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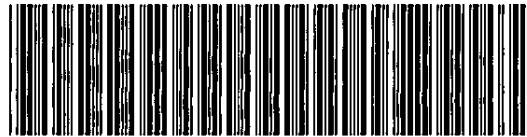
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August 17, 2012

MARC MILES  
742 SHAMROCK BLVD  
VENICE, FL 34293

SUBJECT: BADMINTON ACADEMY OF FLORIDA, INC.  
Ref. Number: W12000043066

We have received your document for BADMINTON ACADEMY OF FLORIDA, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Please complete the Principal Address to include the Street Number and Name.

Section 617.0803, Florida Statutes, requires that the board of directors never have fewer than three directors.

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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## COVER LETTER

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

SUBJECT: Badminton Academy of Florida, 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: Marc Miles  
Name (Printed or typed)

742 Shamrock Blvd  
Address

Venice, FL 34293  
City, State & Zip

941-256-0434  
Daytime Telephone number

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

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be: Badminton Academy of Florida, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

Principal street address  
742 Shamrock Blvd  
Venice, FL 34293

Mailing address, if different is:  
4 Corners Furniture  
16641 Cagan Crossings Boulevard  
Clermont, Florida, 34714

**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 and appointed:

The Directors will be elected in accordance with the By-Laws

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

Name and Title: <u>Watkins Fessal, Director</u>	Name and Title: <u>Thomas Shek Director</u>
Address: <u>16641 Cagan Crossings Blvd</u>	Address: <u>203 E Jasmine Road</u>
<u>Clermont, FL 34714</u>	<u>Lehigh Acres, FL 33936</u>

Name and Title: <u>Marc J. Miles Director</u>	Name and Title: _____
Address: <u>3467 Abbotsford St</u>	Address: _____
<u>North Port, FL 34287</u>	_____

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: Marc J. Miles  
Address: 742 Shamrock Blvd  
Venice, FL 34293

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: Marc J. Miles  
Address: 742 Shamrock Blvd  
Venice, FL 34293

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*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*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Required Signature of Registered Agent

8/27/12  
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.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Required Signature of Incorporator

8/27/12  
Date

### ARTICLE III

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

More specifically to develop grass roots Badminton programs within Florida Schools, Boys & Girls Clubs and various organizations in the State both in private and public sectors, that promote physical activities; to inform and educate through the programs the benefits that playing Badminton has to offer; to provide access to programs locally, regionally and nationally to create the interest and awareness of the sport of Badminton in the state of Florida; to target everyone, with a particular emphasis on children and adolescents, including parents and families and highlighting the benefits of regular physical activity, fitness, sports participation, and good nutrition; and working closely with other Badminton associations worldwide.

### ARTICLE VIII

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 distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Third 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 or in opposition to 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

### ARTICLE IX

Upon the 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 to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction 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.

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