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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT: Life Skills Urban Business Incubator Foundation, Incorporated
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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

\$70.00 \$78.75 \$122.50 \$131.25

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FROM: Cecil C. Rush, Jr.
Name (Printed or typed)
4320 W. Kennedy Blvd.
Address
Tampa, FL 33609
City, State & Zip
813-282-8814
Daytime Telephone number

SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
Life Skills Urban Business Incubator Foundation, Incorporated

The undersigned acting as incorporators of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I - CORPORATE NAME

The name of the corporation is: Life Skills Urban Business Incubator Foundation, Incorporated.

ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The principal place of business and the mailing address of this corporation shall be:

4320 W. Kennedy Blvd.
Tampa, Florida 33609

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE

The corporation is organized for the purpose of establishing an environmental support mechanism to help urban small businesses and entrepreneurs develop their business in the early stages.

ARTICLE IV - MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is as follows: the method of election of the directors will be stated in the bylaws..

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ARTICLE V - LIMITATION OF CORPORATE POWERS

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617,0302, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VI- INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

Cecil C. Rush
4320 W. Kennedy Blvd.
Tampa, Florida 33609

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the incorporators for these articles of incorporation are:

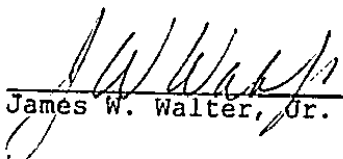
Cecil C. Rush
4320 W. Kennedy Blvd.
Tampa, Florida 33609

James W. Walter, Jr.
4320 W. Kennedy Blvd.
Tampa, Florida 33609

The undersigned incorporators have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 1st day of APRIL 1996.



Cecil C. Rush



James W. Walter, Jr.

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

Before me, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and county set forth above, personally appeared: Cecil C. Rush and James W. Walter, Jr., known to me and known to be the persons who executed the forgoing Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this 1st day of April 1996.

Sherry R. Hashman
Notary Public Sherry R. Hashman

My Commission expires: 5-30-96



CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT
OF REGISTERED AGENT

Certificate of Registered Agent
of

Life Skills Urban Business Incubator Foundation, Incorporated.

Pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 607.0501 and 617.0501, the following is submitted:

The above corporation, desiring to organize under the laws of the State of Florida with it's registered office as indicated, in the Articles of Incorporation at:

4320 W. Kennedy
Tampa, Florida 33609

has named Cecil C. Rush located at the aforesaid address, as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within the state.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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


Cecil C. Rush

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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