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# **COVER LETTER**

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and				
a check for:				
□ \$70.00 Filing Fee				
□ \$78.75Filing Fee & Certified Copy				
✓ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate				
(2 copies of the articles are submitted in the application)				
FROM:				
Name: Dancing Divas, Inc.				
Address: 3071 Governors Court Drive				
City, State & Zip: Tallahassee, FL 32301				
Daytime Telephone number: 850-264-4737				
E-mail address: tddbooking@gmail.com				
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articles.				

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In Compliance with (State) Florida Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Dancing Divas, Inc.

### **ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 3071 Governors Court Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32301

#### ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Dancing Divas, Inc is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes [within the meaning of 501(c) (3)]. Dancing Divas, Inc.'s charitable and educational purpose is to promote positive youth development and community vibrancy through developing and implementing performances, productions, and education focused on the arts that enrich the lives of participants and audiences.

#### ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The Board of Directors is comprised of five (5) individuals. The board of directors may at any time elect to decrease or increase the board's composition. The officers of the Board of Directors are elected every three (3) years; always maintaining an odd number of Board Members. Any Officer may be reelected.

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

Name:	Address:	Title:
1. Jamele Walden	3071 Governors Court Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32301	Board of Director, President
2. Stephanie Butler	2305 Killearn Center Blvd Apt E112 Tallahassee FL 32309	Board Director, Secretary
3. Sha'Nedra Whitaker	102 Ponderosa Ln Midway FL 32343	Board Director
4. Sondra Timpson	221 W. Park Ave. PO Box 1064 Tallahassee FL 32301	Board of Director
5. Dr. Yvette Holmes	2014 Midyette Rd. #402 Tallahassee, FL 32301	Board of Director, Treasurer

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#### **ARTICLE VI SUPPLEMENTAL ARTICLES**

Said corporation Dancing Divas, Inc. is organized exclusively for charitable and educational 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

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 distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to 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. "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."

This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.

Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed only to non-profit organizations that are both active and tax-exempt at the time of this corporation's dissolution. In the event that Dancing Diva's Inc. dissolves the following organizations are selected to receive its remaining assets: (first choice) Girls2Divas Mentoring, (address) P.O. Box 20375 Tallahassee FL 32316 and (second choice) Girls Into Ladies, (address) 2918 Oakwood Dr. 32304.

# ARTICLE VII DURATION

Period of duration for this organization is perpetual.

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# ARTICLE VIII INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The <u>name street address</u> of the registered agent is:

Jamele Walden 3071 Governors Court Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32301

# **ARTICLE IX INCORPORATOR**

The <u>name and address</u> of the Incorporator is: Jamele Walden

Jamele Walden 3071 Governors Court Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32301

# ARTICLE X EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective time of the Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation, and the time when the existence of the Corporation shall commence, shall be when the Articles of Incorporation are filed with the Secretary of State.

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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this cap	familiar with and	
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Signature/Registered Agent	Date	, —
Signature/Incorporator	 Date	10/6/16