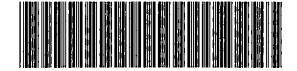
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COVER LETTER

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

SUBJECT: The Jacksonville Aquarium, Inc.

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

\$70.00 Filing Fee

\$78.75

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Certificate of Status

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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM:

Benjamin Piltz

9252 San Jose Blvd, #904

Jacksonville, Fl 32257

904-504-2085

piltzb@bellsouth.net

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

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The name of the corporation shall be: The Jacksonville Aquarium, Inc.

PRINCIPLE OFFICE

Principle street address:

Mailing Address, if different is:

214 Winter Springs Way Jacksonville, Florida 32225

ARTICLE III **PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: It is the purpose of The Jacksonville Aquarium, Inc., a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, to inspire people of all ages toward stewardship of the waters of the world through education about wildlife and habitat conservation.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed: The manner in which the directors are to be elected or appointed is as stated in the bylaws.

INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS ARTICLE V

Name and Title: Kimberly Neumann, President

Name and Title:

Sharon E.T. Piltz, Vice President

Address

214 Winter Springs Way

Address

9252 San Jose Blvd, #904

Jacksonville, Florida 32257

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Name and Title: Benjamin Lloyd Piltz, Secretary

Name and Title:

James J. Hammond III, Treasure

Address

9252 San Jose Blvd, #904

Address

3867 Juliet Leia Cir. N.

Jacksonville, Florida 32257

Jacksonville, Florida 32218

ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

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

Name:

Brad Huber

Address:

2833 Pratt Place

St. Johns, Florida 32259

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

Name:

Benjamin Lloyd Piltz

Address:

9252 San Jose Blvd, #904

Jacksonville, Florida 32257

ARTICLE VIII DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation and after the payment or the provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, the board of directors will dispose of all of the assets of the corporation to a suitable organization that is then qualified as tax-exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue code and also exists to further the education and conservation of the world's habitats.

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.

Regulired 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.817.1755,F.S.

Required Signature of Incorporator