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LAZARUS CORPORATE INDUSTRIES, INC. (Requestor's Name) 890 S.W. 87 AVENUE, SUITE: 16 (Address) MIAMI, FLORIDA 33174 (305)552-5973 (City, State, Zip) (Phone #) LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE TALLAHASSEE (904)385-6715		OFFICE USE ONLY
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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OF

ASOCIACIÓN DE EX-PRESOS POLÍTICOS CUBANOS DE TAMPA, INC.
(A Corporation non for Profit)

ASSOCIATION OF CUBAN FORMER POLITICAL PRISONERS OF TAMPA, INC.

The undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation each a natural person competent to contract, hereby associate themselves together to form a not for profit corporation under the provisions of Chapter 607 and 617 of Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this corporation is:

ASOCIACION DE EX-PRESOS POLITICOS CUBANOS DE TAMPA, INC.

(ASSOCIATION OF CUBAN FORMER POLITICAL PRISONERS OF TAMPA, INC.)

and shall be hereinafter referred to interchangeably as the Corporation or the Association.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

The general nature of the object and purposes of this Corporation shall be:

- A. To obtain the release and freedom of all political prisoners rom the Cuban prisons by any and all legal and lawful means and their departure from Cuba.
- B. To disseminate and expose worldwide, by way of all available means, the truth about the conditions of the Cuban political prisons and the inhuman treatment to which children, women and men are subjected to in same.

- C. To strive for the betterment of the members of this Association in all aspects of life with emphasis on those related to the preservation of the traditions, culture and family life as they existed in our Fatherland and to encourage the preservation of our heritage.
- D. To promote and preserve the ideals of Freedom and Democracy as they were known in Cuba and as they exist in the United States of America and to promote and encourage the freedom of all Cubans under said ideals.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Any and all Cuban Former political prisoners which apply for membership and are accepted shall be members.

ARTICLE IV - TERM OF EXISTENCE

This Corporation is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE V - POWERS OF THE CORPORATION

This Corporation shall be empowered to act in any and all manners permitted under the laws of the United States and the laws of the State of Florida according to the decisions of its Board of Directors and its members as per Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws. Any enunciation made herein shall be understood to be stated as general in nature for the purpose of establishing guidelines and not by way of limitation.

ARTICLE V - SUBSCRIBERS

The names and addresses of the subscribers to these Articles are:

CECILIO FIGUEREDO

8008 N. Hubert Avenue Tampa, FL 33614 RENE ZAMORA

1319 East 32 Avenue Tampa, FL 33603

JULIO REYNO ROSELL

612 N. Matanzas Avenue Yampa, FL 33609

ARTICLE VII - MANAGEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE CORPORATION

The affairs of this Association shall be managed by its Board of Directors who shall be elected for a term of one year by the members. The Board of Directors may delegate one or more of its functions, whether on a continued basis or for specific purposes, unto an Executive Committee or unto one or more committees whether same are created within these Articles of Incorporation or at a later date.

The officers of this Corporation shall be appointed by the members of the Board of Directors by elections wherein only the members of the Board of Directors shall be entitled to vote.

In the event of a tie-vote for any position, it shall be decided by a change drawing.

ARTICLE VIII - DIRECTORS

The business affairs of this Corporation shall be managed by the Board of Directors. This Corporation shall have three (3) directors initially. The number of directors may be increased or decreased at the annual meeting of the members of the Corporation or at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors in accordance with the By-Laws, but shall never be less than three (3).

- a) The Board of Directors shall be elected by members from amongst the members of the corporation.
- b) Members of the Board of Directors shall be elected and hold office in accordance with these Articles and the By-Laws of

the Corporation.

c) The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors for the ensuing year, or until the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors, are:

CECILIO FIGUEREDO

8008 N. Hubert Avenue

Tampa, FL 33614

RENE ZAMORA

1319 East 32 Avenue Tampa, FL 33603

JULIO REYNO ROSELL

612 N. Matanzas Avenue Tampa, FL 33609

ARTICLE IX - OFFICERS

The Officers of the Corporation shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer and such other officers as may be considered necessary in the future by the Board of Directors.

The officers shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors or as provided in the By-Laws.

ARTICLE X - RESIDENT AGENT

The resident agent of this Corporation will be CECILIO FIGUEREDO whose address is: 8008 N. Hubert Avenue, Tampa, Florida 33614.

ARTICLE XI - AMENDMENTS OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

- a) These Articles of Incorporation may be amended at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors or at a special meeting of the Board of Directors called for that purpose, by a two-third vote of those present.
- b) Amendments may also be made at a regular meeting of the membership upon notice given as provided by the By-Laws of intention to submit such amendments, by a majority vote of those

present.

ARTICLE XII - BY LAWS

- a) The Board of Directors of this Corporation may provide such By-Laws for the conduct of its business and the carrying out of its purposes as they may deem necessary from time to time.
- b) Upon proper notice the By-Laws may be amended, altered or rescinded by a majority vote of those members of the Board of Directors present at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for that purpose.

ARTICLE XIII - LOCATION

The initial office address of this Corporation shall be at: 8009 N. Hubert Avenue, Tampa, Fl 33614.

ARTICLE XIV - DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in sections 501(c)(3) and 150(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future Internal Revenue Code, or to the Federal, State or Local government for exclusive public purpose.

ARTICLE XV - LIMITATION

Notwithstanding any other provisions of those Articles, this Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (a) a corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law or (b) a corporation contributions to which are

deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or any other corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

CECILIO FIGUEREDO

RENE ZAMORA

JULIO REYNO ROSELL

STATE OF FLORIDA ;
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH)

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public, duly authorized in the State of Florida and the County of Hillsborough, to take acknowledgments, permonally appeared <u>CECILIO FIGUEREDO</u>, <u>RENE ZAMORA and JULIO REYNO ROSELL</u> to me known to be the persons described in as subscribers of Articles of Incorporation of Associacion de Ex-Presos Políticos Cubanos de Tampa Inc., who swore that they executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they acknowledged before me that they executed and subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above this _____ day of ______, 1995.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Florida

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EARLINES, March 21, 1795

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Printed Notary Signature ...

My Commission Expires:

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN THE STATE OF FLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM SERVICE OF PROCESS MAY BE SERVED.

In pursuance of Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

First---That Asociacion de Ex-Presos Políticos Cubanos de Tampa, Inc. (Association of Cuban Former Political Prisoners of Tampa, Inc.) desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business office, as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation, in the City of Tampa, County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, has named CECILIO FIGUEREDO, located at 8008 N. Hubert Avenue, Tampa, Florida as its agent to accept services of process within the State of Florida.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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

Dated this ______, day of ______, 1995.

CECILIO FIGUEREDO