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OF

LAKELAND ROLLER HOCKEY LEAGUE, INCORPORATED

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I.

The name of the corporation shall be LAKELAND ROLLER HOCKEY LEAGUE, INCORPORATED.

ARTICLE II.

The corporate existence of the corporation shall begin on November 20, 1997.

ARTICLE III.

The street address of the initial principal office of the corporation is 449 Peninsular Drive, Lakeland, Florida 33813, and the mailing address of the corporation is 449 Peninsular Drive, Lakeland, Florida 33813.

ARTICLE IV.

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are to organize, teach, and develop the amateur sport of inline hockey; to promote and develop good sportsmanship, leadership, and teamwork; to assist and encourage its members in developing ethical standards governing their conduct with each other and with members of the public; to lessen neighborhood tensions; to eliminate prejudice and discrimination; and to combat community deterioration and juvenile delinquency. The corporation shall pursue its purposes and render its services without distinction as to race, creed, color, gender, or national origin.

ARTICLE V.

The method of election of directors shall be stated in the bylaws.

ARTICLE VI.

The corporation may have one or more classes of members. The designation of such class or classes, the qualifications and rights of the members of each class, any quorum and

voting requirements for meetings and activities of the members, and notice requirements sufficient to provide notice of meetings and activities of the members shall be set forth in the bylaws.

ARTICLE VII.

The street address of the corporation's initial registered office is c/o Wendel, Chritton & Parks, Chartered, 5300 South Florida Avenue, Lakeland, Florida 33813, and its initial registered agent at that address is John Paul Parks.

ARTICLE VIII.

The name and address of the sole incorporator of the corporation is Kathleen Pitman, 449 Peninsular Drive, Lakeland, Florida 33813.

ARTICLE IX.

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors of the corporation. The initial bylaws of the corporation shall be adopted by the board of directors. The power to alter, amend, or repeal the bylaws or adopt new bylaws shall be vested in the board of directors. The bylaws may contain any provision for the regulation and management of the affairs of the corporation not inconsistent with law or with these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE X.

- A. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, director, or officer of the corporation, nor to the benefit of any private individual.
- B. The corporation shall have no power to engage in any act or activity prohibited to corporations which are exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding Sections of any prior or future Internal Revenue Code.
- C. In the event of the dissolution of the corporation, the residual assets of the corporation will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986

or corresponding Sections of any prior or future Internal Revenue Code, or to the federal or a state or local government for public purposes exclusively.

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 20th day of November, A.D. 1997.

KATHLEEN PITMAN

ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION AS REGISTERED AGENT

I, John Paul Parks, having been named to serve as Registered Agent for LAKELAND ROLLER HOCKEY LEAGUE, INCORPORATED, do hereby accept such office and agree to conduct myself therein according to law. I am familiar with, and accept the obligations of such office.

DATED this 20th day of November, A.D. 1997.

OHN PAUL PARKS

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SECRETARY OF STATE