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1110 South McAdoo Avenue
Bartow, Florida 33830
February 20, 1995

Florida Department of State
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: Articles of Incorporation
Bartow Blaze Fastpitch Softball, Inc.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find Articles of Incorporation for Bartow Blaze Fastpitch Softball, Inc. and a check in the amount of \$122.50 for filing of same. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Betty V. Rehberg
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Enclosures

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Sandra B. Mortham
Secretary of State

February 24, 1995

BETTY V. REHBERG
1110 S. MCADOO AVE.
BARTOW, FL 33830

SUBJECT: BARTOW BLAZE FASTPITCH SOFTBALL, INC.
Ref. Number: W95000004263

We have received your document for BARTOW BLAZE FASTPITCH SOFTBALL, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

According to section 607.0202(1)(b) or 617.0202(1)(b), Florida Statutes, you must list the corporation's principal office, and if different, a mailing address in the document. If the principal address and the registered office address are the same, please indicate so in your document.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation. A statement making reference to the bylaws is acceptable.

We regret that we were unable to contact you by phone. Please return the corrected document with a letter providing us with a telephone number where you can be reached during working hours.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (904) 487-6931.

Steven Godfrey
Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 995A00008530

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF

BARTOW BLAZE FASTPITCH SOFTBALL, INC.

The undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation do hereby form a corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation shall be BARTOW BLAZE FASTPITCH SOFTBALL, INC.

ARTICLE II

The corporation's principal office, mailing, and registered office addresses are the same: 1110 South McAdoo Avenue, Bartow, Florida 33830.

ARTICLE III

The general nature to be conducted by the corporation shall be to operate and conduct a girls fastpitch softball league.

ARTICLE IV

The initial street address in Florida of the initial registered office of the corporation is 1110 South McAdoo Avenue, Bartow, Florida 33830, and the name of the registered agent at such address is Betty V. Rehberg.

ARTICLE V

This corporation shall have three directors as elected according to the by-laws adopted. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time, by the by-laws adopted, but shall never be less than three.

ARTICLE VI

The qualifications of members shall be any citizen who is over the age of eighteen years of age, and is interested in furthering the program of Bartow Blaze Fastpitch Softball, Inc.

ARTICLE VII

The names and addresses of the members of the first Board of Directors of the Articles of Incorporation are:

Carl C. Howell, Jr.
5035 Lancelot
Lakeland, Florida 33813

Christopher L. Roberts
832 North Street
Bartow, Florida 33830

Martha A. Howell
5035 Lancelot
Lakeland, Florida 33813

ARTICLE VIII

The name and address of the subscribers of the Articles of Incorporation are:

Carl C. Howell, Jr.
5035 Lancelot
Lakeland, Florida 33813

President

Christopher L. Roberts
832 North Street
Bartow, Florida 33830

Vice-President

Martha A. Howell
5035 Lancelot
Lakeland, Florida 33813

Secretary/Treasurer

ARTICLE IV

The period of existence of this corporation shall be perpetual or until dissolved by law.

WITNESSES:

Betty V. Rehberg

Glenn Rutenbar

Carl C. Howell, Jr.
CARL C. HOWELL, JR.

Christopher L. Roberts
CHRISTOPHER L. ROBERTS

Martha A. Howell
MARTHA A. HOWELL

STATE OF FLORIDA

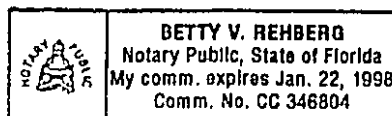
COUNTY OF POLK

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, a Notary Public, duly authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County named above, personally appeared CARL C. HOWELL, JR., CHRISTOPHER L. ROBERTS, and MARTHA A. HOWELL, to me well known to be the persons described as the subscribers in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and that they subscribed to those Articles.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above this 28th day of February, 1995.

Print, type or stamp name of Notary Public
Personally known ☒ OR Produced I.D. ☐
Type and number of I.D. produced:

Betty V. Rehberg
NOTARY PUBLIC Betty V. Rehberg
State of Florida



ACCEPTANCE

Having been named to accept service of process for the foregoing stated corporation, at place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity and agree to comply with the provision of said act relative to keeping open said office.


BETTY V. REHBERG

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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
to
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
of

BARTOW BLAZE FASTPITCH SOFTBALL, INC.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation.

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted: (INDICATE ARTICLE NUMBER(S) BEING AMENDED, ADDED OR DELETED.)

- A. THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH THE CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED ARE EXCLUSIVELY CHARITABLE AND EDUCATIONAL WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986 OR THE CORRESPONDING PROVISION OF ANY FUTURE UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE LAW.
- B. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THESE ARTICLES, THIS ORGANIZATION SHALL NOT CARRY ON ANY ACTIVITIES NOT PERMITTED TO BE CARRIED ON BY AN ORGANIZATION EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAX UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986 OR THE CORRESPONDING PROVISION OF ANY FUTURE UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE LAW.
- C. UPON DISSOLUTION OF THE ORGANIZATION, ASSETS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR ONE OR MORE EXEMPT PURPOSES WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, OR CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE, OR SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT FOR A PUBLIC PURPOSE. ANY SUCH ASSETS NOT SO DISPOSED OF SHALL BE DISPOSED OF BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION, IN THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE ORGANIZATION IS THEN LOCATED, EXCLUSIVELY FOR SUCH PURPOSES.

SECOND: The date of adoption of the amendment(s) was: 10-5-95

THIRD: Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)

- ☐ The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment was sufficient for approval.
- ☒ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment. The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the board of directors.

BARTOW BLAZE FASTPITCH SOFTBALL, INC.

Corporation Name

Carl C. Howell
Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, President or other officer

Carl C. Howell
Typed or printed name

President
Title

10-5-95
Date