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

| SUBJECT:                                      | Holding Hands Foundation, Inc.                |  |  |  |
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|   | (PROPOSED CORPORATE                           | E NAME – <u>MUST INCLUI</u>  | <u>DE SUFFIX</u> )                                 |  |
| Enclosed is an original  \$70.00  Filing Fee  | and one (1) copy of the Artic                 | les of Incorporation and  \$\sigm\$\$\frac{1}{2}\$78.75  Filing Fee  & Certified Copy  ADDITIONAL CO | ☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate |  |
| FROM: Oneal Baptiste  Name (Printed or typed) |   |  |  |  |
|   | 4020 NW 34th St Address                       |  |  |  |
|   | Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319  City, State & Zip |  |  |  |
|   | 239 440 9566                                  |  |  |  |

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

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

Daytime Telephone number

neil\_bap@yahoo.com

#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Holding Hands Foundation, Inc.

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SECRETARY OF STATE.

## ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

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

4020 NW 34th St

Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319

# ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

See Attached.

#### ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

As provided by in the Bylaws

#### ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

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

See Attached

#### ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

**Oneal Baptiste** 5401 NW 22nd St

Lauderhill, FL 33313

#### ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The <u>name and address</u> of the Incorporator is:

**Oneal Baptiste** 5401 NW 22nd St

Lauderhill, FL 33313

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.

Signature/Registered Agent

2-13-2011

Signature/Incorporator

Holding Hands Foundation, Inc. Articles of Incorporation Attachment

#### ARTICLE III-PURPOSE

- 1) The organizational purpose of the Holding Hands Foundation, Inc. is to provide support to poor and disadvantaged children of Haiti. Our major focus will be to provide basic necessities to these children which will include food, clean water, clothing and shelter. In the future our organization would like to open a community center in Haiti that will allow us better access to those in need so we can distribute the goods we have collected and offer additional resources to the local residents.
- 2) No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in, any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- 3) The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

#### ARTICLE V - INITIAL DIRECTORS

Agnes Baptiste
President
1050 SW 39<sup>th</sup> Ave
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312

Oneal Baptiste
Vice President/Treasurer
5401 NW 22<sup>nd</sup> St
Lauderhill, FL 33313

Wilson Lamy Secretary 5415 NW 22<sup>nd</sup> St Lauderhill, FL 33313 Holding Hands Foundation, Inc. Articles of Incorporation Attachment

#### ARTICLE VIII- DISSOLUTION

- 1) The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.
- 2) The manner of distribution of assets in this Corporation's winding up is as follows: Upon 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 state or local government for public purpose. Any such asset not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purpose or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.