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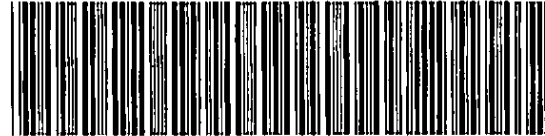
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DEPARATMENT OF STATE  
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS  
P.O. BOX 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

Subject: Auctioneers of Florida Inc.

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a  
check for: (Check one)

- ☒ \$70 Filing fee  
☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED FOR:

- ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy  
☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate

From: Warren K. Trowbridge  
8930 South U.S. Hwy 1  
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952  
772-359-1400  
ktrowbridge@choicesold.com

**Articles of Incorporation**  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, Florida Statutes (Not For Profit)

**Article I: Name**

The name of the corporation shall be: Auctioneers of Florida, Inc

**Article II: Principal Office**

The principal street address and mailing address shall be:

8930 South U.S. Hwy 1  
Port St Lucie, FL 34952

**Article III: Purpose**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is to promote social welfare within the meaning of section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue code, including but not limited to, promoting the common good to all of the general public by creating awareness as to the rights and responsibilities of licensed auctioneers and how they benefit the general public in the State of Florida.

This corporation is not organized for profit and no part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member of the board of directors of any other individual except that this corporation may make payments of reasonable compensation for services rendered.

This 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.

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.

**Article IV: Manner of Election**

Members are not entitled to vote. Officers and/or Directors shall be appointed by Unanimous consent of the President and Vice President. Officers and/or Directors may be removed by Unanimous consent of the President and Vice President.

**Article V: Initial Officers and/or Directors**

Warren K. Trowbridge, President and Director  
Address: 8930 S U.S. HWY 1  
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Mary Jo Thibault, Vice President and Director  
8930 S. U.S. HWY 1  
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Gary Smith, Director  
8930 S. US HWY 1  
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

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Article VI: Registered Agent  
Nathan E Nevins, Esq  
200 SE 13<sup>th</sup> Street  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316


Article VII: Incorporator  
Warren K. Trowbridge  
8930 S US HWY 1  
Port St. Lucie, FL 34952

Article V: Effective Date  
The effective date will be the date of filing

Article VI: Dissolution  
Upon dissolution, all funds/donations will be refunded to members/donators.

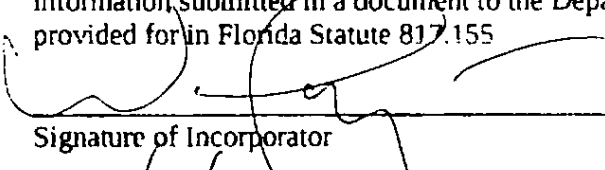
Article VII: Duration  
This corporation shall have a perpetual/indefinite duration.

Having been named as registered agent to accept service for the above stated corporation at the place designated in the certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Registered Agent

7/19/17  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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 Florida Statute 817.155

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Incorporator

7/19/2017  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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