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

SUBJECT:	MARY A. TUMPKIN FOUNDATION, INC.
	(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 Filing Fee	☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	□\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy	S87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate
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Joseph Tumpkin		
Name (Printed or typed)		
8004 NW 154th Street		
Address		
Miami, Florida 33016.		
City, State & Zip		
786-571-4416		
Daytime Telephone number		
jtumpkin93@gmail.com		

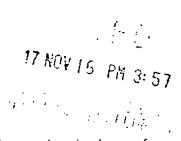
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Of

MARY A. TUMPKIN FOUNDATION, INC.

A NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATION



The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of a not for profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, as set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, as amended, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such Corporation.

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the corporation shall be **Mary A. Tumpkin Foundation**, **Inc.** hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation".

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The address of the principal office is 8004 NW 154th Street, Miami, Florida 33016.

ARTICLE III: DURATION

The period of duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual unless dissolved according to law.

ARTICLE IV: PURPOSE

The Corporation is organized exclusively for religious, charitable, educational and scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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 United States Federal Tax Code.

ARTICLE V: RESTRICTIONS ON ACTIVITIES

No part of the net earnings of the corporation 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 Article IV hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or other-wise 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 of Incorporation, 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.

ARTICLE VI: MEMBERSHIP

The corporation shall be non-membership.

ARTICLE VII: REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The Corporation's registered office shall be located at 8004 NW 154th Street, Miami, Florida 33016 and Joseph Tumpkin is the registered agent of the Corporation at that address.

ARTICLE VIII: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors shall consist of five (5) persons. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by an amendment to the Bylaws; however, there shall never be less than three directors. All directors shall be selected as provided for in the Bylaws. The initial Board of Directors shall consist of the following:

Joseph Tumpkin, President
8004 NW 154th Street
Miami, Florida 33016

Michelle Powell, Vice President 8004 NW 154th Street Miami, Florida 33016

Darnetia Parrott, Treasurer 8004 NW 154th Street Miami, Florida 33016 Jacqui Colyer, Secretary 8004 NW 154th Street Miami, Florida 33016

Alan Nash S 8004 NW 154th Street Miami, Florida 33016

ARTICLE IX: OFFICERS

The officers of the Corporation shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and such other officers as may be provided by the Bylaws.

ARTICLE X: AMENDMENTS

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors by a majority vote of those present; provided that a notice of the intention to submit amendments shall have been given as provided by the bylaws.

ARTICLE XI: CONFLICT OF INTEREST

The Board members of the Foundation shall have a duty to avoid potential or apparent conflicts of interest. To avoid the appearance of impropriety, it is important for Board members to be open and honest with the Board members at all times. All Board members shall receive a copy of the Foundation's Conflict of Interest policy. The policy shall be reviewed once a year and maintained in each member's Board Manual. Each Board members shall disclose Conflict of Interest facts as provided in the Bylaws.:

ARTICLE XII: DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any officer or director of the corporation. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the 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 Corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE XIII: REGISTERED AGENT

The name and address of the initial registered office and the original registered agent address of the Corporation is as follows:

Joseph Tumpkin 8004 NW 154th Street Miami, Florida 33016

ARTICLE XIV: INCORPORATOR

The address and name of the Incorporator of the Corporation is as follows:

Joseph Tumpkin 8004 NW 154th Street Miami, Florida 33016 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Joseph Tumpkin the undersigned incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation, have affixed my signature thereto on September 1, 2017.

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.

Joseph Tumpkin

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 Florida Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155,F.S.

Joseph Tumpkin

Date