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## COVER LETTER

Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
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SUBJECT: Sanibel-Captiva Sea Turtle Society, 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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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be: Sanibel-Captiva Sea Turtle Society, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

Principal ~~street~~ address  
359 Periwinkle Way  
Sanibel, Florida 33957

Mailing address, if different is:

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Please see attached

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION** The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:

The method by which the directors of the corporation are elected or appointed will be stated in the bylaws.

**ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS**

Name and Title: Aja M. Chase-Harrelson, P, D  
Address: 359 Periwinkle Way  
Sanibel, Florida 33957

Name and Title: Peter Savage, S, D  
Address: 359 Periwinkle Way  
Sanibel, Florida 33957

Name and Title: Diana Ferrante-Thies, T, D  
Address: 359 Periwinkle Way  
Sanibel, Florida 33957

Name and Title: Gretchen VanWalterop, D  
Address: 359 Periwinkle Way  
Sanibel, Florida 33957

Name and Title: William Craig Russell, D  
Address: 359 Periwinkle Way  
Sanibel, Florida 33957

Name and Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT**

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


Name: Peter Savage  
Address: 359 Periwinkle Way  
Sanibel, Florida 33957

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The ~~name and address~~ of the Incorporator is:


Name: Cheyenne Moseley, Legalzoom.com, Inc.  
Address: 8900 Spectrum Drive  
Austin, TX 78717

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

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Required Signature of Registered Agent  
Peter Savage

8-7-16  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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.817.135, F.S.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Required Signature of Incorporator  
Cheyenne Moseley LegalZoom.com, Inc., Assist. Secretary

8/23/16  
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**Attachment to**  
**Articles of Incorporation of**  
**Sanibel-Captiva Sea Turtle Society, Inc.**

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Said organization 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 the section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The business activity for said organization is as follows: Education and support of Sea Turtle conservation and rehabilitation.

No part of the net earnings of this organization 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 herein. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this 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 this document, 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.

Upon the dissolution of this corporation, assets remaining shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or 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 organization 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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