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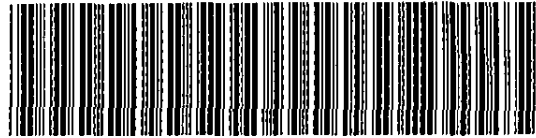
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SUBJECT: THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING, INC.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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 &
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: **VALERIE LOWE**
Name (Printed or typed)

5760 NW CLEBURN DR.
Address

PORT ST. LUCIE, FL. 34986
City, State & Zip

772-323-5123
Daytime Telephone number

val4justice@yahoo.com ✓
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

October 25, 2012

VALERIE HERRING
Regulatory Specialist !!
New Filing Section

SUBJECT: REFILING DUE TO MISSING CHECK AND YOUR ADVICE
Ref. Number W120000052802

I received your letter concerning the absence of a check with my original filing. The check was paper clipped to the original Articles. Perhaps it fell into the envelope and no one checked before discarding it. I checked with my Bank and the check did not clear. Therefore, I did a stop payment on the check.

You advised me in your letter that I may want to consider an effective date of 1 January 2013. I have taken your advice and included that as Article VIII. There are now Ten (10) Articles in the document. Please disregard the previous document.

I have once again paper clipped a check to the Articles of Incorporation. Check # 1272, dated 10/26/2012. Drawn on Bank of America. It is a personal check from my account.

Thank you for your time. GOD BLESS.

Valerie Lowe
Valerie Lowe

THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING, INC.
772-323-5123

STORE YOUR DUPLICATE CHECKS IN YOUR CHECK BOX.		
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6760 N.W. CLEBURN DR.		
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Pay to the order of Department of State		\$ 87.50
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Bank of America		
ACH R/T 083100277		
Memo THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING		
Valerie Lowe		



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

October 15, 2012

VALERIE LOWE
5760 NW CLEBURN DR.
PORT ST. LUCIE, FL 34986

SUBJECT: THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING, INC.
Ref. Number: W12000052802

We have received your document for THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING, INC., however, upon receipt of your document no check was enclosed. Please send a check or money order payable to the Department of State.

The fees for profit and nonprofit, domestic or foreign are as follows:

Filings Fees:	\$35.00
Registered Agent Designation	\$35.00
Certified Copy	\$8.75
Certificate of Status	\$8.75

If your business entity does not intend to transact business until January 1st of the upcoming calendar year, you may wish to revise your document to include an effective date of January 1st. If you do not list an effective date of January 1st, your business entity will become effective this calendar year and it will be required to file an annual report and pay the required annual report fee for the upcoming calendar year this coming January, which is merely weeks away. By listing an effective date of January 1st, the entity's existence will not begin until January 1st of the upcoming year and will, therefore, postpone the entity's requirement to file an annual report and pay the required annual report filing fee until the following calendar year.

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.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6052.

Valerie Herring
Regulatory Specialist II
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Division of Corporations

November 5, 2012

VALERIE LOWE
5760 NW CLEBURN DR.
PORT ST. LUCIE, FL 34986

SUBJECT: THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING, INC.
Ref. Number: W12000056195

We have received your document for THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

This document was previously filed on October 24th 2012.

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.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6052.

Valerie Herring
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING, INC.

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

The undersigned, the majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of the State of Florida, do hereby certify:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation", shall be:

THERE'S HARM IN NOT KNOWING, INC.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal street address

Mailing address, if different is:

5760 N.W. Cleburn Drive

Port St Lucie, St. Lucie County, Florida

34986

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized and the business or objects to be carried on by it, are : to advocate for and respond to female victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking; provide assistance to children exposed to such violence; develop and implement programs to engage men and youth in preventing such violence; increase awareness of these crimes in middle and high school students through education and other services; impact potential targets of these crimes through education, awareness and personal protection measures; provide educational resources and support to law enforcement, prosecutors and victim advocates; increase overall public awareness of these violent crimes; and provide aid and support to family members and friends of victims through referral programs.

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 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

To hold, acquire, mortgage, lease and convey real and personal property in any part of the world, so far as is necessary or expedient to the business of the Corporation; and to have any and all powers above set forth fully as natural persons, whether as principals, agents, trustees, or otherwise.

To acquire, purchase, exchange, lease or otherwise, and to own, hold, use, develop, operate, sell, assign, lease, transfer, convey, exchange, mortgage, pledge, otherwise, dispose of or deal in and with, real and personal property of every class or description and rights and privileges therein wheresoever situate.

For the purpose of transacting all and sundry the acts of whatever nature necessary to best effectuate a proper and successful operation and maintenance of a business such as above described, and to carry out the purposes heretofore outlined in the preceding paragraphs.

To manufacture, purchase or acquire in any lawful manner to hold, own, mortgage, pledge, sell, transfer, or in any other manner dispose of, or to deal and trade in goods, wares, merchandise and property of any and every class or description and in any part of the world.

To borrow money, with or without pledge of or mortgage upon all or any of its property, real or personal, as security, and to loan and advance money upon mortgages on personal and real property, or on either of them.

To acquire, by purchase, subscription, or otherwise and to receive, hold, own, guarantee, sell, assign, exchange, transfer, mortgage, pledge or otherwise dispose of or deal in and with any of the shares of capital stock or of any trust certificates or in respect to the shares of the capital stock, scrip, warrants, rights, bonds, debentures, notes, trusts receipts, securities, obligations, choses in action, and evidences of indebtedness or interest issued or created by any corporation, joint stock companies, syndicates, associations, firms trust of persons public or private, or by the government of the United States of America, or by any government foreign, or by any State, Territory, Province, Municipality, or other political subdivision or by any governmental agency, and as its owner thereof to possess and exercise all the rights, powers and privileges, of ownership, including the right to execute consents and votes thereon and to do any and all acts necessary and advisable, for preservation, protection, improvement and enhancement in value thereof.

To borrow or raise money for any of the purposes of the corporation, and, from time to time, without limit as to the amount, to draw, make, accept, endorse, execute, and issue promissory notes, drafts, bills of exchange, bonds, debentures, and other negotiable or non-negotiable instruments and evidences of indebtedness, and to secure the payment of any thereof and of the interest thereon by mortgage upon, or pledge, advance or assignment in trust of whole or any part of the corporation, whether at the time owned or thereafter acquired, and to sell, pledge, or dispose of such bonds or other obligations of the corporation for its corporate purposes.

To purchase, exchange, hire, sell or otherwise acquire or dispose of such personal property, chattels, rights, easements, permits, privileges and franchises as may lawfully be purchased, exchanged, sold or otherwise acquired or disposed of under the laws of the State of Florida.

To conduct its business in the State of Florida and in other states, territories, and districts of the United States of America and in foreign countries and to have one or more offices outside the State of Florida.

To carry out any and all parts of the foregoing objects as principal, factor, agent, contractor, or otherwise, either alone or as a partner with or through or in conjunction with any person, firm, association, or corporation and in carrying on its business and for the purpose of furthering any of its objects and purposes, to make and perform and contracts, and to do any acts and things, and to exercise and power suitable, convenient, or proper for the accomplishment of any of the objects and purposes herein enumerated of incidental to the powers herein specified, or which at any time may appear conducive to or expedient for the purposes of the accomplishment of any of such objects and purposes.

The foregoing objects and purposes shall, except where otherwise expressed, be in no way limited or restricted by reference to or interference from the terms of any other clause of this or any other article or articles of these Articles of Incorporation or of any amendment thereto, and each shall be regarded as independent.

The corporation shall also be authorized to engage in any lawful business and shall be authorized to exercise and enjoy any and all powers, rights, and privileges granted to, or conferred upon corporations of a similar character by the General Laws of the State of Florida, now or hereafter enforced, and the enumeration of the foregoing powers shall not be deemed to exclude any powers, rights, or privileges so granted or conveyed.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The number of Directors of the Corporation shall be at least three (3) which number may be increased pursuant to the Bylaws of the Corporation. The manner in which the directors are elected are: "As Stated in the Bylaws".

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

Name and Title: Valerie A. Lowe- President

Address: 5760 N.W. Cleburn Dr

Port St. Lucie, Florida

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Name and Title: Dr. Nancy Connor- Treasurer

Address: 4348 Breeders Cup Circle

Randallstown, Maryland

21133

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Name and Title: Shivvonne Lowe- Secretary Name and Title: _____

Address: 735 N. W. Rainbow St. Address: _____

Port St. Lucie, Florida _____

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ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

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

Name: Valerie Ann Lowe

5760 N.W. Cleburn Drive

Port St. Lucie, Florida

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ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The **name and address** of the Incorporator is:

Name: Valerie Ann Lowe

Address: 5760 N.W. Cleburn Drive

Port St. Lucie, Florida

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ARTICLE VIII CORPORATION EFFECTIVE DATE

The Corporation effective date will be **1 January 2013**.

ARTICLE IX DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION

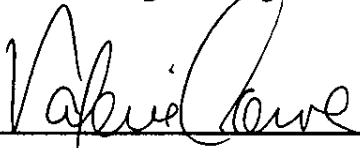
Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of should be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which

the principal office of the corporation is located then, 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 X CORPORATION ACTIVITIES

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 of distribution statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provisions 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 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of future federal tax codes.

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

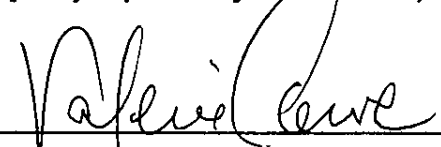


Required Signature of Registered Agent

Valerie Ann Lowe

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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

Valerie Ann Lowe

10/25/12

Date