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FROM: Katrina Long-Robinson

Name (Printed or typed)

3507 35th Way

Address

West Palm Beach, FL 33407

City, State & Zip

561-721-6465

Daytime Telephone number

KatrinaLong1308@yahoo.com

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

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

April 14, 2015

KATRINA LONG-ROBINSON 3507 35TH WAY WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33407

SUBJECT: DOUGLAS G. ROBINSON PERSEVERANCE PANCREATIC

CANCER & EMPOWERMENT FOUNDATION, INCORPORATED

Ref. Number: W15000025706

We have received your document for DOUGLAS G. ROBINSON PERSEVERANCE PANCREATIC CANCER & EMPOWERMENT FOUNDATION, INCORPORATED, however, upon receipt of your document no check was enclosed. Please send a check or money order payable to the Department of State.

The fees for profit and nonprofit, domestic or foreign are as follows:

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The effective date is not acceptable since it is not within five working days of the date of receipt.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Please return the corrected original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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DOUGLAS G. ROBINSON PERSEVERANCE PANCREATIC CANCER AND EMPOWERMENT FOUNDATION, INCORPORATED

The undersigned Incorporator of <u>Douglas G. Robinson Perseverance Pancreatic Cancer & Empowerment Foundation</u>, a <u>Florida</u> corporation, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I Name

The name of the corporation is Douglas G. Robinson Perseverance Pancreatic Cancer & Empowerment Foundation, Incorporated.

ARTICLE II Term of Existence

The term of existence shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III Principal Office and Mailing Address

The complete <u>street address</u> of the initial designated principal office is in Palm B County, Florida:

3507 35th Way West Palm Beach, Florida 33407

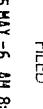
The complete mailing address is:

Douglas G. Robinson Perseverance Pancreatic Cancer & Empowerment Foundation 3507 35th Way West Palm Beach, Florida 33407

ARTICLE IV Purpose

The Corporation is organized as a Florida not-for-profit corporation established exclusively for charitable, educational, and scientific purposes including the power to provide services to advance the nonprofit sector through education, consultation, advocacy, publication, and such other activities as benefit the nonprofit sector. The Corporation shall operate in furtherance of such other purposes, causes, and objects as would qualify for federal tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended (the "Code"). In pursuance of such other purposes, causes, or objects, the Board of Directors shall have the power, without limitation, to make distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code and as public charities under Section 509(a)(1) or (2) of the Code.

Notwithstanding any provisions of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code including but not limited to:





- A. Supporting African American youth to achieve personal and scholastic success from high school to college by providing educational scholarships.
- B. Providing mentoring services for youth residing in Palm Beach County.
- C. Addressing the issue of pancreatic cancer to raise awareness and support for prevention and enhanced outcomes for African American males.

ARTICLE V Powers

The corporation has the power to engage in any lawful activity under the corporation code of the State of Florida, including opening and operating a bank account.

ARTICLE VI Initial Registered Agent

The name of the initial registered agent is: Katrina Long-Robinson

The street address of the registered agent is: 3507 35th Way
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401

ARTICLE VII Registered Agent

I, <u>Katrina Long-Robinson</u>, hereby acknowledge that the undersigned individual or corporation accepts the appointment as Initial Registered Agent of Douglas G. Robinson Perseverance Pancreatic Cancer and Empowerment Foundation, Inc., the corporation which is named in these Articles of Incorporation.

Registered Agent

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Article VIII Directors and Officers

The Corporations' initial Board of Directors and Officers shall be comprised of the following persons:

Name	Title	Address
Katrina Long-Robinson	President	3507 35th Way
_		West Palm Beach, Florida 33407
Denise Williams	Vice President	825 9th Street
		West Palm Beach, Florida 33401
Alexcia Cox	Secretary/Treasurer	312 11th Street
	••	West Palm Beach, Florida 33401

ARTICLE IX Bylaws

The incorporator shall adopt the initial bylaws of the corporation. The Board may amend the bylaws at anytime by the provisions therein.

ARTICLE X DIRECTORS

FUNCTION AND POWERS. The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by its Board of Directors, including control of management of the property of the Corporation. All corporate powers will be exercised by or under the authority of the Board of Directors.

QUALIFICATION. Directors must be natural persons who are 18 years of age or older but need not be residents of Florida.

ELECTION AND TERM.

- a. Initial Board. Each person named in the Articles of Incorporation as a member of the Board of Directors will hold office until the Initial meeting of the Board of Directors or a Special Call Meeting is held and until such person's successor is elected and qualified or until such person's earlier resignation, removal from office, or death.
- b. Annual Election of Board. At each annual meeting of the Board of Directors, the incumbent Board of Directors will elect a successor Board of Directors by plurality vote. Each director so elected will hold office until the next succeeding annual meeting and until such director's successor has been elected and qualified or until such director's earlier resignation, removal from office, or death.
- c. Election of Chair of Board. The Board may elect a Chair, and if one is elected, the Chair will preside at all meetings of the directors and will have such duties as may from time to time be prescribed by the Board of Directors.
- d. Quorum and Voting. A majority of the number of directors prescribed by these Bylaws constitutes a quorum for the transaction of business. If a quorum is present when a vote is taken, the affirmative vote of a majority of directors present is an act of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XI Dissolution

Upon such dissolution or winding up of the affairs of the Corporation, whether voluntary or involuntary, the assets of the Corporation, after all debts have been satisfied, then remaining in the hands of the Board of Directors shall be distributed, transferred, conveyed, delivered, and paid over, in such amounts as the Board of Directors may determine or as my be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction, exclusively to charitable, religious, scientific, testing for public safety, literary, or educational organizations which qualify under the provisions of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and its regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended, PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that any distributions upon dissolution of this Corporation shall be to and for the exempt purposes of this Corporation as enumerated in the Articles of Incorporation of this Corporation.

ARTICLE XII Indemnification

The corporation does indemnify any directors, officers, employees, incorporators, and shareholders of the corporation from any liability regarding the corporation and the business 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 state corporate statute.

ARTICLE XIII Incorporator

I, <u>Valerie K. Wright</u>, residing at <u>1122 Parkway Court</u>, <u>Greenacres</u>, <u>FL 33413</u>, execute these Articles of Incorporation dated this ______ <u>27th</u> day of ________, <u>2015</u>.

Incorporator

Correspondence Information is:

Douglas G. Robinson Perseverance
Pancreatic Cancer and Empowerment Foundation
3507 35th Way
West Palm Beach, Florida 33407

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