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SUBJECT:	A.S.T. @ Homes	tead PTO		
(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 &	\$78.75 Filing Fee	\$87.50 Filing Fee,	
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September 24, 2012

ARTHUR GLADNEY 1220 NW 1ST AVE HOMESTEAD, FL 33030

SUBJECT: M.A.S.T. @ HOMESTEAD PTO, INC.

Ref. Number: W12000048433

We have received your document for M.A.S.T. @ HOMESTEAD PTO, 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):

In Article I please list the complete corporation name.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Please return 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.

Jessica A Fason Regulatory Specialist II

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

M.A.S.T.@HOMESTEAD PTO, INC.

(A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION)

We the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, competent to contract hereby associate ourselves together to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Laws of the State of Florida, do certify:

<u>ARTICLE I – NAME</u>

The name of the corporation shall be M.A.S.T.@Homestead PTO, INC. This corporation shall not join, belong or pay dues to any other corporation. However, members may do so if they desire to.

ARTICLE II - PRINCIPLE OFFICE

The principle street address and mailing address shall be 1220 NW 1st Avenue, Homestead, Florida 33030.

The mailing address is the same as above.

ARTICLE III- PURPOSE

The Purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

- A. To conduct activities which are exclusively chartable, literary, and educational within the meaning of the section 501c (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under the 501c (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- B. To enhance and support the educational experience at M.A.S.T.@Homestead, to develop a closer connection between school and home by encouraging parent involvement through volunteering and financial support.

- C. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or distributable to its members, 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 for this corporation.
- D. The corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) of any political campaign on behalf or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not conduct any activities that are prohibited under the 501c (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- E. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501c (3) of the internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. 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(s), as said court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE IV- MANNER OF ELECTION

- A. Each Director of this PTO must be a member of this PTO.
- B. The Executive Board shall consist of the following Directors: President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary and Parliamentarian.
- C. Directors shall be elected by ballot annually in the month of May during a PTO general meeting. However, if there is but one nominee for any office, election for that office may be by show of membership cards or voice vote. A majority vote shall elect.
- D. Directors shall assume their duties immediately as of July 1st to the end of the school year or until their successor are elected. However, the treasurer shall assume all duties after the books have been audited.
- E. Executive board meetings shall be held monthly during the school year. A majority of the executive board members shall constitute a quorum.
- F. A Director can be removed from office for failure to fulfill his/her duties, after reasonable notice, by a majority vote of the Executive Board.
- G. If a vacancy occurs on the Executive Board, the President shall appoint a PTO member to fulfill the vacancy for the remainder of the officer's term.

· ARTICLE V - INITIAL DIRECTORS

President: Arthur Gladney – 1220 NW 1st Ave. Homestead FL, 33030

Vice President: Dalila Ruiz – 1220 NW 1st Ave. Homestead FL, 33030

Treasurer: Shawna Gray-Faiq – 1220 NW 1st Ave. Homestead FL, 33030

Secretary: Vicky Martinez- 1220 NW 1st Ave. Homestead FL, 33030

Parliamentarian: Jean Manners – 1220 NW 1st Ave. Homestead FL, 33030

ARTICLE VI- REGISTERED AGENT

Arthur Gladney

1220 NW 1st Ave. Homestead, FL 33030

<u>ARTICLE VII – INCORPORATOR</u>

Arthur Gladney

1220 NW 1st Ave. Homestead, FL 33030

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation t the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

- President

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

10/26/12

Date