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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF

GREAT FAMILY CENTER, INC.

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The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I: CORPORATE NAME

The name of the "Corporation not for profit" is GREAT FAMILY CENTER, INC.

ARTICLE II:

This Corporation not for profit shall be perpetual commencing with the filing of these Articles.

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE

This Corporation not for profit is organized for the specific purpose(s) of:

This corporation is a not for profit corporation organized under Chapter 617, Fla. Statutes. The purpose of this corporation is to exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporations. Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, benevolent, eleemosynary, educational, historical, civic, patriotic, political, religious, social, fraternal, literary, cultural, athletic, scientific, agricultural, horticultural, animal husbandry, and professional, commercial, industrial, or trade association purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, (or the correspondence section of any future tax code). The Corporation shall not engage in any action which is not permitted to be carried on by not for profit corporations under the Internal Revenue Code and no part of the earnings of the corporation shall inure 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 to these people for services rendered, and to make payment and distribution in furtherance of stated

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purposes. Said corporation is organized exclusively for the specific purpose of making all men see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the world hath been hid in God, who created things and pursuit of charitable purposes as outlined herein and permitted by law.

#### ARTICLE IV: POWERS

This Corporation not for profit shall have the following corporate powers, including but not limited to:

A. Conduct its affairs, carry on its operations, and have offices and exercise the powers granted by this act in any state, territory, district, or possession of the United States or any foreign country.

B. Sue and be sued and appear and defend in all actions and proceedings in its corporate name to the same extent as a natural person.

C. Make contracts and incur liabilities, borrow money at such rates of interest as the corporation may determine, issue its notes, bonds, and other obligations, and secure any of its obligations by mortgage and pledge of all or any of its property, franchises, or income.

D. Purchase, take, receive, lease, take by gift, devise, or bequest, or otherwise acquire, own, hold, improve, use, or otherwise deal in and with real or personal property, or any interest therein, wherever situated.

E. Acquire, enjoy, utilize, and dispose of patents, copyrights, and trademarks and any licenses and other rights or interests thereunder or therein.

F. Sell, convey mortgage, pledge, lease, exchange, transfer, or otherwise dispose of all or any part of its property or assets.

G. Purchase, take, receive, subscribe for, or otherwise acquire, own, hold, vote, use, employ, sell, mortgage, lend, pledge, or otherwise dispose of and otherwise use and deal in and with, shares and other interests in, or obligations of, other domestic or foreign corporations, whether for profit or not for profit, associations, partnerships, or individuals, or direct or indirect obligations of the United States, or of any other government, state, territory, governmental district, municipality, or of any instrumentality thereof.

H. Lend money for its corporate purposes, invest and reinvest its funds, and take and hold real and personal property as security for the payment of funds loaned or invested except as prohibited by s.617.0833.

I. Make donations for the public welfare or for religious,

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charitable, scientific, educational, or other similar purposes.

J. Have and exercise all powers necessary or convenient to effect any or all of the purposes for which the corporation is organized.

K. Merge with other corporations both for profit and not for profit, domestic and foreign, if the surviving corporation is a corporation not for profit.

#### ARTICLE V: REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The initial street address of the corporation's principal office is: 2850 Avenue F, Riviera Beach, Florida 333404 and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Roselle Michel.

#### ARTICLE VI: DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors will be elected or appointed in accordance with the bylaws. The initial Board of Directors only until the first meeting shall have four (4) members whose names and addresses are:

1. Roselle Michel  
2850 Avenue F  
Riviera Beach, FL 33404
2. Jacques Michel  
832 Green Street  
West Palm Beach, FL 33405
3. Jean-Allah Monestime  
154 Cypress Way  
Naples, FL 33942
4. Franck Beany Patterson  
216 Sparrow Drive  
Apt. #1  
Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411

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#### ARTICLE VII: OFFICERS

The name(s) and address(es) of each initial officer of the corporation for filing is as follows:

President  
Roselle Michel  
2850 Avenue F  
Riviera Beach, FL 33404

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Vice President  
Jacques Michel  
832 Green Street  
West Palm Beach, FL 33405

Treasurer  
Roselle Michel  
2850 Avenue F  
Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Secretary  
Jean-Allah Monestime  
154 Cypress Way  
Naples, FL 33942

**ARTICLE VIII: INCORPORATOR(S)**

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of  
Incorporation as subscriber is:

Roselle Michel  
2850 Avenue F  
Riviera Beach, FL 33404

**ARTICLE IX**

Any person 21 years of age or older committed to the specific  
and primary purpose stated herein, upon approval of the Board of  
Directors, shall be eligible for membership in this Corporation.

**ARTICLE X**

No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall  
be carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence  
legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or  
intervene in, any public campaign on behalf of any candidate for  
public office. Notwithstanding any of these provisions of these

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Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a Corporation exempt from Federal and State income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

#### ARTICLE XI

The Board of Directors shall have the power to make, alter or rescind the By-Laws of the Corporation by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors at any meeting called pursuant to the By-Laws.

#### ARTICLE XII

The Board of Directors shall have the power to amend these Articles of Incorporation by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors, provided that such action be undertaken pursuant to the By-Laws of the corporation or in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE XIII

The Corporation is formed solely for religious and charitable purposes. The Corporation is not engaged, nor shall it be operated for the primary purpose of generating pecuniary gain or profit, and it will not distribute any gains, profit or dividends to the Members thereof, or to any individual, except that the Corporation may compensate an individual for services rendered and may make payments and distributions in furtherance of its specific and primary purposes. The property, assets, profits, and net income of the Corporation are irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes.

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and no part of the profit or net income of the Corporation shall inure to be the benefit of any Director, Officer or Member or to the benefit of any individual.

ARTICLE XIV

Upon winding up and dissolution of the Corporation, the remaining property and assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, (or the correspondence section of any future tax code), or shall be distributed to the Federal government or to a state or local government for a public purpose.

ARTICLE XV

Any person, their heir, executor or assign is made or is threatened to be made a party to any action, suit or proceeding by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Director or Officer of the Corporation shall be indemnified by the Corporation against any and all liability and the reasonable expense, including attorney's fee and disbursement incurred by him or her in connection with the appearance therein, except in relation to matters as to which shall be judged in such action, suit or proceeding that such Director or Officer is liable of negligence or misconduct in the performance of his or her duties. Such right of indemnification shall not be deemed exclusive of any other right to which such director or Officer may be entitled apart from this Article.

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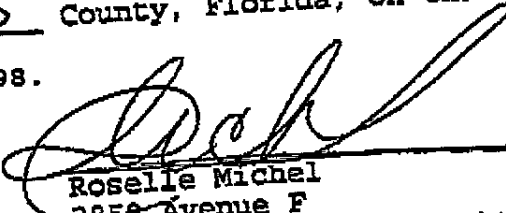


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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned incorporator of this corporation, has executed these Articles of Incorporation at

OAKLAND PARK (city), BROWARD County, Florida, on this

28<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1998.

  
Roselle Michel  
2850 Avenue F  
Riviera Beach, FL 33404  
(561) 870-1699

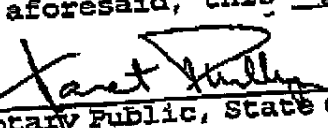
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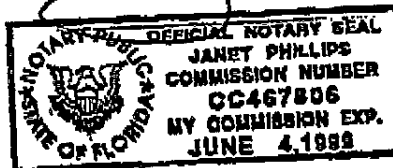
BEFORE ME, a notary public authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Roselle Michel, known to me or produced Florida Drivers License for identification and known by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and she acknowledged before me that she executed those Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1998.

  
Notary Public, State of Florida

My commission expires:

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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED  
OFFICE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA

In compliance with Section 617.0501, Florida Statutes, the  
following is submitted:

That GREAT FAMILY CENTER, INC., desiring to organize or  
qualify under the laws of the State of Florida has named ROSELLE  
MICHEL, as its registered agent to accept service of process within  
Florida, at: 2850 Avenue F, Riviera Beach, Florida 33404, which  
address is also designated as the initial registered office of the  
corporation first mentioned above.

  
Roselle Michel  
Registered Agent

Date: 04-28-98

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Having been named registered agent to accept service of  
process for the above stated corporation, at the place designated  
in the certificate, I, Roselle Michel, hereby agree to act in that  
capacity and further agree to comply with the provisions of all  
statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of such  
duties.

  
Roselle Michel

Date: 04/21/98

STATE OF FLORIDA )

COUNTY OF Broward )

ss.:

BEFORE ME, a notary public authorized to take acknowledgments  
in the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Roselle  
Michel, known to me or produced Florida Drivers License for  
identification and known by me to be the person who executed the

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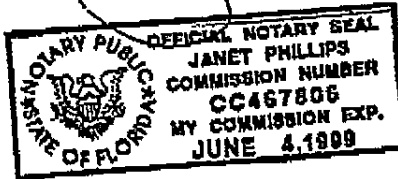
foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and she acknowledged before me that she executed those Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1998.

*Janet Phillips*  
Notary Public, State of Florida

My commission expires:

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