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

SUBJECT: Naturally You, Inc. (PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for:

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□\$78.75

Filing Fee & Certified Copy **\$87.50** 

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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Gillian M. Sylvester

Name (Printed or typed)

706 N Main Street

Address

Kissimmee FL 34744

City, State & Zip

407.463.1813

Daytime Telephone number

DJ@DavidHardrick.com

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

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



# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

January 10, 2013

GILLIAN M. SYLVESTER 706 N MAIN STREET KISSIMMEE, FL 34744

SUBJECT: NATURALLY YOU, INC.

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We have received your document for NATURALLY YOU, 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):

The effective date is not acceptable since it is not within five working days of the date of receipt.

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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# Articles of Incorporation

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Naturally You, Inc.

In compliance with the requirements of Florida Statues, Chapter 617 (1993), the undersigned Incorporator has executed, adopted and caused to be delivered for filing the Articles of Incorporation for the purposes of forming a not-for-profit corporation and does hereby certify:

#### Article I: Name

The name of the corporation shall be Naturally You, Inc.

## Article II: Principle Office

The principle place of business and mailing addresses are:

- Physical: 706 N Main Street Kissimmee FL 34744
- Mailing: 706 N Main Street Kissimmee FL 34744

## **Article III: Purpose**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is to be operated exclusively for charitable, educational, and or scientific purposes and to engage in such other pursuits as to qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax law. More specifically, this corporation shall:

- A. Operate exclusively as a not-for-profit, charitable organization primarily engaged in providing educational opportunities to stylists and naturals on natural hair care to preserve the natural hair.
- B. Vision: Knowledgeable stylists of the natural hair meeting client needs with appropriate services.



- C. Mission: To provide educational opportunities to stylists and naturals on natural hair care.
- D. Motto: Healthy natural hair comes from a healthy natural life style.
- E. Slogan: Preserving the natural hair.
- F. Coined Phrase: Embracing the natural.

#### Article IV: Duration

The duration of this corporation shall be perpetual unless terminated sooner in accordance with the laws of the State of **Florida**.

## Article V: Bylaws

The directors of this corporation shall provide such Bylaws for the conduct of the business of the corporation and the carrying out of its purposes as such directors may deem necessary from time-to-time. Upon notice properly given, the Bylaws may be amended, altered or rescinded by a majority vote of the members present at any regular or special meeting called for such purpose subject to any limitation set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statues, or any other applicable state or federal law concerning corporate action that must be authorized or approved by member of the corporation.

#### **Article VI: Powers**

This corporation is empowered to:

A. Exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of **Florida** upon not-for-profit corporations including, but without limitation thereon, to receive gifts, devises, bequests, and contributions in any form and to use, apply, invest, and reinvest the principal and income there-from and distribute the same for the aforementioned purposes.

- B. To acquire by gift or purchase, hold, sell, convey, assign, mortgage or lease any property, real or personal, necessary, or incident to the purposes of this corporation.
- C. To borrow money and issue evidence of indebtedness in furtherance of any or all of its purposes and to secure loans by mortgage, deed of trust, pledge, or other lien.
- D. To apply for, obtain, and contract with any federal, state, or local agency for a direct loan or loans or other financial aid.
- E. To engage in any kind of activity, and to enter into, perform, and carry out contracts of any kind necessary, in connection with, or incidental to the accomplishment of any one or more of the not-for-profit purposes of this corporation.

#### **Article VII: Prohibited Activities**

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, this corporation will not carry on any 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 of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law, or a corporation to which contributions are deductible under Section 170(C)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

## Article VIII: Manner of Election and Initial Board of Directors

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted and managed by the final decision making body known as the Board of Directors. The directors shall be elected or appointed in such manner as provided by the Articles of Incorporation until such time that the Bylaws shall be completed and adopted. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time-to-time in the manner provided in the Bylaws

but shall never be less than three. Any director shall be removed from office with or without cause by the vote or agreement in writing by a majority of all the membership as more specifically set forth in the Bylaws.

The founding director ("Founder") shall remain as a life director (until death) with all veto power, for such votes, amendments, and activities that directly violate the stated purpose, prohibited activities, and powers of this corporation. The corporation will at all times maintain a Chairman and a Secretary.

A. The following directors shall serve until their successors are elected and qualified:

Name	Title	Address	
Gillian M. Sylvester	Chairman Founder	325 Puffer Court Kissimmee FL 34759	
Melody Martinez	Secretary Vice-Chairman	462 Tamalind Park Poinciana FL 34758	
Sandra Walters	Treasurer	1591 Pin Oak Lane Conyers GA 30094	

Article IX: Manner of Election and Initial Officers

The officers of the corporation shall be elected or appointed in accordance with the Articles of Incorporation, until such time that the Bylaws shall be completed and adopted; and shall carry forth such duties as set forth in such Bylaws. The corporation will at all times maintain a Chief Executive Officer also known as the President, or Executive Director and a Chief of Staff also known as the Secretary. Officers shall be appointed annually by the Board of Directors. All terms of office shall be for one year.

The officers of this corporation shall carry out the day-to-day operations of the corporation and shall report to the board of directors monthly or as needed.

A. The following officers shall serve until their successors are duly elected and qualified:

Name	Title	Address
Gillian M. Sylvester	Chief Executive Officer	325 Puffer Court Kissimmee FL 34759
Melody Martinez	Chief Operations Officer Chief of Staff	462 Tamalind Park Poinciana FL 34758
Sandra Walters	Chief Financial Officer	1591 Pin Oak Lane Conyers GA 30094

#### Article X: Indemnification

Every person who now is or hereafter shall be a director or officer of the corporation shall be indemnified by the corporation to the fullest extent now or hereafter permitted by law. Every person who now is or hereafter shall be a member of the corporation is not personally liable for any act, debt, liability, or obligation of the corporation. A member may become liable to the corporation for dues, assessments, or fees as provided by any applicable state and federal laws.

#### Article XI: Dedication and Distribution of Assets

No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall be distributed to, or inure to the benefit of, any member, director or officer of this corporation, contributor or private individual. No loans, other than through the purchase of bonds, debentures, or similar obligations of the type customarily sold in public offerings, or through ordinary deposit of funds in a bank, may be made by the corporation to its directors, or officers, or to any other corporation, firm, association or other entity in which one of more of its directors or officers is a director or officer or holds a substantial financial interest, except a loan by one corporation which is exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, to another corporation which is exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

#### Article XII: Amendment to Articles of Incorporation

An amendment to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by any director of the corporation, but such amendment may be adopted after receiving an affirmative vote of the majority of the members entitled to vote on proposed amendments to the Articles of Incorporation. If no members are entitled to vote on such proposal, the amendment may be adopted at a meeting of the directors by a majority vote of the directors.

#### Article XIII: Dissolution

In the event of dissolution, winding up, or other liquidation of the assets of this corporation, its 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 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 XIV: Initial Members**

There are no initial members of this organization.

#### Article XV: Registered Agent

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is

Unique DeSigns Printing, Inc. 918 Wooden Boulevard Orlando FL 32805-3467

# Article XVI: Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator is

Gillian M. Sylvester 325 Puffer Court Kissimmee FL 34759

### **Effective Date**

The effective date of these Articles of Incorporation is February 8, 2013

## Registered Agent

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.

Signature Phrobuctly

02/08/2013

Date

David Hardrick

Unique DeSigns Printing, Inc.

Registered Agent

918 Wooden Boulevard

Orlando FL 32805

E-mail: DJ@DavidHardrick.com

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# Incorporator

In witness whereof, for the purpose of forming this corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, the undersigned, as the sole Incorporation of this corporation, has executed these Articles of Incorporation

Articles of Incorporation.		
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Signature:	Date	_ <del>_</del> ₹
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I hereby certify that on this 8th day of Feb	ruary, 2013, personally appear	red before me,
an officer duly authorized to administer oaths and	take acknowledgments, Gillia	n M. Sylvester,
to me well-known and known to m	e to be the individual described	l in
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who produced identification:		
and who executed the forgoing instrument as Inco	orporator of Naturally You, In	c. and
acknowledged to and before me that she signed a	nd executed such instrument fo	or the uses and
purposes therein stated.		
I have hereunto set my hand and affixed n	ny official seal, at Orlando, Flo	rida, on the day
and year last above written.		
Signature: ()	Commission Stamp/Seal:	
David Hardrick		

Notary Public, State of Florida

DAVID J. HARDRICK
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF FLORIDA
Comm# EE173245
Expires 5/29/2016