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SUBJECT: "I CARE" INC.  
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

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FROM: RONNIE E. BASS  
Name (Printed or typed)

333 EAST 2nd ST.  
Address

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
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Secretary of State

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RONNIE E. BASS  
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF

"SOMEONE CARES", INC.

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The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a non-profit corporation under the Not For Profit Corporation Act, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

Article I. NAME:

The name of the corporation shall be:

"SOMEONE CARES", INC.

Article II. TERM OF EXISTENCE:

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

Article III. PRINCIPLE PLACE OF BUSINESS AND THE MAILING  
ADDRESS:

The principle place of business and address of this corporation shall be:

333 EAST SECOND STREET  
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32206

Article IV. PURPOSE:

This corporation is organized for the following purposes:

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1. To assist in comforting AIDS patients in hospitals, rest homes, and hospice centers that are dying after family and friends have abandoned them to die alone.

2. To take charge of, hold and manage all property, real and personal, that may at any time or in any manner come to vest in this corporation for any purposes whatsoever, whether by purchase, gift, grant, devise or otherwise, and to mortgage, sell or otherwise dispose of such property as the necessities of the corporation may require.

3. To engage in any other activities which are lawful in the State of Florida or the United States of America for non-profit corporations.

Article V. MEMBERSHIP:

- A. All persons who have committed to support the the general purpose and mission of "SOMEONE CARES", Inc.

Article VI. DIRECTORS:

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors of the local community shall be no less than three. The persons who are to serve as initial directors are as follows:

1. The President - Ronnie E. Bass
2. The Vice President - Priscilla Williamson
3. The Secretary - Selena Webster

Directors shall be elected in the manner set forth by the bylaws of "SOMEONE CARES", Inc.

Article VII. INITIAL DIRECTORS:

The names and address of the initial directors of this corporation are:

President - Ronnie E. Bass  
Vice President - Priscilla Williamson  
Secretary - Selena Webster

333 EAST SECOND STREET  
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32206

Article VIII. REGISTERED AGENT:

The name and address of the initial registered agent of this corporation is:

Lester B. Bass  
1103 Laura Street North  
Jacksonville, Florida 32206

Article IX. CORPORATION EARNINGS:

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, trustees, 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 Article Three hereof. 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 shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by 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).

**Article X. AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION:**

The members shall have the power to adopt, amend, alter, change, or repeal the Articles of Incorporation when proposed and approved at a called membership meeting, with not less than a two-thirds vote of the members present at such meeting, as prescribed by the by-laws.

**ARTICLE XI. STOCK:**

The corporation is organized and shall be operated on a non-stock basis within the meaning of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act and shall not have the power to issue shares of any type or class of stock but may issue membership certificates if so provided in the by-laws.

**Article XII. DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION:**

Upon dissolution of the corporation, the assets of the corporation remaining after payment of all debts and liabilities of the corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

**Article XIII. SUBSCRIBERS:**

The names and address of the subscribers of these Articles of Incorporation are:

President - Ronnie E. Bass  
Vice President - Priscilla Williamson  
Secretary - Selena Webster

333 East Second Street  
Jacksonville, Florida 32206

**Article XIV. EFFECTIVE DATE:**

These articles shall be effective, and incorporated existence shall commence, as of MARCH 13, 1996.

Dated: 13 day of MARCH, 1996.

Rennie E. Bass  
"Incorporator"

Kimella Williamson  
"Incorporator"

Lester B. Bass  
"Incorporator"

Article XV. REGISTERED AGENT'S ACCEPTANCE:

I, Lester B. Bass, accept the responsibilities of registered agent of the "SOMEONE CARES" Incorporated.

Lester B. Bass  
"Registered Agent"

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators, being natural persons competent to contract have hereunto set their hand and affixed their seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1996.

Rennie E. Bass (seal)

Kimella Williamson (seal)

Lester B. Bass (seal)

STATE OF FLORIDA )

COUNTY OF DUVAL )

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, a Notary Public duly authorized in the State and County named above to take

acknowledgements, personally appeared Ronnie D. Bass, Priscilla Williamson, and Selena Webster to me known to be the persons described as subscribers in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they acknowledged before me that they subscribed to those Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State named above this 14th day of March, 1996.

Cynthia L. Jones  
Notary Public- State of Florida  
My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_



CYNTHIA L. JONES  
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