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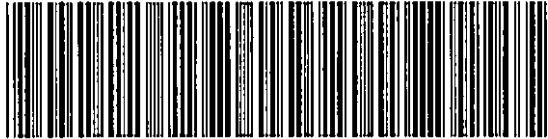
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Department of State  
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P. O. Box 6327  
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**SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL NETWORK OF MATH CIRCLES AND FESTIVALS, INC.**  
**(CYFEMAT, Inc.)**  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

## ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the CORPORATION shall be:

CYFEMAT, INC.

## ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal street address:

13116 NW County Road 235  
Alachua, Florida 32615

Mailing address, if different is:

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## ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the CORPORATION is organized is:

To advance mathematical and scientific knowledge in K-12 students and teachers by promoting educational events—math circles and festivals—that are meaningful and enjoyable for participants. These events will help students develop positive experiences with mathematics and stimulate early vocations for science.

We also aim at making these services accessible to the underserved and marginalized, such as girls as well as students from impoverished and immigrant communities.

Our mission is to organize, promote, disseminate, and develop math circles and festivals both in the United States of America and around the world. We plan to accomplish this by:

1. Creating and maintaining a network of math circles with branches in different U.S. cities and in other countries.
2. Training those interested in organizing math circles and festivals.
3. Collaborating with institutional representatives to sponsor and host math circles and festivals.
4. Cooperating with regional conference coordinators to organize math festivals as part of their events.
5. Producing teaching resources and strategies that can be used in math circles and festivals with people of different ages.

## ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:

The election and appointment of directors and officers of the Corporation will be done according to the guidelines set forth in the By-laws of CYFEMAT, the CORPORATION.

## ARTICLE V MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Any action which would otherwise, under law or the provisions of the Articles of the Incorporation or Bylaws of the CORPORATION, require approval by members of any number or proportion, shall be satisfied by the approval of a corresponding number or proportion of the Board of Directors.

Furthermore, all rights, which would otherwise vest in the members under law, the Articles of Incorporation or the Bylaws of the Corporation, shall vest in the Board of Directors of the CYFEMAT.

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#### **ARTICLE VI LIMITATIONS OF CORPORATE POWERS**

(a) No part of the net earnings of the CORPORATION shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to its board members, trustees, officers, or any 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 this Articles of Incorporation.

(b) No part of the activities of the CORPORATION shall be the carrying of propaganda, or otherwise 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 any candidate for public office.

(c) This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (2) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

#### **ARTICLE VII DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION**

(a) Restatement of Purpose. This corporation has the educational purpose of benefitting children up to and including high school. As such the corporation will not charge fees to students benefitting from its services (Math Circles and Festivals). CYFEMAT is then a corporation organized exclusively for charitable and educational 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

(b) Dissolution of the Corporation. Upon 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the Federal government, or to a State or local government, for charitable purposes.

#### **ARTICLE VIII INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS**

The Initial Board of Directors are:

Name and Title: Dr. Hector Rosario  
Address: 13116 NW CR 235  
Alachua, FL 32615

Name and Title: Ernest G. Monterrosa, MBA  
Address: 13580 NW 136th Drive  
Alachua, FL 32615

Name and Title: Dr. Greisy Winicki-Landman  
Address: California State Polytechnic University  
3801 W. Temple Avenue  
Pomona, CA 91768

Name and Title: Dr. Jonathan D. Farley  
Address: Morgan State University  
1700 E. Cold Spring Lane  
Baltimore, MD 21251

Name and Title: Dr. Robert M. Klein  
1 Ohio University  
Athens, OH 45701

**ARTICLE IX REGISTERED AGENT**

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

Name: HECTOR ROSARIO, PhD.  
Address: 13116 NW County Road 235, Alachua, Florida 32615

**ARTICLE X INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: Ernest Gonzalez Monterrosa, MBA  
Address: 13580 NW 136th Drive, Alachua, FL 32615-6210

**ARTICLE XI EFFECTIVE DATE**

if other than the date of filing: \_\_\_\_\_ (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.

*Hector Rosario*

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Required Signature of Registered Agent

08 / 02 / 2021  
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.

*Ernest G. Monterrosa*

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Required Signature of Incorporator

08 / 02 / 2021  
Date