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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF EPONA'S PATH, INC

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The undersigned, desiring to form a charitable corporation under the Non-profit Corporation Law of Florida, Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, hereby certifies:

#### **ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of the Corporation shall be EPONA'S PATH, INC.

#### ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The place in Florida where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is in Loxahatchee, Palm Beach County at 2799 Palm Deer Dr., Loxahatchee, Florida 33470

#### ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The Corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for charitable, educational, scientific and religious purposes, including for such purposes, but without limitation thereon, making grants for such purposes to organizations described in Section 501 (c) (3) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended from time to time (hereinafter, the "Code").

Solely for the above purposes, the Corporation is empowered to exercise all rights and power is conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon non-profit corporations, including, but without limitation thereon, the right and power to receive gifts, bequests and contributions in any form, to collect dues and to use, apply, invest and reinvest the principal and / or income therefrom or to distribute the same for the above purposes.

#### ARTICLE IV - MANNER OF ELECTION

The initial Directors of the Corporation are listed in ARTICLE V. The Bylaws may make additional provisions with regard to the Directors of the Corporation, including the manner in which the directors are elected or appointed.

#### **EPONA'S PATH, INC**

#### ARTICLE V - INITIAL DIRECTORS

The following persons shall serve the Corporation as Directors until the first annual meeting called to elect Directors:

<u>NAME</u>

**ADDRESS** 

Curtis Reik

2799 Palm Deer Dr.

Loxahatchee, Florida 33470

Rita Reik

2799 Palm Deer Dr.

Loxahatchee, Florida 33470

#### ARTICLE VI – NET EARNINGS

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, trustees, directors, officers or private individuals, but 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. It is intended that this Corporation shall have and continue to have the status of a corporation which is exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(a) of the Code, as amended, an organization described in Section 501 (c) (3) thereof. These Articles shall be construed accordingly, and all powers and activities hereunder shall be limited accordingly. The Corporation shall not carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation to such extent as would result in the loss of exemption under Section 501(c) (3) of the Code. No activity of the Corporation shall consist of participating in or intervening in (including the publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary hereinbefore contained:

- (a) the Corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Code;
- (b) the Corporation shall not engage in any act of "self-dealing" as defined in Section 4941 (d) of the Code;
- (c) the Corporation shall not retain any "excess business holdings" as defined in Section 4943 (c) of the Code;
- (d) the Corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Code; and
- (e) the Corporation shall not make any "taxable expenditures" as defined in Section 4945 (d) of the Code.

#### **EPONA'S PATH, INC**

#### ARTICLE VII – DISSOLUTION AND MERGER

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all of the known liabilities of the Corporation, distribute all of the assets of the Corporation exclusively for charitable, educational, scientific or religious purposes to such "qualified" organization or organizations as the Board of Directors shall determine. An organization shall be deemed to be a "qualified" organization for purposes of this Article VII only if at the time of the distribution of such assets it is operated exclusively for the purposes described in Section 170 (c) (2) (B) and in Section 501 (c) (3) of the Code. Any of such assets not so distributed shall be distributed by a court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for the aforesaid purposes of the Corporation, or to such qualified organization or organizations as said court shall determine.

Pursuant to Florida Statutes 617.1107, the Corporation is permitted to merger with one or more domestic corporations, provided the other corporation is a charitable corporation, and the surviving or new corporation must also be a charitable corporation.

#### ARTICLE VIII – REFERENCES

Any reference in these Articles to a section of the Internal Revenue Code shall be interpreted to include a reference to the corresponding provisions of any applicable future United States Internal Revenue law.

#### ARTICLE IV - INCORPORATOR

The name and Florida address of the In-	corporator is:
Curtis Reik	2799 Palm Deer Dr.
	Loxahatchee, Florida 33470

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in Section 817.155, F.S.

Curtis A. Reih	6-10-11
Curtis Reik / Incorporator	Date

#### **EPONA'S PATH, INC**

#### ARTICLE X - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

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The name and Florida address of the initial registered agent is:

Rita Reik 2799 Palm Deer Dr.

Loxahatchee, Florida 33470

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

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Rita Reik / Registered Agent	Date

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