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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

October 3, 2013

TERRANCE ALLEN 1340 SW 119TH AVE PEMBROKE PINES, FL 33025

SUBJECT: CREATING AVENUES NOW (CAN) INC.

Ref. Number: W13000055057

We have received your document for CREATING AVENUES NOW (CAN) 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):

Entities may file using only the entity's name. Please delete any reference to the "doing business as name" in your document. If you wish to register your fictitious name, you may do so by filing an application and submitting the appropriate fees to this office.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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RE: Proposed Corporate Name: Creating Avenues Now (CAN) Inc.

Enclosed is an original and two (2) copies of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for \$87.50 for Filing Fee, Certified Copy and Certificate.

Thank you for your assistance.

Terrance Allen

1340 S.W. 119th JAve

Pembroke Pines FL, 33025

305-980-6810

Email address: tallen@creatingavenuesnow.org

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NONPROFIT ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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Pursuant to Chapter 617, F.S., the undersigned incorporator executes these articles of incorporation for the purpose of forming and does hereby form a nonprofit corporation in accordance with the following provisions.

ARTICLE 1

NAME

The name of the Corporation is Creating Avenues Now Inc.

ARTICLE II

The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is:

1340 S.W. 119th Ave, Pembroke Pines, FL., 33025

ARTICLE III

A: **The purpose** of the Corporation is exclusively for charitable and educational, purposes, including, for such purposes that qualify it as an exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the internal revenue code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

B: In furtherance of the general purposes in paragraph A, the Corporation is dedicated to creating educational, recreational and financial avenues for disadvantaged youth in order to enhance their lives, improve their physical and mental well-being, as well as increase their potential for success.

ARTICLE IV

The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be governed by a board of directors according to the By Laws. The three (3) members of the initial board of directors shall serve until the first annual meeting of directors and until their successors are appointed and qualify. A director may be removed from office by a majority of the directors for cause. Directors shall be appointed by the majority of the board of directors. The President shall have the authority to open bank accounts, sign legal documents and contracts on behalf of the Corporation.

<u>ARTICLE V</u>

The initial board of directors' names and mailing addresses are:

Terrance Allen, President and Chair 1340 S.W. 119th Ave, Pembroke Pines, FL., 33025

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Evelyn Bailey, Vice President and Vice Chair 1340 S.W. 119th Ave, Pembroke Pines, FL., 33025

Cynthia Elliott, Secretary

P.O. Box 4846, Frankfort, KY 40604

ARTICLE VI

The initial Registered Agent is:

Terrance Allen, President, 1340 S.W. 119th Ave, Pembroke Pines, FL., 33025

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the Incorporator is

Terrance Allen, President, 1340 S.W. 119th Ave, Pembroke Pines, FL., 33025

ARTICLE VIII

The duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual and it shall be irrevocably dedicated to and operated exclusively for, non-profit purposes as described within Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue code or corresponding provisions of any later Federal Tax code. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, directors, 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 in Article III

ARTICLE IX

In carrying out the corporate purposes described herein, the Corporation shall have all the powers granted by law of the state of Florida except as in conflict with the Internal Revenue Code and as follows;

- A. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying out of the propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- B. The Corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in the Internal Revenue Code.



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ARTICLE X

The Corporation shall be governed by its By Laws.

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ARTICLE XI

The officers and board member of the Corporation shall not be held personally liable for any debt or obligation of the corporation solely because of their position as officers and members of the corporation.

ARTICLE XII

In the event of dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all liabilities of the Corporation dispose of all assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the Corporation in such manner or to such organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable or educational purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The remaining assets, if any, shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office for the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purpose or to such organizations as said Court shall determine are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

REGISTERED AGENT: Terrance Allen

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 aft in this capacity.

Signature/Registered Agent Jumuy Mu

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TERRANCE ALLEN

Signature/Incorporator

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