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# **COVER LETTER**

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

# SUBJECT: Educational Leadership Institute, 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 S78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status □S78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy

S87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

Betty Adviar-Perez Name (Printed or typed) FROM: \_\_\_\_\_

10040 Martinique Drive Addoss

Cutler Bay, FL 33187 City State & Zip

> (305) 798 8075 Daviane Telephone number

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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### EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE, INC.

The undersigned incorporator, who is individual 18 years of age or older, a citizen of the United States and pursuant to the nonprofit corporation laws of this state, hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation is: EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE, INC. (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation"), a Florida corporation not for profit.

# ARTICLE II. REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The name and physical address of the registered office for this corporation is at:

Rachel Fabricant Fabricant & Company, PA 100 SE 2nd Street Suite 2311 Miami, FL 33131

# ARTICLE III. INCORPORATION

The name and physical address of the incorporator of this corporation is: Betty Aguiar-Perez 10040 Martinique Drive Cutler Bay, FL 33189

# ARTICLE IV. DURATION

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This corporation shall have perpetual existence unless terminated sooner in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE V. PURPOSE

This corporation is intended to be a not for profit organization. It is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, and community related 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.

The specific purpose of this corporation is:

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- (a) To provide enriching, skill-advancing resources in educational programming for families and their children in response to arising multi-faceted community needs;
- (b) Collaborate with other community agencies, institutions and foundations to bring organizational changes to early childhood and school age (birth through 5<sup>th</sup> grade) community initiatives;
- (c) To work alongside community partners to provide and improve the leadership quality and maximize the educational learning experiences for community directors and early childhood educators;
- (d) Strategize with private and public institutional entities to create and implement ongoing educational programs to further support the overall development of young children;
- (e) Actively seek local, state, and federal public grants and private funding to administer programs to further support the purposes of the Corporation.
- (f) Obtain private and public funding to provide quality educational programming to foster continued growth and development in the early childhood arena.

# ARTICLE VI. INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of directors, and the method of selecting directors, shall be fixed by the Bylaws of this corporation. The names and addresses of these initial Board of Directors are as follows:

| <u>Name</u><br>Betty Aguiar-Perez | <u>Address</u><br>10040 Martinique Drive<br>Cutler Bay, FL 33189 |                |
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| Belkis Torres                     | 10040 Martinique Drive<br>Cutler Bay, FL 33189                   | 2020 JUL       |
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| Marisol Slaton                    | 10040 Martinique Drive<br>Cutler Bay, FL 33189                   | L1; +          |

# ARTICLE VII. MEMBERS

The classes, rights, privileges, qualifications, and obligations of members of this corporation are determined by the bylaws of this corporation.

#### ARTICLE VIII.

The effective start date for this not for profit corporation shall be July 16, 2020.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being Incorporator of EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE, INC. has made, subscribed and acknowledged these Articles of Incorporation on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020, for the purpose of forming this Corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

Betty Agriar-Perez Deorporator

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# Acceptance of Appointment As Registered Agent

Having been designed as a registered agent for Educational Leadership Institute, Inc. in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, I, on behalf of Educational Leadership Institute, Inc., a Florida not for profit corporation, hereby agree to accept service of process for said corporation and to comply with all the statutes relative to the complete and proposer performances of the duties of a registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of that position.

Rachel Fabricant, Registered Agent

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