance opportunities in chamber orchestra and ensemble settings. Our commitment to musical excellence fosters our members' lifelong love of music and our performances benefit the cultural vitality of the community.

Article IV – Non Profit Provisions

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational 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.

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, any surplus assets remaining after the payment of its debts and completion of its contractual obligations 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 a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation that is organized exclusively for charitable and education purposes that has established tax exempt status under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

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 the Statement of Purpose 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.

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insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

Article V - Manner of Election of Directors

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is set forth in the bylaws.

Article VI - Names and Address of Directors

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Carl A. Ramos

1701 NW 75 Ave # 105

Plantation, FL 33313

Timothy S. Byrns

1701 NW 75 Ave. #107

Plantation, FL 33313

Article VII - Registered Agent

Donna D. Richards

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Article VIII - Incorporator

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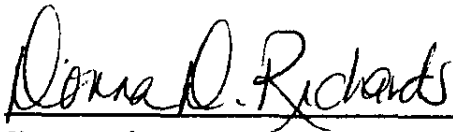
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Having been named as a registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.



Signature/Registered Agent

10-3-2010

Date



Signature/Incorporator

10-3-2010

Date