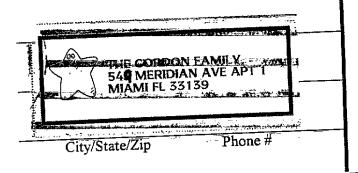
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#### ARTICLE OF INCORPORATION

OF

#### CUBAN AMERICAN & INTERNATIONAL ARTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.

(A Florida not for profit corporation)

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation.

#### ARTICLE\_I

#### Name and Address

The name of this corporation shall be as follows: CUBAN AMERICAN & INTERNATIONAL ARTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.

The principal address of the time of incorporation is: 549 Meridian Avenue, Suite #1 - Maimi Beach, FL 33139

ARTICLE II

Enabling Law

This corporation is organized pursuant to Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.

#### <u>ARTICLE III</u>

#### **Duration of Corporation**

The corporation shall have perpetual existence unless dissolved according to law.

Corporate existence shall commence on the date these Articles of Incorporation are filed by the Secretary of the Department of Corporation for the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### **Purpose of Corporation**

This corporation is a nonprofit benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. The corporation is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for Charitable and Educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the International Revenue Code to aid children and individuals from all walks of life with artistic abilities, that are in a disavantage situation or maybe at risk and have limited resources, towards a life of self sufficiency.

There is a great need and responsability to perserve everyone's cultural roots, through the process of education and any other justififiable artistic means. A group of internationally concern professional entertainers and visual artist cooperated in an effort to create interest, excitiment and deliver educational value to disadvantage youth that maybe or are at risk.

In an effort to stimulate these youth's five senses and satisfy their artistic appetite, through the introduction of rare and commond musical instruments and visual artistic concepts, that compliment each other during artistical or muscial performances, the organization will be seeking and requesting the assistance of not only national artist, but as well artist that are abroad to bring cultural authenticity to each program's concept.

The organization will consist of the following programs and events, but not limited to the following organization curriculum:

- 1) To conduct activities and workshops in coorporation with local and international artist, for the youth that are artistically inclind and may have low self-esteem coming from broken homes, which maybe at risk of crime and residing in low or moderate income areas.
- 2) To render services that pertain to cultural arts and cultural enrichment, offier educational/support service to potential drop-out youth to support their need through counseling and academic tutorial classess as a menditory part of the program.

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- 3) To develop special recreational activities to train youth from all walks of life to master skills which they may have personal interest, such as: a) Music b) Dance c) Drama d) Visual Arts e) Modeling f) Academic Tutoring
- 4) To develop a youth motivating mentor forum networking with other supporting agencies as a prevenative outreach method to target youth into becoming future leaders in the community marketing positive levels of skills for other disavantage youth at risk too.
- 5) Said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, cultural, educational and scientic purposes, including for such purposes, the making and distributions to organizations that qualifify as exempt organizations under sections 501(c) (3) of the International Revenue Code Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earning of the organization shall inure to the benefit of or the distributable to it's members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonal compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the purposes clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attenting to influence legislation and the organization shall not participate in , or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on be half of any canidate for public office. Notwithstandingany other provision of this document, the organizationshall not carry on ay other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) an organizartion, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c) (2) of the International Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code as indicated in, ARTICLE - XIV (DISTRIBUTION ON DISSOLUTION).

6) To have and to exercise all authority, rights, and powers conferred upon not for profit corporations under the laws of Florida generally, and specifically as provided, however, that his corporation is not authorized or empowered to engage in any activity that, in itself, is not in furtherance of it's purposes as set forth in subparagraph (a) of this Article IV.

#### ARTICLE V

#### Registered Office and Agent

The address of the Registered office is 7521 N.W. 3rd Avenue, Miami, Florida 33150, Miami-Dade County, and the name of the registered agent of the corporation shall be Unlimited Consulting & Associated c/o: Lorna Shuford

#### ARTICLE VI

#### Incorporator(s)

The following five persons shall serve the corporation as directors until the first annual meeting or other meeting called to elect directors.

NAME
ADDRESS

Jorge M. Gordon
549 Meridian Ave. #1

Lorna Shuford
7521 N.W. 3th Ave.

Claudia A. Tobar
549 Meridian Ave. #1

The undersigned incorporators have executed these articles of Incorporation this 6th day of May, 1998.

Signature Signature

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### ARTICLE VII



## Qualification and Admission of Members

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DELMA R. RODRIGUEZ Comm. No. CC 566352

My Comm. Exp. June 24, 2000 Bonded thru Pichard Ins. Agcy.

The powers, duties, and privileges of the members of the corporation, and the manner of their admission, shall be such as are specified in the manner of their admission, shall be such as are specified in the by-laws of the corporation. All provisions in these Articles of Incorporation, or in the by-laws of the corporation and the qualifications for membership in the corporation and qualifications for membership in the corporation and the qualification for membership in the corporation are expressly inteneded to be in furtherance, and not in limitation or exclusion, of the powers conferred by statute.

IN WITHNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 6th day of May, 1998.

Signature of Incorporator:

STATE OF FLORID )

SS:

COUNTY OF DADE)

Before me, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in the state and country set forth above, personally appeared Lorna Shuford, personally known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, who executed these Articles of Incorporation without taking an oath.

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION

REGISTERED AGENT/ REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of selection 607. 325(0501), Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement of designating the registered office/ registered agent in the State of Florida.

1. The name of the corporation is: Cuban American & International Artist Association, Inc.

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Lorna Shuford 7521 N.W. 3rd Ave. Maimi, FL 33150

Testifing Official:

Acceptance Acknowledgement:

Signature:

Date: May 6.

Signature:

Title: Ceo-President

Date: May 6, 1998

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICES OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION, 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(0501), FLORIDA SATUTES.

Signature:

Date: May 6.