



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

October 17, 2011

TREVOR L. THORNTON
4612 22ND AVE.
TAMPA, FL 33605

SUBJECT: TREVOR LEVON THORNTON FOUNDATION, INC.
Ref. Number: W11000053337

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The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

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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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Thomas Chang
Regulatory Specialist II
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Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: TREVOR LEVON THORNTON FOUNDATION, INC.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

\$70.00
Filing Fee

\$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

\$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

\$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Trevor L. Thornton
Name (Printed or typed)

4612 22nd Ave.
Address

Tampa, FL 33605
City, State & Zip

(813) 270-6143
Telephone number

ttqb32@yahoo.com
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

ARTICLE I NAME TREVOR LEVON THORNTON FOUNDATION, INC.
The name of the corporation shall be:

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal street address
4612 22ND AVE.
TAMPA FL 33805

Mailing address, if different than principal address

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ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The corporation was organized exclusively for Charitable, Educational, Religious and Scientific purposes. It shall adopt a provision to receive private funding from trust or other organizations organized for exempt purposes (See Additional Attachments).

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:

AS STATED IN THE BY-LAWS

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

| | |
|---|-----------------------|
| Name and Title: <u>Trevor L. Thornton-President/CEO</u> | Name and Title: _____ |
| Address: <u>4612 22nd Ave.</u> | Address: _____ |
| <u>Tampa, FL 33605</u> | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| Name and Title: _____ | Name and Title: _____ |
| Address: _____ | Address: _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| Name and Title: _____ | Name and Title: _____ |
| Address: _____ | Address: _____ |
| _____ | _____ |

ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

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

Name: Trevor L. Thornton
Address: 4612 22nd Ave.
Tampa, FL 33605

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: Trevor L. Thornton
Address: 4612 22nd Ave.
Tampa, FL 33605

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

Trevor L. Thornton
Required Signature of Registered Agent

10/14/2011
Date

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 s.817.155, F.S.

Trevor L. Thornton
Required Signature of Incorporator

10/14/2011
Date

State of Florida
Secretary of State

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
NONPROFIT CORPORATION

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OBJECTIVES

1. This corporation is formed to give these young hopefuls a chance to become effective business people in the service field, job placement and other feasible skills eliminating the largest single barrier to attaining equitable status and professionalism which is mainly due to racial and economical discrimination.
2. This corporation is also formed for the betterment of the community regardless of sex or national origin in so far as to the development of skills in the service field, promoting any talent that might be discernible.
3. Our objectives then are to impart an understanding of the typical components pertinent to helping the underprivileged, including human relations principles, conduct and discipline, grievances, appeals and counseling. Identifying and analyzing the role of the handicapped and underprivileged, defining needs and objectives; designing, administering and evaluating training, counseling and career planning—implementing the objectives in the job element environment procedures for in-service placement actions.
4. This corporation shall be a self-help agency for the betterment of not only the promising individuals in the community, but the underprivileged and the training of service personnel which there is a great shortage of.
5. This corporation is intended to lay the groundwork for a sustained program of self-development. It provides a time for orientation in setting direction, clarifying goals, assessing values and stimulating renewed interest towards self-development; not in a basic sense, but rather a step toward individual growth.
6. This organization is organized exclusively for charitable, 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 corresponding section of any future tax code.

7. Attached are provisions regarding the distribution of the corporation's assets upon its dissolution:

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 distribution in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the articles 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 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 of 1987 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a Corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c)2 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1987 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law). Upon dissolution of the corporation, the board of trustees or any single member (without a board) shall after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such a manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 (c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1987 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Trustees or any single member (without a board) shall determine. Any of such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed by the Hillsborough County Courthouse or 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.

8. Any other provisions which the corporation elects to include are attached:

Under special circumstances, if the corporation is organized by a single member (without a board), and if any and all forms of donations or tax free investments are contributed to this Corporation from the private sector (foreign) based on insured and/or reinsured credit, and the sole source of the credit is derived from nontaxable trust funds, then all such provisions of payments, distribution or dissolution of

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assets are excluded. Under such provisions, this Corporation will be considered a private foundation and shall not open its books for financial inspection by any outside taxing agency, especially if the source of funding derived from any implied agreements with the Internal Revenue Service and Department of the Treasury in order for the private trust(s) to make tax free investments to this Corporation.

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