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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF COMMUNITY ADVOCACY TRAINING/SYSTEMS, INC.

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The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, Florida Statutes, Chapter 617, do hereby make and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be COMMUNITY ADVOCACY

TRAINING/SYSTEMS, INC., with it's principal place of business located at 1749 S. Sioux

Road, Homosassa, Florida 34448 and the mailing address being the same.

#### ARTICLE II

Initial Registered Office and Agent. The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is: 1749 S. Sioux Road, Homosassa, Florida, and the name of its initial Registered Agent at that same address is: ANSEL P. BRIGGS.

#### ARTICLE III

The qualifications for members and the manner of their admission shall be regulated as provided for in the corporation's Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE IV

Not For Profit: The corporation is a not for profit corporation under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. The corporation is not formed for pecuniary profit. No part of the income or assets of the corporation is distributable to or for the benefit of its directors or officers, except to the extent permissible under these Articles, under law and under Section 501(c)(3) of the United

States Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (hereinafter "Code"). If the corporation ever has members, no member shall have any vested right, interest or privilege in or to the assets, income or property of the corporation and no part of the income or assets of the corporation shall be distributable to or for the benefit of its members, except to the extent permissible under these articles, under law and under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

#### ARTICLE V

The duration (term) of the corporation is perpetual.

#### ARTICLE VI

Purposes: The corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for charitable, scientific and educational purposes, including but not limited to teaching the principles of self-advocacy to adults and juveniles; as well as being advocates to the community.

#### ARTICLE VII

Powers: Solely for the foregoing purposes, the corporation shall have the following powers:

- A. To exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporations, including but not limited to those set forth in Florida Statutes. Chapter 617, and the following powers: To acquire by bequest, devise, gift, grant, donation, contribution, purchase, lease or otherwise any property of any sort or nature without limitation as to its amount or value, and to hold, invest, reinvest, manage, use, apply, employ, sell, expend, disburse, lease, mortgage, convey, option, donate or otherwise dispose of such property and the income, principal and proceeds of such property.
- B. To engage in and transact any other lawful activity, solely in furtherance of the foregoing purposes, for which nonprofit corporations may be incorporated under the Florida Not

For Profit Corporation Act, and any successor or amendment to said Act.

C To do such other things as are incidental to the powers of the corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish the purposes of the corporation.

#### ARTICLE IX

Immunity Status. It is intended that the corporation shall qualify as a cultural or educational institution within the United States under Title 22, United States Code Section 2459 ("Immunity from seizure under judicial process of cultural objects imported for temporary exhibit or display"). This qualification does not interfere with the corporation's tax exempt status.

#### ARTICLE X

Limitation. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure directly or indirectly to the benefit of or be distributable to its members (if corporation ever has any), directors or officers, but the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distribution in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article VII hereof.

#### ARTICLE XI

Tax Exempt Status. It is intended that the corporation shall have and continue to have the status of a corporation that is exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(a) of the Code as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code and which is other than a private foundation as defined in Section 509 of the Code. These articles shall be construed accordingly, and all powers and activities of the corporation shall be limited accordingly. The corporation shall not carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation to such extent as would result in the loss of exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code. All references in these articles to sections of the Internal Revenue Code or Code shall be considered

references to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as from time to time amended, and to the corresponding provisions of any similar law subsequently enacted.

#### ARTICLE XII

Dissolution. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the board of directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, distribute all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for charitable, scientific or educational purposes in such manner and to such qualified organization or organizations as the board of directors shall determine. Any of such assets not so distributed shall be distributed in accordance with the direction of any court having jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for the aforesaid purposes of the corporation or to such qualified organization or organizations a said court shall determine. For purposes of this article, an organization is a "qualified organization" only if, at the time of receiving such assets, it is operated exclusively for the purposes described in Section 170(c)(1) or 170(c)(2)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and as described in Section 509(a)(1), (2) or (3) of said Code.

#### **ARTICLE 13**

Board of Directors. There shall be a board of directors consisting of at least three individuals. The initial directors are elected by the incorporator. Thereafter, each director shall be elected by majority vote of the board of directors in the manner and at the times set forth in the By-Laws. Any director may be removed by the affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the board of directors.

The First Board of Directors and Officers are as follows:

1.	ANSEL P. BRIGGS President and Director	1749 S. Sloux Road Homosassa, Florida 34448
2.	LUCILLE KIKUCHI Vice-President and Director	75 S. Lincoln Avenue Beverly Hills, Florida 34465
3.	PATRICIA ROBINSON Secretary and Director	1883 W. Gardenia Drive Citrus Springs, Florida 34434
4.	ANSEL P. BRIGGS Treasurer and Director	1749 S. Sioux Rond Homosassa, Florida 34448
5.	HELEN SPIVEY Director	940 N.W. 5th Terrace Crystal River, Florida 34429
6.	JANET HERNDON Director	1905 Kimberly Lane Inverness, Florida 34452
7.	LEE SEARS Director	11557 West Silas Court Homosassa, Florida 34446

#### **ARTICLE XIV**

Officers. The officers of the corporation may consist of a president, one or more vice presidents, a secretary, a treasurer, and such other officers and assistant officers as may be provided for in the Bylaws or by resolution of the board of directors. Each officer shall be elected by majority vote of the board of directors (and may be removed by majority vote of the board of directors) at such time and in such manner as may be prescribed by the Bylaws or by law.

#### ARTICLE XV

Incorporators. The name and street address of each incorporator is as follows:

ANSEL P. BRIGGS	LUCILLE KIKUCHI	PATRICIA ROBINSON
1749 S. Sioux Lane	75 S. Lincoln Avenue	1883 W. Gardenia Drive
Homosassa, Florida 34448	Beverly Hills, Florida 34465	Citrus Springs, Florida 34434

#### ARTICLE XVI

Bylaws. The P /laws of the corporation are to be made and adopted by the board of directors and may be altered, amended or rescinded by the board or directors.

#### ARTICLE XVII

Amendment. The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment to them.

#### ARTICLE XVIII

Indemnification and Civil Liability Immunity. The corporation shall indemnify each director and officer, including former directors and officers, to the fullest extent allowed by law, including but not limited to Florida Statutes Chapter 617. It is intended that the corporation be an organization the officers and directors of which are immune from civil liability to the extent provided under Florida Statutes Chapter 617, and other similar laws.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators have signed these Articles of Incorporation on April 134, 1995.

ANSELP. BRIGGS

PATRICIA ROBINSO

LUCILLE KIKUCHI

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION AND ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

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Pursuant to the provisions of Florida Statutes Chapter 617, the undersigned corporation organized under the Nor for Profit Corporation laws of the State of Florida submits the following statement in designating the registered office and registered agent of the corporation in the State of Florida:

- The name of the corporation is: COMMUNITY ADVOCACY TRAINING/ SYSTEMS, INC.
- The name and address of the registered agent and registered office are:
   ANSEL P. BRIGGS, 1749 S. Sioux Road, Homosassa, Florida 34448.

I, the undersigned person, having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation at the place designated in this statement, 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 register agent.

DATED: APRIL 13 12. 1995.

ANSEL P. BRIGGS
Registered Agent

# Crystal River, Florida 3 29 May 2, 1995

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

RE: COMMUNITY ADVOCACY TRAINING/SYSTEMS, INC.

#### Dear Madany/Sir:

I am notifying your office in writing of the fact that we have moved to new offices for the above referenced corporation. The corporate office is now located at:

7655 W. Gulf to Lake Highway, Suite 16 Crystal River, Florida 34429

Telephone: (904) 795-4446

The Registered Agent for the corporation, Ansel P. Briggs will also now be using this same address.

Thanking you in advance for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact my office.

Respectfully,

ANSEL P. BRIGGS

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGE OF REGISTERED OFFICE OR REGISTERED AGENT OR BOTH FOR CORPORATIONS

Pursuant to the provisions of sections 607.0502, 617.0502, 607.1508, or 617.1508, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation organized under the laws of the State of \_\_\_\_ submits the following statement in order to change its registered office or registered agent, or both, in the State of Florida. COMMUNITY ADVOCACY TRAINING/SYSTEMS, INC. 1a. The name of the corporation is: \_ 1b. The mailing address of the corporation is: \_\_\_ 7655 W. Gulf to Lake Hwy., Suite #16, Crystal River, Florida 34429 April 18, 1995 N95000001826 Document number: 1c. Date of incorporation: The name and address of the current registered agent and office: ANSEL P. BRIGGS, President 1749 S. Sioux Road Homosassa, Florida 34448 3. The name and address of the new registered agent and office:(P.O. Box Not Acceptable) ANSEL P. BRIGGS, PRESIDENT 7655 W. Gulf to Lake Highway, Suite 16 Crystal River, Florida 34429 The street address of its registered office and the street address of the business office of its registered agent, as changed, will be identical. Such change was authorized by resolution duly adopted by its board of directors or by an officer so authorized by the board. (Signature of an officer, chairman or vice chairman of the board) ANSEL P. BRIGGS, PRESIDENT (Printed or typed name and title) Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, Thereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligation of my position as registered agent.

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