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LA FONDATION JOSEPH, INC.**

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

LA FONDATION JOSEPH, INC.

(A Not-for-Profit)

Pursuant to Section 617.0202 Florida Statutes, the undersigned subscriber(s) is desirous of forming a not-for-profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, and hereby petition the Secretary of State for approval of such incorporation under the following proposed Certificate of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of the corporation is LA FONDATION JOSEPH, INC., a not-profit organization.

ARTICLE II

PLACE OF BUSINESS

The principal place of business is 31 S.E. 5th Street, #2605, Miami, Florida 33131 and mailing address of the corporation is 31 S.E. 5th Street, #2605, Miami, Florida 33131 as deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors/Trustees.

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### ARTICLE III

#### PURPOSE

The corporation is organized exclusively for the purpose of promotion of charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes including for such purposes the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 212.03(7) and within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future Federal tax code.

### ARTICLE IV

#### PERMITTED ACTIVITIES

Notwithstanding, any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal Income Tax, under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

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### ARTICLE V

#### ELECTION OF DIRECTORS/TRUSTEES

The method of election or appointment of the directors or trustees, and the manner of their admission, are provided for in the bylaws of LA FONDATION JOSEPH, INC.

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#### ARTICLE VI

##### DURATION AND BEGINNING OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE

The corporation shall exist perpetually. The Corporate existence shall commence as of filing of the Articles of Incorporation with the Secretary of State.

#### ARTICLE VII

##### INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Directors/Trustees of the Corporation shall be elected or removed in accordance with the procedures provided for in the bylaws. The number of directors/trustees may be increased or decreased from time to time, in the manner provided in the bylaws of LA FONDATION JOSEPH, INC. The numbers constituting the initial Board of Directors of the company is 6 (six) and the names and address of these persons who are to serve initially are as follows:

MARIE F TEMBA

31 S.E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, #2605

Miami, FL 33131

MYRIAM JOSEPH

31 S.E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, #2605

Miami, FL 33131

ANTONIO JOSEPH Jr.

31 S.E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, #2605

Miami, FL 33131

YVES JOSEPH

7958 Pines Blvd., Unit 216,

Pembroke Pines, FL 33024

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ROSAIRE JEAN EMMANUEL JOSEPH 31 S.E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, #2605  
Miami, FL 33131  
MARIE F. LUDNY FLORES 31 S.E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, #2605  
Miami, FL 33131

#### ARTICLE VIII

##### DEDICATION OF ASSETS

Upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the corporation, shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for educational and cultural purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

#### ARTICLE IX

##### DISTRIBUTION OF EARNINGS

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, 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 Section 501(c)(3) purposes. No substantial part of the activities of the

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corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office

#### ARTICLE X

##### REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to Sections 617.0501 and 617.0505, Florida Statutes, LA FONDATION JOSEPH, INC., has designated YVES JOSEPH the initial Registered Agent of this corporation and the street address of the initial Registered Agent is 7958 Pines Blvd., Unit 216, Pembroke Pines, FL 33024 the principal place of business of the corporation in the State of Florida is located at 31 S.E. 5th Street, #2605, Miami, Florida 33131.

#### ARTICLE XI

##### SHARES

This corporation is organized under a non-stock basis.

#### ARTICLE XII

##### INCORPORATORS

The names and address of the incorporator of these articles of Incorporation is YVES JOSEPH of 7958 Pines Blvd., Unit 216, Pembroke Pines, FL 33024

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**ARTICLE XIII**

**BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal by-laws, shall be vested to the Board of Directors or Trustees. This article of incorporation does not set forth any of the corporate powers enumerated in Section 617 Florida Statutes.

**ARTICLE XIV**

**EXECUTION**

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any prior provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or an amendment thereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator **YVES JOSEPH** has executed these Articles of Incorporation, this \_\_\_\_\_, 2023, pursuant to Section 617.01201(6) (b) of the Florida Statutes.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
YVES JOSEPH (Incorporator)

For **LA FONDATION JOSEPH, INC.**

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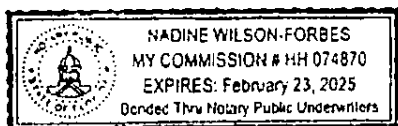
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STATE OF FLORIDA;

COUNTY OF DADE;

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgement in the State and County set forth above, personally appeared **YVES JOSEPH** Registered Agent known to me and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Article of Incorporation, and he/she acknowledged before me that he/she executed these Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal in the State and County aforesaid this 21 day of April 2023.



*Nadine Wilson-Forbes*  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
State of Florida at Large

My Commission Expires:

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**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND PLACE OF BUSINESS OR  
DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, AND ACCEPTANCE  
OF AGENT UPON WHO PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.**

In compliance with Section 607 Florida Statutes the following is  
submitted:

FIRST that **LA FONDATION JOSEPH, INC.** desires to organize or qualify  
under the laws of the State of Florida with its principal place of  
business at 31 S.E. 5th Street, #2605, Miami, Florida 33131. **LA  
FONDATION JOSEPH, INC.** has named **YVES JOSEPH** of 7958 Pines Blvd.,  
Unit 216, Pembroke Pines, FL 33024. as its Registered Agent to accept  
service of process within the State of Florida.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated  
corporation, at place designated in this Certificate, I hereby  
agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with  
the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper performance  
of my duties.

Dated this 27 day of April, 2023

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

**YVES JOSEPH**  
Registered Agent

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