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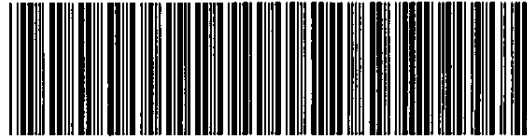
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR YEARNING TO BE FREE, 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: Yearning To Be Free
Name (Printed or typed)

300 Sheeah Blvd. #1106
Address

Winter Springs, FL 32708
City, State & Zip

407-699-2125
Daytime Telephone number

hilevesque@aol.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 Yearning To Be Free, Inc.

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The street address and mailing address of the principal office of the corporation is 300 Sheoah Blvd #1106, Winter Springs, FL 32708, in Seminole County.

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE AND POWERS

A. This corporation is a not-for-profit corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. It is not organized for the private gain of any person. Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Code. The specific purposes for which this corporation is organized are: (i) to assist immigrants of low socio-economic status with legal representation, defend their human and civil rights secured by law, and provide education to the immigrant and non-immigrant communities regarding special concerns when dealing with immigration law; (ii) to aid human trafficking victims with legal representation in all areas of the law that pertain to rebuilding their lives and protecting their legal, civil and social rights which will include, but not be limited to, assisting victims in finding services for mental and physical healthcare, gaining employment and living accommodations. Further, said corporation will bring awareness and education to the public and the legal field on the crisis that is human trafficking; (iii) to provide legal aid to the above identified individuals and communities that are also disproportionately impacted by

environmental issues with the goal of preserving health, safety, and the environment; and (iv) any other charitable or educational purpose not contrary to Federal or Florida law or contrary to the corresponding provisions under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, which follows said corporation's mission statement.

B. 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 these articles. 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 (i) 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 (ii) 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.

C. 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 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.

ARTICLE IV: MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed shall be as provided for by the By-laws of the corporation.

ARTICLE V: INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business of the Corporation shall be managed under the direction of the Board of Directors. The number of the initial Board of Directors for the Corporation shall be as provided for in the Corporation's By-laws. It is further provided that the number of Directors may be increased or decreased from time to time, as provided in the Corporation's By-laws, but shall never be less than three (3) nor more than eleven (11). Such Directors are to be elected or appointed in the manner provided for by the Corporation's By-laws.

ARTICLE VI: REGISTERED AGENT

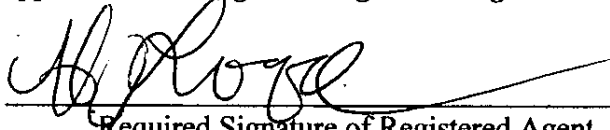
The address of this Corporation's current registered office is 300 Sheoah Blvd #1106, Winter Springs, FL 32708. The name of the individual who will serve as the registered agent is Heather J. Levesque, J.D.

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ARTICLE VII: INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is Heather J. Levesque, J.D.. The address of the incorporator is 300 Sheoah Blvd #1106, Winter Springs, FL 32708.

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.

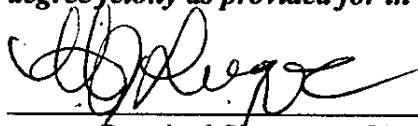


Required Signature of Registered Agent

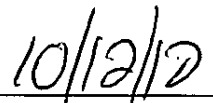


Date

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



Date

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