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

SUBJECT:	<u> </u>	Initiative, Inc TENAME-MUSTINCLUI	
Enclosed is an original a	nd one (1) copy of the Ar	ticles of Incorporation and	a check for:
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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

Articles of Incorporation of The Advance Initiative, Inc.

The undersigned, desiring to form a nonprofit corporation under the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act, Florida Statutes Chapter 617, makes and adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article I (Name)

The name of the Corporation shall be The Advance Initiative, Inc.

Article II (Principal Office)

The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is 7650 Chapelhill Dr, Orlando, FL 32819.

Article III (Purpose)

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law), including but not limited to, the making of distributions to or on behalf of 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.

Article IV (Directors)

- a. The Directors of the Corporation shall not consist of fewer than three (3) directors and not more than a maximum number determined by the Bylaws of the Corporation amended from time to time.
- b. The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial directors corporation are as follows:

- i. Robin Koshy172 Concord LaneCarol Stream, IL 60188
- ii. Sam Chacko 2128 Central Park Drive Wylie, TX 75098
- iii. Danny Johnson 7650 Chapelhill Drive Orlando, FL 32819
- iv. Binu Abraham2975 Sunnycrest RoadWillow Grove, PA 19090
- v. Ajay Thomas
 2210 Bowler Street
 Philadelphia, PA 19115
- vi. Dennis Mathew
 31 Tall Oaks Drive
 Upper Holland, PA 19053
- c. The Board of Directors shall govern the Corporation, and shall have all the rights and powers granted to it as outlined the Corporation's Bylaws.
- d. The term of each member of the Board of Directors shall be as established in the Corporation's Bylaws.
- e. The method of electing the Board of Directors shall be enumerated in the Corporation's Bylaws.

Article V (Officers)

The officers of the Corporation will consist of a President, one or more Vice Presidents, a Secretary, a Treasurer, and such other Officers and Assistant Officers as may be provided for in the Bylaws or by resolution of the Board of Directors. Each Officer will be elected by majority vote of the Board of Directors (and may be removed by a majority vote of the

Board of Directors) at such time and in such manner as provided for in the Bylaws or by law. The names, titles, and addresses of the initial officers are as follows:

- a. President:Ajay Thomas2210 Bowler StreetPhiladelphia, PA 19115
- b. Vice President:Sam Chacko2128 Central Park DriveWylie, TX 75098
- c. Secretary:Dennis Mathew31 Tall Oaks DriveUpper Holland, PA 19053
- d. Treasurer:
 Danny Johnson
 7650 Chapelhill Drive
 Orlando, FL 32819

Article VI (Existence)

The existence of this corporation shall be perpetual.

Article VII (Restrictions)

- a. <u>No Private Inurement</u>: No part of the net earnings or assets of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, 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 III hereof. The Corporation shall not have capital stock or shareholders.
- b. <u>No Substantial Lobbying</u>: No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation.

- c. <u>No Political Campaigning</u>: 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.
- d. <u>Irrevocable Dedication</u>: The income and assets of the Corporation shall be irrevocably dedicated to its exclusive purposes.

Article VIII (Indemnification)

The Corporation shall indemnify each officer and director, including former officers and directors, to the full extent permitted under the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act and in accordance with the Corporation's bylaws.

Article IX (Powers)

- a. <u>General</u>: The Corporation shall have all the rights and powers customary and proper for tax-exempt non-profit Corporations, including the powers specifically enumerated in Section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, as amended.
- b. <u>Restrictions</u>: Notwithstanding any other provisions of the Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a Corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or by a Corporation to which contributions are deductible under Sections 170(b)(1)(A) or (B) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law).
- c. <u>Charitable Trusteeship</u>, etc.: The Corporation shall be empowered to hold or administer property for the purposes stated in Article III of the Articles of Incorporation, including the power to act as trustee.

Article X (Dissolution)

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 XI (Members)

The Corporation shall not have members, and shall not issue membership certificates.

Article XII (Bylaws)

The Board of Directors will make and adopt the Bylaws of the Corporation, and the Board of Directors may alter, amend, or rescind the Bylaws in the manner set forth in the Bylaws.

Article XIII (Amendments)

Amendments and restatements to the Articles of Incorporation may be made by the Board of Directors in the manner set forth in the Bylaws.

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. The undersigned incorporator has made and subscribed these Articles of Incorporation this 21st Day of February, 2015.

Danny Johnson, Incorporator 7650 Chapelhill Drive Orlando, Florida 32819

Acceptance as Registered Agent: Having been named as registered agent for the aforementioned Corporation, at the place designated in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Done this 21st Day of February, 2015.

Danny Johnson, Registered Agent 7650 Chapelhill Drive

Orlando, Florida 32819

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