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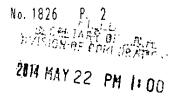
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF FLORIDA COMMITTEE FOR QUALIFIED JUDGES, INC., A Florida Not For Profit Corporation

The undersigned, desiring to form a corporation not for profit pursuant to Section 617, Florida Statutes, hereby certifies as follows:

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the corporation shall be Florida Committee for Qualified Judges, Inc.

ARTICLE II

Principal Office

The street address and mailing address of the principal office of the corporation is 1795 West Nasa Boulevard, Melbourne, Florida 32901.

ARTICLE III

Registered Agent and Office

The name and address of the registered agent of the corporation is John R. Kancilia. The address of the registered office of the corporation is 1795 West Nasa Boulevard, Melbourne, Florida 32901.

ARTICLE IV

Corporate Purpose

The corporation is a not for profit corporation organized solely to distribute communications to the public through television, radio, newspaper, magazine, direct mail, telephone and other means

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in order to apprise the public on the qualifications of persons seeking judicial office in Brevard County, Florida, all in accordance with the applicable requirements governing electioneering communications organizations contained in Chapter 106, *Florida Statutes*. In furtherance of the primary purpose of the corporation, the corporation shall, among other things, endeavor to:

- (a) research qualifications of candidates for judicial office;
- (b) stimulate local public awareness of the qualifications of judicial candidates; and
- (c) do any and all lawful acts and things which may be necessary, convenient, suitable or proper for the furtherance or accomplishment of the purposes of the corporation.

ARTICLE V

<u>Duration</u>

The corporation shall exist perpetually commencing upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation with the Florida Secretary of State, unless dissolved under the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws of the corporation or Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VI

Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator of the corporation are as follows:

Name

Street Address

John R. Kancilia

1795 West Nasa Boulevard

Melbourne, Florida 32901

ARTICLE VII

Members

The corporation shall have no members.

ARTICLE VIII

Directors

The method for the election of the directors shall be stated in the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE IX

Limitations on Powers

All of the purposes and powers of the corporation are subject to the express conditions and limitations that:

- (a) no part of the assets or earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any of its directors, officers or other private individuals; provided, the corporation shall not be precluded from paying reasonable compensation for services rendered to or for the corporation and for making payments and distributions in furtherance of its purposes;
- (b) no substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation; and
- (c) the corporation shall not engage in any acts or activities which are not in furtherance of its purposes.

ARTICLE X

Dissolution

If the corporation is dissolved, all of its property remaining after payment and satisfaction of all of its obligations, shall be transferred and conveyed to another corporation or organization which

is organized for the same or similar purposes of the corporation or to any organization that is qualified under Section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any successor internal revenue law. If the board of directors fails to distribute the assets of the corporation as aforesaid, the assets of the corporation shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is located, exclusively for such purposes, as said court shall determine.

ARTICLE XI

Amendment

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended as provided in the bylaws of the corporation.

The undersigned, being the sole incorporator of the corporation, for purposes of forming this not for profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, has executed these Articles of Incorporation the 22nd day of May, 2014.

John R. Kancilia, Incorporator

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CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE AS REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as the registered agent in the Articles of Incorporation of Florida Committee for Qualified Judges, Inc., I hereby accept and agree to act in this capacity.

Dated: May 22, 2014

John R. Kancilia