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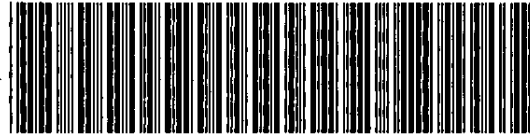
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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P. O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Kids House of Refuge Foundation, 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  
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& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Beatrice Blaise  
Name (Printed or typed)

1153 Northwest Lombard Drive,  
Address

Port St. Lucie, FL. 34986  
City, State & Zip

772-626-7277  
Daytime Telephone number

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

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

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**Articles of Incorporation**

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

SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

**Kids House of Refuge Foundation, Inc.**

The undersigned incorporator(s), a natural person 18 years of age or older, in order to form a corporate entity adopts the following articles of incorporation.

**ARTICLE I**

**NAME/REGISTERED OFFICE & PRINCIPAL ADDRESS**

The name of this corporation shall be **Kids House of Refuge Foundation, Inc.**, located at:

1153 Northwest Lombardy Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL. 34986

**ARTICLE II**

**PURPOSE**

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes more specifically to provide a nurturing living environment for Haitian orphans seeking to build positive relationships that will equip them with self confidence and help them become the next generation of leaders.

To this end, the corporation shall at all times be operated exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, 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 of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended. All funds, whether income or principal, and whether acquired by gift or contribution or otherwise, shall be devoted to said purposes.

**ARTICLE III**

**EXEMPTION REQUIREMENTS**

At all times shall the following operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the corporation:

1. The corporation shall not afford pecuniary gain, incidentally or otherwise to its members. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member of the corporation, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation affecting one or more of its purposes. Such net earnings, if any, of this corporation shall be used to carry out the nonprofit corporate purposes set forth in Article II above.

2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or any initiative or referendum before the public, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other 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 now enacted or hereafter amended.

#### ARTICLE IV

##### DURATION

The duration of the corporate existence shall be perpetual.

#### ARTICLE V

##### MEMBERSHIP/BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have no members. The management of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors, as defined in the corporation's bylaws. No Director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation.

The number of Directors constituting the first Board of Directors is 3 to 5, their names and addresses being as follows:

Beatrice Blaise, President  
1153 Northwest Lombardy Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL. 34986

Marthe B. Faustin, Treasurer  
1153 Northwest Lombardy Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL. 34986

Alfred Levy, Secretary  
826 East Henry St., Linden, NJ. 07036

Members of the first Board of Directors shall serve 2 year terms and their successors are duly elected and qualified, or removed as provided in the bylaws.

ARTICLE VI

PERSONAL LIABILITY

No officer or Director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the officer, or Directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

ARTICLE VII

DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets of the corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or 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.

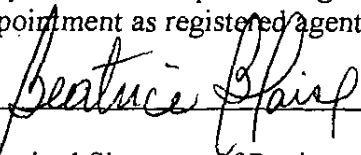
ARTICLE VIII

INCORPORATOR(S)

The incorporator of this corporation is:

Beatrice Blaise, 1153 Northwest Lombardy Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL. 34986

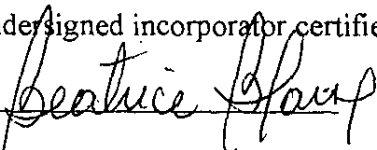
Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity

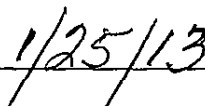
  
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Required Signature of Registered Agent

*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.*

Beatrice Blaise, 1153 Northwest Lombardi Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL. 34986

The undersigned incorporator certifies that he executes these articles for the purposes herein stated.

  
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Signature (Name)

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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