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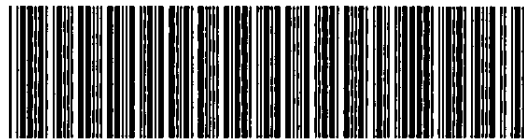
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Subject: Filing Articles of Incorporation for:
ASPIRE TO GROW INC.
Ex-Offender Employment Readiness Program

Please find 2 copies of the articles of incorporation and payment to file the articles of incorporation. Enclosed Payment \$87.50 is for Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate.

Please return proof of filing to:

Shantory L. Gaskins
1570 N.W. 4th Avenue
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

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Non-profit Corporation Articles of Incorporation

Pursuant to §617 of the laws of Florida, the undersigned majority of whom are citizens of the United States, do hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE 1 Name

The name of the corporation is: **Aspire To Grow Inc.**
EIN: 47-1944336

ARTICLE 2 Existence

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE 3 Effective Date

The effective date of incorporation shall be: January 1, 2015.

ARTICLE 4 Principal Office

The street address of the principal office is: Shantory L. Gaskins

1570 N.W. 4th Avenue
Pompano Beach, FL 33060
Broward County

ARTICLE 5 Mailing Address

P.O. Box 668331
Pompano Bch Fl 33066


ARTICLE 6 Registered Agent and Office

The name of the initial registered agent is: Sherry Vertil

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

1570 N.W. 4th Avenue
Pompano Beach, FL 33060


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.



Signature of Registered Agent
Wednesday, October 02, 2014

ARTICLE 7 Incorporator Name and Address

Shantory L. Gaskins
1570 N.W. 4th Avenue
Pompano Beach, FL 33060



Signature

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ARTICLE 8 Purpose

The purpose of the corporation is 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 and herein stated as follows:

Aspire To Grow Inc. is a non-profit job-readiness program dedicated to reducing crime and recidivism by providing a support system that allows ex-offenders, welfare recipients, and other unemployed, hard to place individuals, to successfully transition into employment, family and community life. Our one-stop resource center offers a comprehensive career development program specific to the ex-offender and difficult to employ individuals, looking for fulfilling employment, housing, counseling, education or training and the necessary network of services to support their successful re-integration into the workforce.

Article 9 Correspondence Name and Email Address

Name/Address:

Shantory L. Gaskins
1570 N.W. 4th Avenue
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Email Address:

Info@AspireToGrow.org

ARTICLE 10 Name and Address of Directors/Officers

The directors will be elected, maintained, and appointed in accordance with the corporation's bylaws.

The corporation's initial directors are as follows:

President/Director:

Shantory L. Gaskins
1570 N.W. 4th Avenue
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Treasurer/Vice President/Director:

Latonia McNealy
1570 N.W. 4th Avenue
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Secretary/Director:

Sherry Vertil
1570 N.W. 4th Avenue
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

ARTICLE 11 Members

The corporation will not have members

ARTICLE 12 Indemnification

The corporation does indemnify any directors, officers, employees, incorporators, and members of the corporation from any liability regarding the corporation and the affairs of the corporation, unless the person fraudulently and intentionally violated the law and/or maliciously conducted acts to damage and/or defraud the corporation, or as otherwise provided under applicable statute.

ARTICLE 13 Powers and Prohibited Activities

The Corporation shall possess and exercise all the powers and privileges granted by Chapters 617 of the Florida Statutes, or by any other law of Florida, together with all powers necessary or convenient to the conduct, promotion or attainment of the activities or purposes of the Corporation, limited only by the restrictions set forth in these Article of Incorporation. The Corporation is organized as a not-for-profit entity. 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 8. 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, 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.

ARTICLE 14 Distributions Upon Dissolution

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 15 BYLAWS

The by-laws of the corporation shall be made, altered, and rescinded by a majority vote of the members at a regular or special meeting of the corporation, subject to all notice and quorum requirements

ARTICLE 16 AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

These Articles may be amended, altered, or rescinded by a majority vote of the Board of Directors present at a regular or special meeting of the corporation, provided all notice and quorum requirements are met.

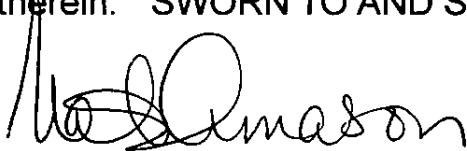
WHEREFORE, I, the undersigned, do set me hands and seals to these Articles of Incorporation on this 2nd day of October at Pompano Beach, Florida



Shantory L. Gaskins, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF BROWARD

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary did appear Shantory L. Gaskins, who upon being duly sworn, deposes and says "that they are the person named in the foregoing Articles and that these Articles of Incorporation are being submitted for the purposes stated therein." SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 2nd day of October, 2015.



Notary Public

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My Commission Expires



NATASHA C. MASON
NOTARY PUBLIC
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