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# **COVER LETTER**

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

SUBJECT: Southwest Florida Badminton Association, Inc. (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: Marc J. Miles

Name (Printed or typed)

101 West Venice Ave Ste 37

Address

Venice, FL 34285

City, State & Zip

941-256-0434

Daytime Telephone number

mmiles@mjmlawoffices.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)

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## **ARTICLE III**

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.

More specifically to Promote Badminton by organizing regular badminton practice sessions, provide training in improving badminton skills, Hosting Badminton Tournaments and organizing and providing Official Umpire clinics.

### ARTICLE VIII

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.

### ARTICLE IX

Upon the dissolution 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 X

The effective date of these Articles of Incorporation shall be January 1, 2015

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ARTICLE VI	REGISTERED AGENT			
The <u>name and Flo</u>	orida street address (P.O. Box NOT acce	ptable) of the registered agent	l is:	
Name:	Marc J. Miles	·		
Address:	101 West Venice Ave S	te. 37		
	Venice, FL 34285			
ARTICLE VII	<u>INCORPORATOR</u>			
The name and ad	dress of the Incorporator is:			
Name:	Marc J. Miles	<del></del>		
Address:	101 West Venice Ave S	te. 37		
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