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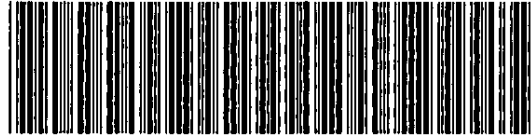
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: **ZENESS, INC.**
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

☒ \$70.00
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
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& Certificate

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FROM: **Nadeen Jahn**
Name (Printed or typed)

PO Box 13092
Address

Tucson, AZ 85732
City, State & Zip

520-881-3989
Daytime Telephone number

info@smallbizagents.com
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION 15 APR -1 PM 3:46
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

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Article I - Name

The name of the corporation shall be: ZENESS, INC.

Article II - Principal Office

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be: 273 Hildago Rd St Augustine, FL 32080

The mailing address of this corporation shall be: 241 Johns Glen Dr Saint Johns, FL 32259

Article III - Purpose

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: to operate a Zen Buddhist practice Temple dedicated to the development of the relationship between traditional Buddhism and compassionate engagement with our society; to support a sincere and dedicated practice community to serve others by providing training, retreats, and programs for social and individual transformation; to offer a refuge to the many who come through its temple doors, and offer mature programs - traditional, experimental, and systems-based - that meet the needs of people, society, and the environment. 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code. 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 IV - Manner of Election

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed: To be determined in the bylaws.

Article V - Initial Directors and/or Officers

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

Shulan Sun,	Director, Chairman	273 Hildago Rd St Augustine, FL 32080
Felix Gao,	Director, President, Secretary	241 Johns Glen Dr Saint Johns, FL 32259
Chelsey Gao,	Director	241 Johns Glen Dr Saint Johns, FL 32259

Article VI - Initial Registered Agent and Street Address

The **name and Florida street address** (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

SmallBiz Agents, LLC, 75 N. Woodward Ave. #10000 Tallahassee, FL 32313

Article VII - Incorporator

The **name and address** of the Incorporator is: Michael Banner, PO Box 13092, Tucson, AZ 85732.

Article VIII - Supplemental Provisions/Information

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 III - Purpose.

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.

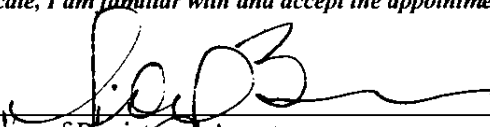
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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.



Signature of Registered Agent

03/27/2015

Date



Signature of Incorporator

03/27/2015

Date