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

SUBJECT: Sea Song Harmonies, Incorporated (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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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Chery Valantis
Name (Printed or typed)

1501 N.W. 34th PLace

Garnesville, Florida 32605

352 - 281 - 1999

Daytime Telephone number

seasongharmonies a) gmail.com

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

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

IN COMPLIANCE WITH CHAPTER 617, F.S., (NOT FOR PROFIT)

Article I Name

The name of the corporation shall be: Sea Song Harmonies, Inc.

Article II Principal Office

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 1501 N.W. 34th Place. Gainesville. Florida. 32605.

Article III Purposes

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

To be a broadly based, nonprofit community organization whose purpose is exclusively educational and charitable;

To operate exclusively for the benefit of and carry out the purpose of providing a free or low cost instructional music program for young students, adults and senior citizens who have limited access to the benefits of musical exposure and instruction due to socioeconomic factors, transportation limits or health concerns.

To solicit and raise funds, and to receive by way of gift, purchase, grant, devise, will or otherwise, property, real, personal or mixed, and to hold, use maintain, lease, donate, pledge, encumber, loan, sell, convey and otherwise dispose of all such property in furtherance of the objectives and purposes of this project.

To do and perform any and all acts or services that may be incidental or necessary to carry out the above purposes; and

To engage in any lawful act or activity for which a not for profit corporation is allowed under the laws of Florida.

Article IV Manner of Election of Directors The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed is:

The Founding Directors will serve as members of the Board of Directors commencing immediately upon the incorporation of the project by the State and will serve one full term on the Board of Directors. The Director of the project shall be a member of the Board for the duration of his or her term as administrator. Each director, other than the Appointed Directors, shall be deemed "Elected Director" and shall be elected by the Board at its annual meeting for a three year term commencing immediately following the annual meeting and terminating immediately following the third annual meeting next following and upon election and qualification of his or her successor. Directors may be elected for successive terms without limitation.

Article V Initial Officers and/or Directors

Name and Title: Cheryl Valantis. President

Address 1501 N.W. 34th Place

Gainesville, Florida, 32605

Name and Title: <u>Juniper DiGiovanni</u>, <u>Sec/Treas</u>.

706 N.W. 36th Avenue

Gainesville, Florida, 32609

Name and Title: Rodney Scot Davis, VP

1501 N.W. 34th Place

Gainesville, Florida, 32605

Article VI Non Profit Status

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, 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 distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Third hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. If reference to federal law in

articles of incorporation imposes a limitation that is invalid in your state, you may wish to substitute the following for the last sentence of the preceding paragraph: Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the legal liabilities of the corporation, 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 federal 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 VII Initial Registered Agent and Street Address

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent is:

Cheryl Valantis,

1501 N.W. 34th Place.

Gainesville, Florida, 32605

Article VIII Incorporator

The **name and address** of the incorporator is:

Name:

Cheryl Valantis

1501 N.W. 34th Place

Gainesville, Florida, 32605

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.

6-6-14 Date

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.

Required Signature of Incorporator

6-6-14