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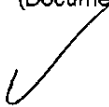
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August 3, 2011

EKOW MENSAH-SHALDERS
INSTITUTE FOR DEMOCRACY AND PRESS FREEDOM
P O BOX 770275
CORAL SPRINGS, FL 33077

SUBJECT: INSTITUTE FOR DEMOCRACY AND PRESS FREEDOM INC
Ref. Number: N10000009773

We have received your document for INSTITUTE FOR DEMOCRACY AND PRESS FREEDOM INC and your check(s) totaling \$43.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The current name of the entity is as referenced above. Please correct your document accordingly.

The date of adoption of each amendment must be included in the document.

Ekow Mensah-Shalders must sign document in the space for signature.

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

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April 25, 2011



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

RE: N10000009773- Amendment to Articles of Incorporation

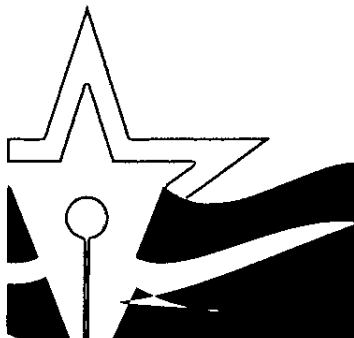
Please file the enclosed Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation and return a certified copy of this filing to P.O. Box 770275, Coral Springs, FL 33077. Enclosed is our check for \$43.75 for the \$35 filing fee and \$8.75 certified copy fee. If there are any questions, my contact phone number is (954) 755-5361.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Ekow Mensah-Shalders
President

Enclosures



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**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
To
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
Of
INSTITUTE FOR DEMOCRACY AND PRESS FREEDOM INC**

(present name)

N1000009773

(Document Number of Corporation (If known))



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Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation.

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted: (INDICATE ARTICLE NUMBER(S) BEING AMENDED, ADDED OR DELETED.)

Amend: Article III The specific purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

- a. Institute for Democracy and Press Freedom, Inc. is organized for exclusively religious, charitable, educational and scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under said Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Specifically, the organization will provide education and training to journalists and education to the general public about the rights and responsibilities of citizens, as well as provide benevolence to those in need.
- b. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- c. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Add: Article IX Additional Provisions:

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 organization 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 purpose clause hereof. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of the residual assets of the corporation exclusively for exempt purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding Sections of any future Internal Revenue Code. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Superior Court of the county in which the principal

office of the corporation is then located, for such purposes as the organization or organizations which are organized and operated for such purposes

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SECOND: The date of adoption of the amendment(s) was:

APRIL 25, 2011



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cast for the amendment

THIRD: Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)

- ☐ The amendments was/were adopted by the members and the number of votes was sufficient for approval.
- ☒ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment. The amendments were adopted by the board of directors.

Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, President or other officer
Ekow Mensah-Shalders

Typed or printed name

President

APRIL 25, 2011

Title

Date

