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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF IDF LIFE FOR A CHILD (USA), INC.

The undersigned hereby forms a corporation not for profit under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, and, for these purposes, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

## **ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be: IDF LIFE FOR A CHILD (USA), INC. (the "Corporation"), a Florida not for profit corporation.

## **ARTICLE II - PURPOSES**

This 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 of 1986, as amended. The Corporation's specific purpose includes, but is not limited to, improving diabetes care for children and youth with diabetes in less-resourced countries, through strengthening diabetes care services in these countries.

In general, the Corporation shall do any and all acts and things, and exercise any and all powers which now or hereafter are lawful for the Corporation to do or exercise under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida for the purpose of accomplishing any of the purposes of the Corporation.

The purposes for which this Corporation is organized shall be limited to those which are strictly charitable. In no event shall this Corporation engage in any activity which would be contrary to the purposes and activities: (1) permitted to be engaged in by any organization the activities of which are exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; or (2) of a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as hereafter amended, and the applicable rules and regulations thereunder.

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 distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of 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, nor shall the Corporation engage in subversive activities.

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The Corporation shall not be operated for the primary purpose of carrying on an unrelated trade or business as defined in Section 513 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as hereafter amended, and the applicable rules and regulations thereunder.

No compensation shall be paid to any officer, director, trustee, creator or organizer of the Corporation or substantial contributor to it, except as a reasonable allowance for services actually rendered to or for the Corporation. The Corporation is organized to serve public interests. Accordingly, it shall not be operated for the benefit of private interests.

The Corporation shall have the power to receive contributions and expend such monies for such purpose and make grants or distributions to any organization organized and operated exclusively for charitable, scientific, religious or educational purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code whether such organization is within or without the United States of America. To the extent such grants or distributions are made to an organization without the United States of America, the Corporation will retain control and discretion regarding the use of its grants or other financial assistance. The Corporation will accomplish these purposes as follows:

- The Corporation will select specific, worthy projects that are consistent with its charitable purposes and which will provide the greatest benefit and will review plans for such projects.
- The Corporation will provide grants and other financial assistance to those projects it selects.
- Assistance will be at the sole discretion and exclusive power of the Corporation.
- The Board of Directors or its designated committee(s) will review all requests for funds from other organizations and will require that such requests specify the use to which the funds will be put.
- The Board of Directors or its designated committee(s) will authorize payment to approved projects.
- The Board of Directors or its designated committee(s) will require the recipients to provide a periodic accounting of each project funded to show that the funds were expended for the purposes approved by the Board of Directors or its designated committee(s).
- The Board of Directors or its designated committee(s) may withdraw support to
  any project at any time if it so chooses and will refuse to accept solicited funds if
  they are earmarked in such a way that they must in any event go to support the
  selected project thereby negating the right of the Board of Directors or its
  designated committee(s) to withdraw support to any project.

## ARTICLE III - POWERS

The Corporation shall have all the powers granted to not for profit corporations under the laws of the State of Florida which are necessary or convenient to effect any and all purposes for which the Corporation is organized. Subject to any applicable limitations, the Corporation shall have the power to receive, accept, use, hold, manage, and dispose of all types of real and personal property given, transferred, devised, or bequeathed to it, in trust or otherwise, for the purposes described above and for any purposes incidental thereto. In no event, however, shall

the Corporation have or exercise any power which would cause it not to qualify as a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) or Section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as hereafter amended, and the applicable rules and regulations thereunder; nor shall the Corporation engage directly or indirectly in any activity which would cause the loss of such qualification. No part of the assets or the net earnings, current or accumulated, of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any private individual.

#### **ARTICLE IV - MEMBERS**

This Corporation shall have no Members.

## ARTICLE V - TERM OF EXISTENCE

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

## **ARTICLE VI - OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS**

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors and managed on a day-to-day basis by officers elected by a majority vote of the Board of Directors. The officers of the Corporation shall consist of a President, Secretary and Treasurer. Such other officers and assistant officers and agents (including but not limited to Assistant Secretaries and Assistant Treasurers) as may be deemed necessary may be elected or appointed by the Board of Directors from time to time. Each officer shall serve for a term of two (2) years, beginning the 1st day of the month immediately following his or her election by a majority of the Board of Directors at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors. Officers may be re-elected to serve subsequent terms.

#### ARTICLE VII - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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The number of persons constituting the first Board of Directors shall be seven (7), but shall never be less than five (5). The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first election under these Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

Address
2304 Trescott Drive Tallahassee, Florida 32308 USA
92 Dell Place Glencoe, Illinois 60022 USA
3441 Jonathans Landing Tallahassee, Florida 32309 USA

Name

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Emma Naughton

1627 West 26th Street

Minneapolis, Minnesota 55405

**USA** 

Charles L. Renfroe

3712 Anza Street

San Francisco, California 94121

USA

Mr Gordon Bunyan

5 Bankside Avenue

Undercliffe, New South Wales 2280

Australia

Dr. Petra Wilson, CEO

International Diabetes Federation

Chaussée de la Hulpe 166

1170 Brussels Belgium

The number of directors shall be fixed in the Bylaws of this Corporation. Directors shall be elected as provided in the Bylaws of this Corporation.

## **ARTICLE VIII - BYLAWS**

The Bylaws of the Corporation shall be approved by a majority vote of the Board of Directors, and thereafter may be altered or rescinded by a majority vote of the Board of Directors at the annual meeting of the Board or at a duly called meeting of the Board in accordance with the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law.

## **ARTICLE X - DISSOLUTION**

Upon the liquidation or dissolution of the Corporation, its assets, if any, remaining after payment (or provision for payment) of all liabilities of the Corporation, shall be distributed by the Board of Directors to any one or more organizations qualified as exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the applicable rules and regulations thereunder. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be distributed by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is located to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine. No part of the assets or the net earnings, current or accumulated, of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of a private individual.

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## ARTICLE XI - REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the registered office of this Corporation shall be:

GrayRobinson, P.A.
301 East Pine Street, Suite 1400
Orlando, Florida 32801

The name of the registered agent of this Corporation shall be:

William A. Boyles

# ARTICLE XII - CORPORATION'S PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND/OR MAILING ADDRESS

The principal office and/or mailing address of this Corporation shall be:

Larry Deeb 2304 Trescott Drive Tallahassee, Florida 32308 USA

## ARTICLE XIII - INCORPORATOR

The following is the name and street address of the incorporator who signed the original Articles of Incorporation:

Larry Deeb 2304 Trescott Drive Tallahassee, Florida 32308 USA

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undo	ersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation,
this do day of luggered, 2015.	
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	on Call
	Larry Deeb, Incorporator
1/2 <sup>3</sup> /2	Emily 19660, picorporator
STATE OF TORCES	
COLDETT OF	
COUNTY OF Lean	
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The foregoing Articles of Incorpora	tion were acknowledged before me this 20 day of
( Lexus T 2015, by La My lee	, incorporator, who is personally known to
me of who produced a Florida driver's lice	cense as identification and who did not take an oath.
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(Affix Notary Seal)	Sha ythand
***************************************	NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida
Notary Public State of Florida	
Sharon Y Floyd My Commission EE 848942	Print Name: Sharon Y. Floyd
Expires 01/19/2017	My commission expires: 4/13/2017
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## CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE AS REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned, having been named as Registered Agent and to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation at the place designated in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, hereby accepts this appointment as such Registered Agent and agrees to act in this capacity. The undersigned further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of the undersigned's duties. The undersigned further certifies that the undersigned is familiar with and accepts the obligations of such position as Registered Agent.

William A. Boyles