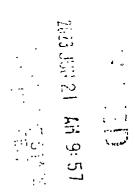
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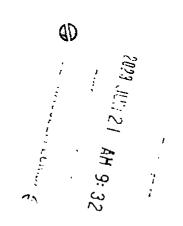
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Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of

National Society of Scholar Athletes

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(Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State) N23000000624 (Document Number of Corporation (if known) Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this Florida Not For Profit Corporation adopts the fol amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation: A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation: 7) name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or "Company" or "Co," may not be used in the name.	ie new
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C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable: (Mailing address MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX)	
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D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered office address in Florida, enter the name of the	
new registered agent and/or the new registered office address.	
Name of New Registered Agent: St. Francis Smith	
2456 Misty Cove Cir	
(Florida street address)	
New Registered Office Address:	
Apopka, Florida =====, Florida	
(City) (Zip Code)	
New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registered Agent: I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of the position. Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing	

If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added:

(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

Please note the officer/director title by the first letter of the office title:

P = President; V = Vice President; T = Treasurer; S = Secretary; D = Director; TR = Trustee; C = Chairman or Clerk; CEO = ChiefExecutive Officer; CFO = Chief Financial Officer. If an officer/director holds more than one title, list the first letter of each office held, President, Treasurer, Director would be PTD.

Changes should be noted in the following manner. Currently John Doe is listed as the PST and Mike Jones is listed as the V. There is a change, Mike Jones leaves the corporation, Sally Smith is named the V and S. These should be noted as John Doe, PT as a Change, Mike Jones, V as Remove, and Sally Smith, SV as an Add.

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There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.
Dated May 5, 2023
Signature (By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator – if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)
St. Francis Smith
(Typed or printed name of person signing)
Presi d ent
(Title of person signing)

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION - CC - - -

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NATIONAL SOCIETY OF SCHOLAR ATHLETES M 9: 57

<u> ARTICLE I - NAME</u>

The name of the corporation is NATIONAL SOCIETY OF SCHOLAR ATHLETES

ARTICLE II - CORPORATE ADDRESS

The physical address of the corporation shall be 1631 Rock Springs Road Suite 371.

Orange County, Florida 32712. The mailing address of the corporation shall be 1631 Rock Springs Road Suite 371, Orange County, Florida 32712.

ARTICLE III - CORPORATE NATURE

This is a nonprofit corporation, organized solely for charitable purposes pursuant to the Florida Corporations Not for Profit set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE IV - DURATION

The term of existence of the corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE V - GENERAL AND SPECIFIC PURPOSES

This program is a college preparatory community society (co-ed fraternity) program. The specific and primary purpose for this corporation is to assist 9th through 12th grade student athletes become academically eligible to receive athletic scholarships in accordance (IAW) with the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) standards. Student athletes will be provided educational support, direction, mentorship and leadership to ensure they maintain a grade point average (GPA) that affords them the opportunity to qualify for an athletic scholarship. Executive Committees will be established in each of the participating schools to ensure that the goals and objectives of

the program are met. Student-led Councils will be established to ensure active involvement of student athletes that qualify for membership; i.e., 1) 9th and 10th grade student athletes actively participating in an athletic program IAW the Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA) or state equivalent school athletic program, and 2) 11th and 12th grade student athletes with a current 3.5 GPA in core academic courses and actively participating in a State athletic program IAW FHSAA or state equivalent school athletic program. This program is designed to qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, or under any corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, covering the distribution of organizations qualified as tax exempt organizations under the Internal Revenue Code, including private foundations and private operating foundations. The corporation shall be noncommercial, nonsectarian, and nonpartisan within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, or under any corresponding provision of subsequent tax laws.

ARTICLE VI - MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a Board of Directors. The number of Directors of the corporation shall be no less than three (3) nor more than five (5), provided, however, that such a number may be changed by a bylaw duly adopted by a majority of the Board of Directors.

The Directors named herein as the first Board of Directors shall hold office until the first meeting of members at which time an election of Directors shall be held.

NAME

<u>ADDRESS</u>

President St. Francis Smith 1631 Rock Springs Rd. PMB 371 Apopka, FL 32712

Vice President Chandler J. Smith 1631 Rock Springs Rd. PMB 371 Apopka. FL 32712

Secretary
Danvelle Sue Smith

1631 Rock Springs Rd. PMB 371 Apopka, FL 32712

ARTICLE VII - EARNINGS & ACTIVITIES OF CORPORATION

(a) No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members. Directors, 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 V hereof.

(b) No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on 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) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, (or the corresponding provision of any which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).
- (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, 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 VIII - DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION

Upon dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all the assets of the corporation, exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as such Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE IX - MEMBERSHIP

The corporation shall have no capital stock and shall be composed of Members rather than shareholders. The membership of the corporation shall consist of the individuals serving as members of the Board of Directors, and their successors in office.

ARTICLE X - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator of this corporation is as follows:

NAME <u>ADDRESS</u>

St. Francis Smith

1631 Rock Springs Rd PMB 371

Apopka, FL 32712

ARTICLE XI - AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS

Subject to the limitations contained in the Bylaws, and any limitations set forth in the Corporations Not For Profit law of the State of Florida, concerning corporate action that must be authorized or approved by the members of the corporation. Bylaws of this corporation may be made, altered, rescinded, added to, or new Bylaws may be adopted, either by a resolution of the Board of Directors, or by following the procedure set forth therefore in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE XII - DEDICATION OF ASSETS

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes, and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof, or to the benefit of any private individual.

ARTICLE XIII - REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent are:

NAME

ADDRESS

St. Francis Smith

2456 Misty Cove Cir Apopka, FL 32712

ARTICLE XIV - INDEMNIFICATION

The corporation shall indemnify any officer or director, or any former officer or director, to the full extent permitted by law.

ARTICLE XV - AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors and presented to a quorum of members for their vote.

I the undersigned, being the subscriber and incorporator of this corporation, for the purpose of forming this nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida,

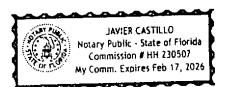
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have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 9 day of May 2023.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE LALE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared ST. FRANCIS SMITH, who produced identification and who did take an oath and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and he acknowledged to and before me that he executed such instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEROF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this _____ day of May 2023.



NOTARY PUBLIC

Notary Public Printed Name

ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate. I hereby accept to act in this capacity, and agree to comply with the provisions of said act relating to keeping open said office.

St. Francis Smith

Date

Mission Statement

Developing scholar athletes by providing educational support, direction, mentorship, and leadership to ensure the opportunity to participate in athletics at the collegiate level.

Motto

Defectum Non Est Optio.

"Failure is not an option."



CJ Smith #18, WR UGA Mount Dora HS grad '22

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