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Requestor's Name

FILIPINO COMMUNITY POLITICAL
ASSOCIATION, INC.
6510 Antietam Drive
Pensacola, Fl. 32505-7504

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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

OF THE

FILIPINO COMMUNITY POLITICAL ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED

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The undersigned, being one (1) in number, hereby for the purpose of becoming a body corporate, pursuant to chapter 617, Florida statutes, does hereby certify and make, subscribe and acknowledge, and file in the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida, this Certificate:

Article I

EFFECTIVE DATE

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The name of this corporation shall be known as FILIPINO COMMUNITY POLITICAL ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED and the initial address of the corporation is 6510 Antietam Drive, Pensacola, Florida 32503-7504 and the name of the registered agent at such address is JUSTO T. RUIZ.

Article II

The period of duration for this corporation is perpetual, unless dissolved according to law. The corporate existence shall commence on the 18th of November 1997.

Article III

This corporation is non-profit corporation organized for the following purpose:

1. To act as the coordinating agency and a spokesman for the many Filipinos in Pensacola and the neighboring areas to the State and National level of politics;

2. To foster and promote political interest and concern for the problems of the Filipino community, to the end that discrimination, economic and otherwise be eliminated; that the necessary means be found and utilized to assist in the education of the underprivileged members of the group.

3. To solicit, collect and receive money and other assets, by gift, contribution, devise and bequest or otherwise, and to hold the same in trust for the uses and purposes for which this corporation is organized.

4. To investigate, research and study the problems of the Filipino community and to furnish reports and recommendations thereon to various groups and agencies, public and private, concerned therewith.

5. The corporation shall not be used as a means of furthering any religious; or other personal aspirations, nor shall the corporation as a whole take an active part in any activity not in keeping with the true purpose and objective of the corporation.

Article IV

The qualification for membership shall be composed of Filipinos of excellent moral character who subscribes to the aims and purposes of this organization. In addition, the qualification for membership and the manner of admission are written in the Constitution and By-laws of the organization.

Article V

The number of Officers that constitute the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is eight, and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

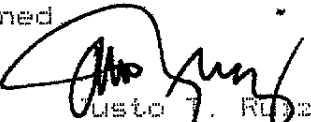
Benito C. Bernal	President	940 Rustic Lane, Pensacola, Fl. 32506
Jess T. Ruiz	Vice-Pres.	6510 Antietam Dr., Pensacola, Fl. 32503
Arturo Caraig	Treasurer	313 Teakwood Cir., Pensacola, Fl. 32506
Ted D. Lapina	Auditor	3103 Greenwood Dr., Milton, Fl. 32570
Ched Davis	Secretary	2107 Coral Creek Dr., Pensacola, Fl. 325
Dino Alhambra	PRD	1410 Harold Ave., Pensacola, Fl. 32514
Conrado Misa	Chaplain	119 W. Loretta St., Pensacola, Fl. 32505
Herminio Ayson	Marshall	1714 Athens Ave., Pensacola, Fl. 32507

Article VI

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the corporation will be turned over to one or more organizations described in sections 501 (c) (3), and 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future law, for the Federal, State, or local government for exclusive public purpose.

Article VII

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned, have hereunto set my hand and seal to this Certificate of Incorporation, as subscriber as aforesaid on this 18th day of November 1997, and made and executed this Certificate of Incorporation at Pensacola, Florida for the uses and purposes therein aforementioned.


Justo T. Ruiz

STATE OF FLORIDA)
 SS
COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA)

Before me, Justo T. Ruiz, personally appeared, to me well _____
known to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of _____
Incorporation and acknowledged before me, according to law, that he _____
made and subscribed the same for the purpose therein mentioned _____

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
18th day of November 1997.

Glenda Harrison
Glenda Harrison

Notary Public

Florida Driver's License was verified.



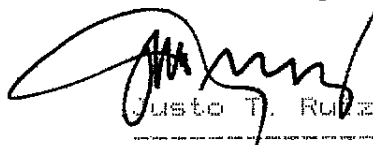
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ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

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Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, the FILIPINO COMMUNITY POLITICAL ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED, 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, and I accept the duties and obligations of Section 607.325 Florida Statutes.


Justo T. Ruiz

Registered Agent

STATE OF FLORIDA)
SS
COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA)

Before me, Justo T. Ruiz, personally appeared, to me well known to be the person who executed and subscribed and sworn to before me this instrument aforementioned above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of November 1997.

Glenda Harrison

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