

# **Electronic Articles of Incorporation For**

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FERDE GROFE MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida not-for-profit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

## **Article I**

The name of the corporation is:

FERDE GROFE MUSIC FOUNDATION, INC.

## **Article II**

The principal place of business address:

2210 FIRESTONE WAY  
LAKELAND, FL. UN 33810

The mailing address of the corporation is:

2210 FIRESTONE WAY  
LAKELAND, FL. US 33810

## **Article III**

The specific purpose for which this corporation is organized is:

THE FERDE GROFA MUSIC FOUNDATION IS DEDICATED TO PRESERVING  
AND PROMOTING THE MUSICAL LEGACY OF FERDE GROFA, THROUGH  
EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS, GRANTS, AND ARCHIVAL INITIATIVES.

## **Article IV**

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is:

AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE BYLAWS.

## **Article V**

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

ALAN GROFE  
2210 FIRESTONE WAY  
LAKELAND, FL. 33810

I certify that I am familiar with and accept the responsibilities of  
registered agent.

Registered Agent Signature: ALAN GROFE

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## Article VI

The name and address of the incorporator is:

ALAN GROFE  
2210 FIRESTONE WAY  
  
LAKELAND, FL 33810

Electronic Signature of Incorporator: ALAN GROFE

I am the incorporator submitting these Articles of Incorporation and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that 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. I understand the requirement to file an annual report between January 1st and May 1st in the calendar year following formation of this corporation and every year thereafter to maintain "active" status.

## Article VII

The initial officer(s) and/or director(s) of the corporation is/are:

Title: PTD  
ALAN GROFE  
2210 FIRESTONE WAY  
LAKELAND, FL. 33810 US

Title: SD  
PAIGE CARRILLO  
4018 EAGLES NEST DR  
VALRICO, FL. 33596 US

Title: D  
KARIM SYLLA  
3 SYKES STREET  
GAITHERSBURG, MD. 20877 US

Title: D  
RAYMOND HOUSEKNECHT  
190 E ORANGE AVE  
DEFUNIAK SPRINGS, FL. 32435 US

Title: D  
DAVID LITTON  
13297 PARK WEST BLVD  
VICKSBURG, MI. 49097 US