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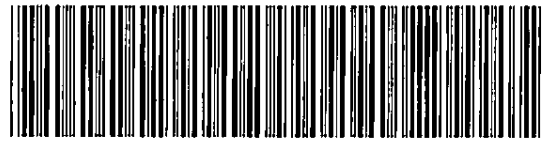
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TO: Amendment Section  
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NAME OF CORPORATION: REGION 6 COUNCIL FOR DIASPORA AFFAIRS, INC.

DOCUMENT NUMBER: N23000010519

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

SHERLYN SELASSIE

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(Name of Contact Person)

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Articles of Amendment  
to  
Articles of Incorporation  
of

REGION 6 COUNCIL FOR DIASPORA AFFAIRS, INC

(Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

N23000010519

(Document Number of Corporation (if known))

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this *Florida Not For Profit Corporation* adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation:

*The new name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or "Inc." "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name.*

B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable:  
(Principal office address MUST BE A STREET ADDRESS)

19046 BRUCE B. DOWNS BLVD #1316

TAMPA, FL 33647

C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable:  
(Mailing address MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX)

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:

New Registered Office Address:

(Florida street address)

(City)

Florida

(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

(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

*P = President; V = Vice President; T = Treasurer; S = Secretary; D = Director; TR = Trustee; C = Chairman or Clerk; CEO = Chief Executive 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.*

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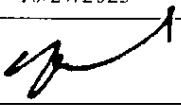
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- ☐ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.

Dated 10/27/2023

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)

Kharis Copeland

(Typed or printed name of person signing)

President

(Title of person signing)

**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT**  
**OF**  
**REGION 6 COUNCIL FOR DIASPORA AFFAIRS, INC.**

**A Florida Nonprofit Corporation**

Pursuant to Florida Statute § 617.1006, we, the undersigned, hereby amend the September 1, 2023 Articles of Incorporation of REGION 6 COUNCIL FOR DIASPORA AFFAIRS, INC., a Florida nonprofit corporation (the "Corporation"), as follows:

**ARTICLE I: NAME**

The name of the Corporation is REGION 6 COUNCIL FOR DIASPORA AFFAIRS, INC., and remains unchanged.

**ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE** The principal office of the corporation is AMENDED as follows.

The principal office of the Corporation shall be located at:

19046 BRUCE B. DOWNS BLVD #1316  
TAMPA, FL 33647

**ARTICLE III: PURPOSE**

The purpose of the Corporation shall remain unchanged as stated in the original Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE IV: METHOD OF ELECTION**

Pursuant to the April 5, 2023 Articles of Incorporation, the Directors shall be elected or appointed according to the method outlined in the corporation's bylaws.

**ARTICLE V: OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS** These Articles of Amendment reflect an AMENDMENT to the Officers and Directors. The officers of the Corporation shall be as follows:

Kharis Copeland. President/CEO

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TAMPA, FL 33647

Winston Bando, Treasurer

19046 BRUCE B. DOWNS BLVD #1316  
TAMPA, FL 33647

Michael Akins, Secretary

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#### **ARTICLE VI: REGISTERED AGENT**

The registered agent of the Corporation shall remain unchanged as stated in the September 1, 2023 Articles of Incorporation.

#### **ARTICLE VII: AMENDMENTS**

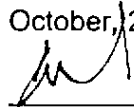
This Amendment was approved by a majority vote of the Board of Trustees at the October 24, 2013 meeting of the Board of Trustees. This vote was sufficient for the amendments made herein.


These Amended Articles of Incorporation amend and restate the September 1, 2023 Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation and have been duly adopted in accordance with the provisions of the Florida Statutes Chapter 617..

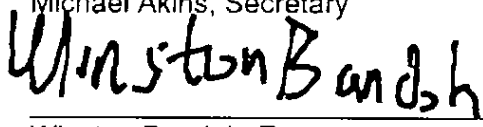
#### **ARTICLE VIII: EFFECTIVE DATE**

These Amended Articles of Amendment shall be effective upon filing with the Florida Department of State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have executed these Articles of Amendment on this 25th day of October, 2023.

  
Kharis Copeland, President/CEO

  
Michael Akins, Secretary

  
Winston Bando, Treasurer