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EDGAR POUCHET 8038 Laurel Tree Drive Orlando, FL 32819 (407) 351-4267

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Secretary of State Bureau of Corporate Records Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

> RE: Articles of Incorporation for Cairi Incorporated

Dear Sir or Madam:

I have enclosed the Articles of Incorporation for Cairi Incorporated together with check in the amount of \$35.00 to cover the filing fees for the corporation and \$35.00 to cover the Registered Agent Designation for the corporation for a total ct \$70.00.

Thank you in advance for your immediate attention to this matter. If you should have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at (407) 351-4267.

Very Truly Yours,

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EDGAR POUCHET

Enclosures: Original Articles of Incorporation for Cairi Incoporated Check #\* in the amount of \$70.00

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# Cairi Incorporated

(A Florida Not for Profit Corporation)

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation under the Florida Statutes Chapter 617, do hereby make and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

# ARTICLE ONE NAI 1E

The name of this Florida Not for Profit is Cairi, ("Corporation").

# ARTICLE TWO NOT FOR PROFIT

The Corporation is a nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida. The Corporation is not formed for pecuniary profit.

# ARTICLE THREE DURATION

The duration of the Corporation shall be r erpetual.

# ARTICLE FOUR PURPOSES

Cairi is committed to the exposition of the highest Caribbean art forms ever held in the Central Florida area. The events include arts, crafts, literature, stage, and musical presentations, and are designed to be educational in nature.

# ARTICLE FIVE PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office and mailing address of the Corporation is Principal office will be located at 8038 Laurel Tree Drive, Orlando, Fl 32819. Mailing address is Post Office Box 2477, Windermere, Fl 32819.

# ARTICLE SIX INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

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The initial registered agent shall be Edgar Pouchet and the street address of the initial registered Office of this Corporation is, 8038 Laurel Tree Drive, Orlando, FL 32819.

#### ARTICLE SEVEN MEMBERSHIP

The qualifications for Members and the manner of their admission shall be regulated by the Bylaws of the Corporation. The method for the election of Directors shall be regulated by the Bylaws of the Corporation.

# ARTICLE EIGHT INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The initial Board of Directors of this Corporation shall be comprised of four (4) persons whose names and addresses are as follows:

Edgar Pouchet, 8038 Laurel Tree Drive, Orlando, Fl 32819 Leo Mendez, 611 Wymore Road, Winter Park, Fl 32789 Phillip St. Louis, M.D., 1205 Mayfield, Winter Park, Fl 32789 Michelle Pouchet, 3024 North Powers Drive, Apartment #181, Orlando, Fl 32818

# ARTICLE NENE INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the initial incorporators are:

Edgar Pouchet, 8038 Laurel Tree Drive, Orlando, Fl 32819 Leo Mendez, 611 Wymore Road, Winter Park, Fl 32789 Phillip St. Louis, M.D., 1205 Mayfield, Winter Park, Fl 32789 Michelle Pouchet, 3024 North Powers Drive, Apartment #181, Orlando, Fl 32818

#### ARTICLE TEN OFFICERS

The Officers of the Corporation shall consist of President, Vice-President and Secretary and such other Officers and Assistant Officers as may be provided in the Bylaws. Each Officer shall be elected by the Board of Directors and may be removed by the Board of Directors, at such time and in such manner as will be prescribed by the Bylaws.

# ARTICLE ELEVEN MEMBERS QUORUM AND VOTING

A majority of the Voting Members shall constitute a quorum at a meeting of Members. If a quorum is present, the affirmative vote of a majority of Members represented at the meeting and entitled to vote on the subject matter shall be the act of the Members.

# ARTICLE TWELVE INFORMAL ACTION OF DIRECTORS

If all of the Directors severally or collectively consent in writing to any action taken or to be taken by the Corporation, and the writing evidencing their consent is filed with the Secretary of the Corporation, the action shall be as valid as though it had been authorized at a meeting of the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE THIRTEEN THE BYLAWS

The Bylaws of the Corporation are to be made and adopted by the Board of Directors, and may be altered, amended or rescinded by the Board of Directors.

# ARTICLE FOURTEEN AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

The Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment to them, and all rights and privileges conferred upon the Members, Directors and Officers are subject to this reservation. The Articles of Incorporation may be amended in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of Florida, as amended from time to time, unless more specific provisions for amendments are adopted by the Corporation.

# ARTICLE FIFTEEN LIMITATION OF ACTIONS

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation this Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue laws.

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall insure to the benefit of or be distributable to its Members, Directors or Officers, but 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 Four.

## ARTICLE SIXTEEN NONSTOCK BASIS

This Corporation is organized on a nonstock basis. This Corporation shall not issue shares of stock.

# ARTICLE SEVENTEEN HEADING AN: CAPTIONS

The Heading and Captions of these Articles of Incorporation are inserted for convenience and none of them shall have any force or effect, and the interpretation of the various Articles shall not be influenced by any of the Headings or Captions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator have executed these Articles of

Incorporation in a manner and form sufficient to bind them this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of October, 1997.

Edgar Pouchet

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 3/2 day of october, 1997, by Edgar Pouchet who is personally known to me and who did (did not) take an oath.

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, Notary Public

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SHELLEY DOLAN My Commission OC545832 Expires Jun: 29; 1989

My commission expires

# ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as Registered Agent of Cairi Incoporated, which is contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.

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Dated this 31 day of October, 1997.

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EDGAR POUCHET REGISTERED AGENT

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