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#### ARTICLE OF INCORPORATION

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# ROBERT H. L. DABNEY POST 192, THE AMERICAN LEGION, TANGER AND LATER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, THE AMERICAN LEGION LEGION

#### PREAMBLE

For God and Country we associate ourselves together for the following purposes:

To uphold and defend the Constitution of The United States of America:

To maintain law and order:

To foster and perpetuate a one hundred percent Americanism:

To preserve the memories and incidents of our association in the Great Wars:

To combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses:

To make right the master of might:

To promote peace and goodwill on earth:

To safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy:

To consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual help-fulness.

#### ARTICLE I - Name

The name of this corporation is ROBERT H. L. DABNEY POST 192, THE AMERICAN LEGION, INC. Its principal place of business shall be in Fort Myers, Florida.

# ARTICLE II - Purpose

The general nature of the object of this corporation shall be those listed in the preamble.

# ARTICLE III - Duration

The term of existence of this corporation is perpetual.

# ARTICLE IV - Membership in the Corporation

Membership in ROBERT H. L. DABNEY POST 192. THE AMERICAN LEGION, INC., is membership in the national organization of The American Legion and the Department of Florida. The American Legion. Admission to membership shall be in the manner prescribed in the National Constitution and By-Laws and in the Constitution and By-Laws of the American Legion. Department of Florida. No person shall be a mem-

ber of this corporation unless be meets the standards contained in the aforesaid documents.

## ARTICLE V - Management

- 1. The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled and its affairs conducted by an Executive Committee as may be fixed or specified in the Post Constitution. The Post officers and other members of the Post Executive Committee shall be elected or appointed as fixed from time to time in the Post Constitution.
- 2. The Officers named as the initial Executive Committee shall hold office until the next annual meeting of members, at which the election of all officers shall take place.
- 3. The names and addresses of the initial members of the Executive Committee are as follows:

Name Address

David Ducree Jack Chancey Floyd Gibbs 2966

2318 Towles Street Fort Myers. Florida 33916 840 Zana Drive. Fort Myers Florida 33905 2966 Saint Charles Street Fort Myers. Florida 33916

## ARTICLE VI - Earnings of the Corporation

- 1. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributive to its members, directors, 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 IV.
- 2. 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.
- 3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on:
- a. By a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law. or
- b. By a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.
  - 4. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation

shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

#### ARTICLE VII - Distribution of Assets

Upon 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, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501 of the Internal Revenue Code 1954 or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Code, as the Board of Directors shall determine. 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 corporation is then located exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as such Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purpose.

#### ARTICLE VIII - Subscribers

The names and address of the subscribers of this corporation is as follows:

Name

Address

David Ducree Jack Chancey Floyd Gibbs 2318 Towles Street Fort Myers, Florida 33916 840 Zana Drive, Fort Myers Florida 33905 2966 Saint Charles Street Fort Myers, Florida 33916

#### ARTICLE IX - Dedication of Assets

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to it specific purpose, and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof, or to the benefit of any private individual.

# ARTICLE X - Registered Agent

The name and address of the Registered Agent for the corporation is follows:

Name

Address

David Ducree

2318 Towles Street, Fort Myers Florida 33916

# ARTICLE XII - Amendments of Articles

Amendments to these Amendments of Incorporation shall be by a resolution of the Board of Directors.

this corporation, for the purpose of forming this nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, have executed these Articles of Incorporation this day of MATCA. 1996. STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF LEE BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared, David Ducree Jack Chancey Floyd Gibbs to me personally known and to me known to be the persons who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and they acknowledged to and before me that they executed this instrument. IN WITNESS WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and seal this  $\frac{1000}{1000}$  day of W/Arch 1996. My commission expires:

We, the undersigned, being the subscribers and incorporators of

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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVICE AND 9:24

In compliance with Florida Statutes, the following is submitted ALLAMASSEE. FLORIDA

First - That ROBERT H. L. DABNEY POST 192, THE AMERICAN LEGION, INC., desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 3130 Martin Luther King Boulevard, Fort Myers, State of Florida, has named DAVID DUCREE, located at 2318 Towles Street Fort Myers, Florida 33916, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

Floyd Gibbs, Secretary

3/30/8/\_(date)

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated in this certificate. I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

David Ducree, Registered Agent

3\_'30\_96 (date)