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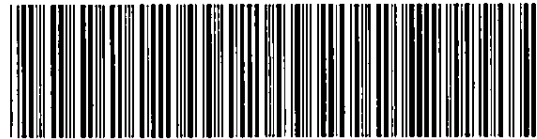
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1. VALUTEACHERS FOUNDATION.

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF  
A NONPROFIT CORPORATION  
VALUTEACHERS FOUNDATION INC.**

**ARTICLE I. Name**

The name of the Corporation is ValuTeachers Foundation Inc.

**ARTICLE II. Principal Office**

The principal office of the Corporation for the business:

380 Town Plaza Ave., Suite 440  
Point Vendra, Florida, United States 32081

The mailing address of the Corporation for the business:

380 Town Plaza Ave., Suite 440  
Point Vendra, Florida, United States 32081

**ARTICLE III. Term of Existence**

This Corporation shall exist perpetually.

**ARTICLE IV. Purposes**

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

- (a) Charitable and educational purposes which include, but are not limited to, the provision of assistance to members of school systems impacted by natural disasters and other economic challenges.
- (b) Exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"), or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- (c) No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in this article.
- (d) 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

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shall not participate in, or intervene (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not to be permitted by an exempt Corporation from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, or corresponding section of any future code, or by (a) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code, or corresponding section of any section of any future federal tax code.

#### **ARTICLE V. Manner of Election**

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is as provided for in the Bylaws.

#### **ARTICLE VI. Initial Officers and/or Directors**

- (a) The affairs of the Corporation are to be managed initially by the Board of Directors of four (4). Additional directors may be added to the Board for terms of office as set forth in the duly adopted Bylaws,

- (b) The initial officer(s) and / or director(s) of the Corporation are:

Title: President and Director

Paula Smith  
380 Town Plaza Ave., Suite 440  
Ponte Vedra, Florida 32081

Title: Vice President and Director

Bentley Christopher  
380 Town Plaza Ave., Suite 440  
Ponte Vedra, Florida 32081

Title: Secretary and Director

Bonnie Bickerstaff  
380 Town Plaza Ave., Suite 440  
Ponte Vedra, Florida 32081

Title: Treasurer and Director

Chase Christopher  
380 Town Plaza Ave., Suite 440  
Ponte Vedra, Florida 32081

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**ARTICLE VII. Registered Agent**

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

Registered Agent Solutions, Inc.  
2894 Remington Green Lane, Suite A  
Tallahassee, Florida 32308

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

*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent 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 position as registered agent.*



\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Registered Agent

11/22/2024

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Date

**ARTICLE VIII. Effective Date**

The effective date of this Corporation is the date of filing of these Articles of Incorporation with the Florida Secretary of State.

**ARTICLE IX. Dissolution**

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all of the liabilities of the Corporation, distribute all of the assets of the Corporation such organization or organizations which are organized for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Code or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or such asset shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is then located, exclusively for the purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

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**ARTICLE X. Incorporator**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Wade Mayo  
4252 Potomac Avenue  
Dallas, Texas 75205

The rights and interests of the Incorporator shall automatically terminate when the Articles are filed with the Florida Secretary of State.

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 Section 817.155, F.S. I understand the requirement to file an annual report between January 1<sup>st</sup> and May 1<sup>st</sup> in the calendar year following formation of this Corporation and every year thereafter to maintain "active" status.

Wade Mayo  
Signature of Incorporator

Nov 7, 2024  
Date

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