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November 5, 2012

MR. HEBER G. TORO
HISPANIC AMERICAN CENTER FOR EDUCATION
2508 10TH AVE NORTH #D-202
LAKE WORTH, FL 33461-3191

SUBJECT: HISPANIC AMERICAN CENTER FOR EDUCATION AND
CULTURE, INC.
Ref. Number: N12000005612

We have received your document for HISPANIC AMERICAN CENTER FOR
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TO: Amendment Section
Division of Corporations

NAME OF CORPORATION: Hispanic American Center for Education and Culture, Inc.

DOCUMENT NUMBER: N12000005612

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Mr. Heber G. Toro

(Name of Contact Person)

Hispanic American Center for Education and Culture, Inc.

(Firm/ Company)

2508 10th Ave. North #D-202

(Address)

Lake Worth, FL 33461-3191

(City/ State and Zip Code)

hgtoro@aol.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Heber G. Toro

(Name of Contact Person)

at (**561**) **797-5260**

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

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**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
HISPANIC AMERICAN CENTER FOR EDUCATION AND CULTURE, INC.**

DOCUMENT # N12000005612

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this Florida Not For Profit Corporation adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation shall be **Hispanic American Center for Education and Culture, Inc.**

ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal street and mailing address of the corporation is:

2508 10th Avenue North
#D-202
Lake Worth FL 33461-3191

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE - (AMENDED)

The **Hispanic American Center for Education and Culture, Inc.** is a not-for-profit organization devoted to establish free and low cost bilingual **educational programs** in Reading, Writing, Math, English as a Second Language and Performing Arts for children, teenagers and adults in the South Florida area. Our programs combine the instruction and reinforcement of **academic core subjects** with fun and engaging **artistic enrichment** activities.

By means of our **standards-based curriculum**, we aim to provide our students with the skills that they need to succeed academically and socially, build up their self-esteem and sense of pride for their traditions and culture and stimulate their **intellect** and **creativity** through the enlightening power of the arts.

It is our ultimate goal to help our students become productive citizens and new leaders, and enable them to make significant contributions in their communities. Through our variety of programs, we expect to help improve the quality of life in our neighborhoods, and consequently make a **positive impact** in the whole South Florida area.

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The **Hispanic American Center for Education and Culture, Inc.** is organized exclusively for charitable, educational and literary purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of this 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 this document hereof.

No substantial part of the activities of the **Hispanic American Center for Education and Culture, Inc.** shall be 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 or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

Upon the dissolution of this 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 to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the **Hispanic American Center for Education and Culture, Inc.** shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE IV - MANNER OF ELECTION

At each annual meeting of the Board of Directors, the members of the Board of Directors shall elect directors to hold office until the next annual meeting.

ARTICLE V - INITIAL DIRECTORS - (AMENDED)

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ARTICLE VI - REGISTERED AGENT

Heber G. Toro
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ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATOR

Heber G. Toro
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Lake Worth, FL 33461-3191

EIN # 32-0381608

The date of each amendment(s) adoption: October 1, 2012

Effective date if applicable: (file date)

(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)

Adoption of Amendment(s) **(CHECK ONE)**

☐ The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment(s) was/were sufficient for approval.

☒ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.

Dated November 6, 2012

Signature Heber G. Toro

(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator - if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)

Heber G. Toro

(Typed or printed name of person signing)

Incorporator

(Title of person signing)