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July 5, 2017

Department of State
Division of Corporations
Clifton Building
2661 Executive Center Circle
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

SUBJECT: CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC.

Assumption of Administratively Dissolved Corporate Name

To whom it may concerned,

Please find enclosed under this cover an original and a copy of the article of incorporation together with a check for the filing in the amount of seventy (\$70.00) dollars in compliance with Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.

Note that the name CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. was assumed by another Corporation. However, based on information found on the Department of State Division of Corporation, such a company has been *administratively dissolved* for over nine (9) years.

Therefore, pursuant to § 607.1422 (4) of the Florida Statutes, the name of an administratively dissolved corporation can be assumed by another if the dissolution occurred more than a year, "unless the dissolved corporation provides the Department of State with an affidavit executed as required by §607.0120 permitting the immediate assumption or use of the name by another corporation," which does not seem to apply here.

We further Thank you for your prompt attention and consideration. Kindly contact me at the contact info provided above for any further needed information.

Sincerely,

Celestin Odilan, Director

Encl:

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, ING

A FLORIDA Non-profit Corporation

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

ARTICLE I NAME

1.01 Name

The name of this corporation shall be CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. The business of the corporation may be conducted as CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC.

ARTICLE II DURATION

2.01 Duration

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual or until such time as the Board of Directors shall adopt a resolution recommending that the corporation be dissolved pursuant to the State of Florida Nonprofit Corporation Act.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

3.01 Purpose

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. is a non-profit corporation organized to promote the common good and social welfare in all territories of the world within the meaning of section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding section of any future Federal tax code, including but not limited to: (1) developing and advocating for legislation, regulations, and government programs to improve the living conditions of communities, stimulate the economy environment, protect natural resources, and stimulate the economy and (2) conducting research and publicizing the positions of elect-hopefuls and elected officials concerning these issues.

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. is not organized for profit. The corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office to an extent that would disqualify it from tax exemption under section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code. The corporation shall never be operated for the primary purpose of carrying on a trade or business for profit.

Notwithstanding any provision of these Articles of Incorporation, this corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law).

ARTICLE IV NON-PROFIT NATURE

4.01 Non-profit Nature

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. is organized exclusively to promote the common good and social welfare purposes including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 (c)(3) and/or 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. No part of the net earnings CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. 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 in the purpose clause hereof.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by any organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) and/or 501 (c) (4) of the Internal Revenue Code, corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. is not organized and shall not be operated for the private gain of any person. The property of the corporation is irrevocably dedicated to its common good and social welfare purposes. No part of the assets, receipts, or net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to any individual. The corporation may, however, pay reasonable compensation for services rendered, and make other payments and distributions consistent with these Articles.

4.02 Personal Liability

No officer or director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property or assets of the officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

4.03 Dissolution

Upon termination or dissolution of the CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC., any assets lawfully available for distribution shall be distributed to one (1) or more qualifying organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) and/or 501 (c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or described in any corresponding provision of any successor statute) which organization or organizations have a charitable purpose which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to the terminating or dissolving corporation.

The organization to receive the assets of the CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. hereunder shall be selected by the discretion of a majority of the managing body of the CITEZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. and if its members cannot so agree, then the recipient organization shall be selected pursuant to a verified petition in equity filed in a court of proper jurisdiction against the CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. by one (1) or more of its managing body which verified petition shall contain such statements as reasonably indicate the applicability of this section. The court upon a finding that this section is applicable shall select the qualifying organization or organizations to receive the assets to be distributed, giving preference if practicable to organizations located within the State of FLORIDA.

In the event that the court shall find that this section is applicable but that there is no qualifying organization known to it which has a charitable purpose, which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to this corporation, then the court shall direct the distribution of its assets lawfully available for distribution to the Treasurer of the State of FLORIDA to be added to the general fund.

4.04 Prohibited Distributions

No part of the net earnings or properties of this corporation, on dissolution or otherwise, shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers or other private person or individual, 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 in Article III, Section 3.01.

4.05 Prohibited Activities

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (I) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax as an organization described by Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (II) 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.

ARTICLE V **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

5.01 Governance

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC .shall be governed by its board of directors.

5.02 Initial Directors

The initial directors of the corporation shall be:

NAOMI BLEMUR,

JEAN ALFRED DELVA,

CELESTIN ODILON,

13695 West Dixie Highway 13695 West Dixie Highway

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North Miami, Florida 33161 North Miami, Florida 33161

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FRANCIUS WANCITO,

DANIEL DUME-CHARLES

MARCEL DENIS

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ARTICLE VI **MEMBERSHIP**

6.01 Membership

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. shall have no members. The management of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in a board of directors, as defined in the corporation's bylaws.

ARTICLE VII **AMENDMENTS**

7.01 Amendments

Any amendment to the Articles of Incorporation may be adopted by approval of two-thirds (2/3) of the board of directors.

ARTICLE VIII ADDRESSES OF THE CORPORATION

8.01 Corporate Address

The address of the corporation is:

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. 13695 West Dixie Highway North Miami, FL 33161

The mailing address of the corporation is:

CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. 13695 West Dixie Highway North Miami, FL 33161

ARTICLE IX APPOINTMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

9.01 Registered Agent

The registered agent of the corporation shall be:

CELESTIN ODILON 13695 West Dixie Highway North Miami, FL 33161

ARTICLE X INCORPORATOR

The incorporators of the corporation are as follow:

CELESTIN ODILON and MARCEL DENIS 13695 West Dixie Highway North Miami, FL 33161

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above stated Articles of Incorporation of CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. were approved by the board of directors on June 21, 2017 and constitute a complete copy of Articles of Incorporation of the CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC.

Celestin Odilon

13695 West Dixie Highway

North Miana, FL 33161

Marcel Denis

13695 West Dixie Highway

North Miami, FL 33161

CELESTAN ODILON

MARCEL DENIS

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF CONSENT TO APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

I, Celestin Odilon, agree to be the registered agent for CITIZENS UNITED FOR PROGRESS, INC. as appointed berein.

Celestin Odilon, Registered Agent

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