

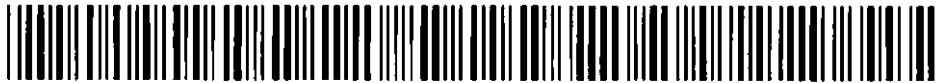
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
2327 SPORTS FOUNDATION, INC.**

These Articles of Incorporation are hereby made and acknowledged by the undersigned incorporator for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act (Chapter 617, Florida Statutes) (the "Act").

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this corporation (the "Corporation") is 2327 SPORTS FOUNDATION, INC.

ARTICLE II

Principal Office and Mailing Address

The street address of the initial principal office and the mailing address of the Corporation is 714 John Anderson Drive, Ormond Beach, Florida 32176.

ARTICLE III

Registered Office and Registered Agent

The street address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 714 John Anderson Drive, Ormond Beach, Florida 32176, and the initial registered agent of the Corporation at such office is Robert Rikeman.

ARTICLE IV

Incorporator

The name and street address of the undersigned incorporator is as follows:

Robert Rikeman, Jr.
714 John Anderson Drive
Ormond Beach, Florida 32176

ARTICLE V

Purposes

The Corporation is organized as a corporation not for profit under the Act exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (as further amended, and any corresponding provisions of any similar law subsequently enacted, the "Code"), (i) to provide access to youth and high school baseball and college scholarships to underprivileged families and (ii) for such other purposes permitted by the Act and Section 501(c)(3) of the Code as may be determined by the Board of Directors from time to time.

ARTICLE VI

Board of Directors

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a board of directors (the "Board of Directors"), which shall include at least three (3) directors. The bylaws of the Corporation (the "Bylaws") shall provide (i)

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the number of directors constituting the Board of Directors, (ii) the manner in which directors are to be appointed or elected, (iii) the manner in which vacancies in director positions are to be filled, and (iv) the manner in which directors may be removed from office.

The names and addresses of the individuals who are to serve as the initial directors of the Corporation are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Robert Rikeman, Jr.	714 John Anderson Drive Ormond Beach, Florida 32176
Toby Z. Rice	139 Papp Road Canonsburg, PA 15317
Steven Richard Castino	1611 Hillcrest Ave. Winter Park, FL 32789

ARTICLE VII
Bylaws

The initial Bylaws shall be adopted by the Board of Directors. The power to alter, amend, or repeal the Bylaws or adopt new Bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors, except as otherwise provided in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE VIII
Amendment of Articles of Incorporation

The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute, and all rights conferred upon the Board of Directors herein are subject to this reservation.

ARTICLE IX
Prohibited Activities

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, the directors or officers of the Corporation, or to any other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to: (i) pay reasonable compensation for services rendered to the Corporation, and (ii) make payments and distributions to persons who are qualified to receive the same in furtherance of the Corporation's purposes as set forth herein.

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.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code and a corporation not for profit under the Act.

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ARTICLE X
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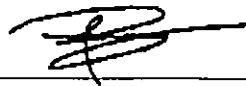
The Corporation shall have perpetual existence, commencing with the filing of these Articles of Incorporation with the Florida Department of State.

ARTICLE XI
Dissolution

In the event of the 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 of the assets of the Corporation by transferring such assets to one or more other organizations exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or to a federal, state, or local government for a public purpose, as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes, or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation for the uses and purposes therein stated.

DATED: September 6, 2024



Robert Rikeman, Jr., Incorporator

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CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE

The undersigned, Robert Rikeman, having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the Corporation at the registered office designated above, hereby agrees and consents to act in that capacity. The undersigned is familiar with and accepts the duties and obligations of such position.

DATED: September 6, 2024



Robert Rikeman, Jr., Registered Agent

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