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NAME: AFRICAN AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF VOLUSIA AND FLAGLER COUNTIES, INC.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

XX ____ ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION _____ CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION of AFRICAN AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE of VOLUSIA AND FLAGLER COUNTIES, INC. A FLORIDA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

ARTICLE ONE

Name

The name of the Corporation is AFRICAN AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF VOLUSIA AND FLAGLER COUNTIES, INC

ARTICLE TWO Principal Office and Address

The address of the principal office of the corporation is 333 South Ridgewood Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida 32114 and the mailing address of the corporation is the same

ARTICLE THREE Duration

The term of existence of the Corporation is perpetual; and the corporate existence will commence on the filing of these articles by the Department of State Florida.

ARTICLE FOUR Purpose

The Corporation is organized to advance the general welfare and prosperity of African American businesses in the Volusia and Flagler counties so that all citizens in these communities shall prosper. All necessary means of promotion shall be provided and particular attention and emphasis shall be given to the economic, civil, commercial, industrial and educational interests of African American businesses in these areas.

ARTICLE FIVE Directors

The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by a board of not less than five (5) directors. The method of election of the directors of the Corporation is set forth in the bylaws. The

names and street address of the initial directors are as follow:

Name	Address
Godwin J Essien	333 South Ridgewood Avenue Daytona Beach, Florida 32114
Gerald Chester	333 South Ridgewood Avenue Daytona Beach, Florida 32114
Dean O'Brien	333 South Ridgewood Avenue Daytona Beach, Florida 32114

ARTICLE SIX Registered Office and Agent

The initial registered office of the Corporation shall be located at 333 South Ridgewood Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida 32114. The initial registered agent of the Corporation at that address shall be Godwin J Essien.

ARTICLE SEVEN Incorporators

The name and residence address of the incorporator is:

Name Godwin J. Essien Address 333 South Ridgewood Avenue Daytona Beach, Florida 32114

ARTICLE EIGHT Earnings and Activities of the Corporation

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefits of, or be distributable to its members, 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 its objectives set forth in Article Four hereof.

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 NINE Distribution of Assets

Upon dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or a corresponding section of any future Federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the Federal, state or local government for a public purpose. Any such assets not 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 purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed my name this

day of June, 1996.

GODWIN J ESSIEN, INCORPORATOR

This instrument was prepared by GODWIN J ESSIEN, whose address is 333 South Ridgewood Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF VOLUSIA

THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT was acknowledge before ne this 7 day of June, 1996, by Godwin J. Essien, who is personally known to me and who did (did not) take an oath.

NÖTARY PUBLIC- State of Florida

Print Name:

My Commission Expires:



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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACES OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICES OF PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In pursuance of Chapter 48.091 (1991), Florida States, the following is submitted in compliance with said Act:

That African American Chamber of Commerce of Volusia and Flagler Counties, Inc., A Florida Nonprofit Corporation, has named Godv in J. Essien, at 333 South Ridgewood Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida 32114 as its initial registered agent. Having been named to accept service of process for the above Corporation, at the 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.

GODWIN J. ESSIEN, ESQUIRE