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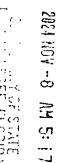
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF ASIAN AMERICAN STORE OWNERS ASSOCIATION OF FL, INC.

The undersigned hereby makes, subscribes, acknowledges, and files with the Secretary of State of the State of Florida these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I Name

The name of this corporation shall be **ASIAN AMERICAN STORE OWNERS ASSOCIATION OF FL, INC.** (the "Corporation").

ARTICLE II Term of Existence and Fiscal Year

The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE III Nature of Business

The Corporation is formed for all purposes permitted by law, with a primary focus on supporting, educating, and advancing the interests of retail store owners. Our mission includes promoting a thriving retail marketplace, protecting the mutual interests of our members in their relationships with each other and the public, and upholding the livelihood of our members. Additionally, we advocate for industry policies and regulations that align with and benefit our members' needs.

ARTICLE IV Powers

This Corporation shall have all powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida on Not for Profit corporations.

ARTICLE V Capital Stock

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of; or be distributed to, its members, Board of Directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the Corporation is authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered. The Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(6). Upon dissolution, the Corporation's assets remaining after payment of debts and liabilities shall be distributed exclusively for purposes within the intent of I.R.C. § 501(c)(3) or (6).

ARTICLE VI Initial Registered Office and Agent

The address of the initial registered office is 577 Barnes Blvd Suite 650, Rockledge, Florida 32955, and the name of its initial registered agent at that address is Vipulkumar Patel.

ARTICLE VII Principal Place of Business

The principal place of business of the Corporation shall be is 577 Barnes Blvd Suite 650, Rockledge, Florida 32955 and the mailing address shall be is 577 Barnes Blvd Suite 650, Rockledge, Florida 32955. The Board of Directors may determine and fix other places of business from time to time.

ARTICLE VIII Directors

The business of the Corporation shall be transacted by the Board of Directors consisting of not less than three (3) and no more than eleven (11) directors. Directors shall be elected by the members in accordance with the Bylaws of the Corporation. The initial Board of Directors consists of the following three (3) members:

<u>Name</u> 1. Vipulkumar Patel	<u>Title</u> Director, President	Address 577 Barnes Blvd Suite 650 Rockledge, FL 32955	
2. Jaymit Patel	Director, V.P.	577 Barnes Blvd Suite 650 Rockledge, FL 32955	
3. Bakul Patel	Director, Secretary	577 Barnes Blvd Suite:650 Rockledge, FL 32955	
	ARTICLE IX Bylaws		
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(b) The Bylaws shall govern the Corporation and may contain any provisions or requirements for the management or conduct of the Corporation's affairs and business, provided they are not inconsistent with the laws of Florida or the United States.

unanimous vote of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X Amendment

These Articles of Incorporation may be altered, amended, or otherwise modified at any time by a unanimous vote of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XI Incorporator

The name and post office address of the incorporator of this corporation is Vipulkumar Patel, 577 Barnes Blvd Suite 650, Rockledge, FL 32955

ARTICLE XII Indemnification

The Corporation shall indemnify any present or former officer or director, or person exercising the powers and duties of a director, to the full extent now or hereafter permitted by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these articles of incorporation on October 18, 2024.

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Certificate of Designation of Registered Agent For Florida Non-Profit Corporation

Under the provisions of the Act, the Company submits the following statement to designate a registered office and registered agent in the state of Florida.

The name of the Corporation is:

ASIAN AMERICAN STORE OWNERS ASSOCIATION OF FL, INC.

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

Vipulkumar Patel 577 Barnes Blvd Suite 650 Rockledge, FL 32955

Having been named as the registered agent to accept service of process for the abovestated non-profit corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my positions as registered agent.

> Vipulkumar Patel Registered Agent of Asian American Store Owners

Association of FL Inc.