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IN RE:

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION L.E.L.A.N.D. ORGANIZATION, INC.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of the proposed Articles of Incorporation of L.E.L.A.N.D. Organization, Inc. for filing. Please approve and file the original and certify the copy. Enclosed is a Acceptance of Registered Agent of the Corporation.

Also enclosed is a check payable to the Secretary of State for the following charges.

> Filing Fee \$35.00 Certified Copy \$52.50 Registered Agent <u>\$35.00</u>

TOTAL

\$122.50

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours very truly,

DENNIS A. ROSS

DAR/tb

Enclosures:

Articles of Incorporation Acceptance of Registered Agent

Firm check

Articles of Incorporation

The L.E.L.A.N.D. Organization, Inc.

Name of the Corporation shall be The L.E.L.A.N.D. Article I. Organization, Inc.

Article II. The organization is to have a perpetual existence.

Article III. The Association's purpose and goals are:

Prevent the nonpayment of child support. a.

b.

Defend the right of children to collect child support. Provide emotional support to parents and children suffering from lack of child support payments. c.

d. Advise persons owed child support of their rights under existing law to collect child support.

e. Educate the public regarding need for full implementation

of existing child support laws.

f. Rally for children's rights and organize neighborhood programs for the children of single parent families and families in crisis.

Article IV. Membership will be as stated in the By-laws.

Article V. Board of Directors

- The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by the membership and the Board of Directors. The initial Board of Directors for the Corporation consists of three members. number of Board members that occur subsequently shall follow the quidelines set forth in the By-laws.
- All directors must reside in the state of Florida and be members of the Corporation. Election, approval or dismissal from office will follow terms stated in the By-laws (Detail your By-laws here).
- The initial Board of Directors shall serve until their successors are elected and qualified in accordance with the Bylaws, their names and addresses are as follows (list names).

Elizabeth A. Leland Steve Herman Dennis Ross 4048 Homestead Dr. 5410 f. Florida Ave. 230 S. Fla. Ave. Lakeland, FL 33809 Suite 12 Suite 501 Lakeland, FL 33813 Lakeland, FL 33801

Article VI. The power to alter, amend or repeal the By-laws and the Articles of Incorporation shall reside with the members..

Article VII. The members, directors, officers and employees of the corporation shall not be liable for debts and obligations of the Corporation.

Article IX. The address of the corporation's initial office is 4048 Homestead Drive, Lakeland, FL 33809, and the name of its original agent at such address is Elizabeth A. Leland, who is a resident of Polk County, Florida.

Article X. The Corporation shall exist as c the date on which the Notary certifies or issues the Certificate or Incorporation for the Corporation.

Article XI. The names and address of the Incorporators are:

Dennis A. Ross 230 South Florida Avenue Suite 501 Lakeland, FL 33801

INCORPORATORS

City of LAKELAND State of FlokidA

certify that on There 84 , 1975, personally appeared before me, Denlais A. Ross , who being first duly sworn, declared that they severally and individually signed the foregoing document as incorporators, and that the statements contained therein are true.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year written above.

NOTARY PUBLIC M. Brooks

My commission Expires

OFFICIAL NOTARY PEAL
ANTOINETTE M BROOKS
COMMISSION NUMBER
CC394623
MY COMMISSION EXP.
JULY 24,1998

ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

That L.E.L.A.N.D., desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with its initial registered office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, at 4048 Homestead Drive, City of Lakeland, County of Polk, State of Florida, has named Elizabeth A. Leland, located at 4048 Homestead Drive, City of Lakeland, County of Polk, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within this state.

Having been named to accept service of process for the corporation named above, at the place designated in this certificate, I agree to act in that capacity and to comply with the provisions of the Florida not for profit Corporation Act relative to keeping open the registered office.

ELIZABETH A. LELAND

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF POLK

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of June, 1995, by Elizabeth A. Leland, who is personally known to me or who has produced as identification and who did (did not) take an oath.

NOTARY PUBLIC:

Print Kida Marrell.
State of Florida at Large (Seal)

My Commission Expires:

RITA MARRELLI

MY COMMISSION # CC 185512 EXPIRES

April 11, 1996

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