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

Disabled American Veterans Chapter #159
of MIAMI SPRINGS, FLORIDA INC....

SUBJECT: _____

(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 &
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: _____

RAUL PESTANA

Name (Printed or typed)

574 NW 74 AVE

Address

MIAMI, FLA 33126

City, State & Zip

305-992-6667

Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: Disabled American Veterans Chapter #159

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

OF MIAMI SPRINGS, FLORIDA INC.

Principal street address:

574 NW 74 AVE

Mailing address, if different is:

MIAMI, FLORIDA 33126.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: I hereby incorporate and attach

ARTICLE 4 of Article of Incorporation formed on
MARCH 30, 2016. (attached)

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed: yearly, by
election of members, during MARCH, APRIL

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

Name and Title: RAUL PESTANA

Address: President

574 NW 74 AVE

MIAMI, FL 33126

Name and Title: CESAR A. LOPEZ

Address: Vice President

8454 NW 165 ST

MIAMI LAKES, FL 33016

Name and Title: STEVEN P. PIRKALA

Address: Director

11030 NW 20TH STREET

Pembroke Pines, FL 33026

Name and Title: ALBERTO PAZ

Address: Adjutant/Treasurer

3319 SW 5TH STREET

MIAMI, FL 33135

Name and Title: EMILIO OLAN

Address: Vice President

P.O. BOX 13023

MIAMI, FL 33101

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ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

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

Name: Alexander Alfano ESQ

Address: Law office of Alexander Alfano
2655 Lejeune Road, 4th floor, Coral Gables,
Florida 33134

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: RAUL PESTANA

Address: 574 NW 74 AVE
MIAMI, FL 33126

ARTICLE VIII EFFECTIVE DATE:

Effective date, if other than the date of filing: 6 NOV 2016 (OPTIONAL)

(If an effective date is listed, the date must be specific and cannot be more than five days prior or 90 days after the filing.)

Note: If the date inserted in this block does not meet the applicable statutory filing requirements, this date will not be listed as the document's effective date on the Department of State's records.

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

Alexander Alfano

Required Signature of Registered Agent

4 Nov 2016

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.817.155, F.S.

Raul Pestana

Required Signature of Incorporator

4 Nov 2016

Date

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

We, the undersigned natural persons of the age of twenty-one years or more, at least two of whom are Raul Pestana and Alberto Paz citizens of the State of Florida, acting as incorporators of a corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Act, do hereby adopt the following Articles for such corporation.

ARTICLE 1

The name of the corporation is: MIAMI SPRINGS Chapter # 159
DAV (Disabled American Veterans), Department of Florida, Incorporated.

ARTICLE 2

The corporation is a non-profit corporation.

ARTICLE 3

The period of its duration is perpetual.

ARTICLE 4

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: to uphold the Constitution and laws of the United States; to realize the true American ideals and aims for which those eligible for membership fought; to advance the interest and work for the betterment of all wounded, gassed, injured and disabled veterans; to cooperate with the Department of Veterans Affairs and all other public and private agencies devoted to the cause of improving and advancing the condition, health and interest of all wounded, gassed, injured and disabled veterans; to stimulate a feeling of mutual devotion, helpfulness and comradeship among all wounded, gassed, injured and disabled veterans; to serve our comrades, our communities and our country; and to encourage in all people that spirit of understanding which will guard against future wars. This corporation is limited to such as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Internal Revenue Section 501(c)(4). This corporation will not as a substantial part of its activities carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation. This 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.

ARTICLE 5

This Corporation recognizes the National Organization known as Disabled American Veterans, incorporated by an Act of Congress and affirms its allegiance and subordination to the said National Organization, its Constitution, Bylaws and all rules, mandates and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto. Upon dissolution of the corporation, the assets remaining after the payment of its debts shall be distributed as provided in Article 6 of the National Bylaws.

ARTICLE 6

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

574 NW 74 AVE, MIAMI, FLORIDA 33126

ARTICLE 7

The name of its original registered agent at such address is:

RAUL PESTANA

ARTICLE 8

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the corporation is - 2, and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are;

President,	Raul Pestana
	574 NW 74 ave
	Miami, florida 33126
VP/Treasurer	Alberto Paz
	3319 SW 5 Street,
	Miami, Florida 33127

The board of directors for this corporation shall be elected annually by the membership of Chapter # 159

Only members of said Chapter are eligible to be elected to serve on the board of directors of this corporation.

ARTICLE 9

The corporation shall consist of every member or any person who shall become a member of Chapter # 159, DAV (Disabled American Veterans), Department of Florida

ARTICLE 10

No part of the net earnings, property or assets of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any private person or any member, officer or director of this corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands, this day of

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF MIAMI DADE

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that on this 30 day of March, 2014
[day] [month] [year]

ALBERTO PAZ P200-000-60-183-0
Alberto Paz Rafael

RAUL POSTERNA
P 235-720-58-38670

(names) personally appeared before me, all being duly sworn by me, declared that they are the persons who signed the foregoing document as incorporators and that the statements therein contained are true. IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the day and year written above.

Notary Public, County of: MIAMI DADE

My Commission Expires: _____



Magaly Mourino

COMMISSION #FF225541
EXPIRES: August 15, 2019
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[Signature]

3/30/2014