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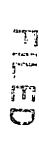
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June 5, 2023

Department of State Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314 UN 27 AM 9: ETARY OF ST

SUBJECT: FORCE FORWARD, INC.

Dear Department of State/Division of Corporations,

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

• \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate

FROM:

Gregory J. Toussaint

990 NE 125th Street, Suite 200 North Miami, Florida 33161

(305) 767-9073

gregorytoussaint@gmail.com

NOTE:

Enclosed is the original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

FORCE FORWARD, INC.

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF FORCE FORWARD, INC.

TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF FLORIDA:

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 617.0202. Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

The name of this Corporation shall be FORCE FORWARD, INC.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of the Corporation is as follows:

990 Northeast 125th Street. Suite 200 North Miami, Florida 33161

The mailing address is as follows:

990 Northeast 125th Street, Suite 200 North Miami, Florida 33161

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

A. The purpose for which the Corporation is organized is to promote social welfare within the meaning of section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code to include but not limited to: (1) promoting the common good and general welfare of the community, (2) developing and advocating for legislation, regulations and government programs and (3) conducting research about and publicizing the positions of elected officials concerning issues that are in furtherance

of the Corporation's tax-exempt purposes.

- B. This Corporation is organized and operated exclusively for social welfare purposes, including but not limited to, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations within the meaning of Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, (the "Code") or any future federal tax code.
- C. The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.
- D. The Corporation shall not have capital stock.
- E. The Corporation shall have only one (1) class of membership, the Board of Directors members, which shall be voting members. The affairs of and management of the Corporation are reserved in the Board of Directors whose members shall have a fiduciary obligation to the Corporation.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The initial Board of Directors shall be appointed by the President or as otherwise stated in the Bylaws. The Board of Directors shall consist of not less than three (3) persons. The number of Directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by approval of the Board. Directors of the Corporation shall be appointed by the President at the annual meeting of Directors and shall serve until the succeeding annual meeting and/or until their successors have been qualified and appointed.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS

The initial Board of Directors shall be three (3) in number, their names and addresses being as follows:

NAME

<u>ADDRESS</u>

Gregory J. Toussaint 990 NE 125th Street, Ste. 200, North Miami, FL 33161

Patricia Toussaint 990 NE 125th Street, Ste. 200, North Miami, FL 33161

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ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

A. The name and address of the Florida Registered Agent and the registered office of the

Corporation are:

Registered Agent: Gregory J. Toussaint

Registered Office: 990 NE 125th Street, Suite 200

City, State, Zip Code. County: North Miami, Florida 33161, Miami-Dade Co

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Name: Gregory J. Toussaint

Address: 990 NE 125th Street, Suite 200, North Miami, Florida 33161

ARTICLE VIII EFFECTIVE DATE

The Effective Date for the Articles of Incorporation is the date of filing.

ARTICLE IX OTHER PROVISIONS

- A. The Corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office to an extent that would disqualify it from tax-exemption under section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Corporation shall never be operated for the primary purpose of carrying on a trade or business.
- B. Notwithstanding any provision of these Articles of Incorporation, this Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law).
- C. The property of the Corporation is dedicated to the promotion of social welfare. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of its directors, officers, or to any other individual, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to be resonable compensation for services rendered, and to make payments in the furtherance of the corporation.
- D. Upon the winding up and dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or adequately providing for all the debts, obligations, and liabilities of the Corporation, distribute the remaining assets of the Corporation exclusively for the nonprofit purposes of the Corporation to an organization which is organized and operated exclusively for nonprofit purposes and which is tax exempt under Section 501(c)(4) of the Code, or shall distribute the remaining assets of the Corporation to such other organization or organizations which are organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which are tax exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, as the Board of Directors in its sole discretion shall determine.
- E. In furtherance of its nonprofit tax-exempt purposes, the Corporation shall have the following powers and authority:
 - (a) To do all acts, perform all functions, and carry on all activities permitted by the nonprofit corporation laws of the State of Florida or of any other State in which the Corporation is

qualified to act.

(b) To have and exercise all powers and rights enjoyed by corporations generally in the State of Florida, and in any State in which the Corporation is qualified to act, as long as the exercise of such powers is not specifically prohibited for nonprofit corporations.

- (c) To use all media, whether now known or hereafter discovered, including, but not limited to, internet, print, television, satellite, and radio.
- (d) To exercise such incidental powers as may reasonably be necessary to carry out the purposes for which the Corporation is established, provided that such incidental powers shall be exercised in a manner consistent with its tax-exempt status as set forth in Section 501(c)(4) of the Code.

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.

Signature/Registered Agent/Gregory J. Toussaint 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.

10/17/23 OC/17/23

Signature/Incorporator/Gregory J. Toussaint Date