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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

CITIZENS FOR BETTER SCHOOLS, INC.

(A FLORIDA NONPROFIT CORPORATION)

ARTICLE ONE

Name

The name of the Corporation is CITIZENS FOR BETTER SCHOOLS, INC.

ARTICLE TWO

Principal Office and Address

The address of the principal office of the corporation is 101 53rd Street NW, Bradenton, Florida 34209.

ARTICLE THREE

Purpose

To act as a Political Committee as defined by Florida Statute 106.011.

ARTICLE FOUR

Directors

The initial Directors are as follows and the method of election of the Directors is set forth in the By-Laws.

Rex E. Jensen

6215 Lorraine Road

Bradenton, Florida 34202

Anthony J. Chiofalo

6215 Lorraine Road

Bradenton, Florida 34202

Linda C. Cinque

101 53rd Street NW

Bradenton, Florida 34209

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Mac Stevenson

4611 7th Street Court East Ellenton, Florida 34222

ARTICLE FIVE

Registered Office and Agent

The initial registered office of the Corporation shall be located at 1023 Manatee Avenue West, Bradenton, Florida 34205. The initial registered agent of the Corporation at that address shall be William S. Galvano.

ARTICLE SIX

Incorporator

The name and residence address of the incorporator is:

William S. Galvano

1808 97th Street NW Bradenton, Florida 34209

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned Incorporator, for the purposes of forming a corporation not for profit pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, do make, subscribe and acknowledge this certificate and I have hereunto duly executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State of Florida, for the purposes therein set forth.

William S. Galvano, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA) COUNTY OF MANATEE)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 25th day of August, 1998 by William S. Galvano who has produced ______as identification or who is personally known to me and who did not take an oath.

My Commission Expires:



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CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS WITH THIS STATE, NAMED AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

Pursuant to the provision of Sections 617.0501, Florida Statues, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/ Registered Agent, in the State of Florida.

- 1. The name of the corporation is CITIZENS FOR BETTER SCHOOLS, INC.
- 2. The name and address of the Registered Agent and office is: William S. Galvano, 1023 Manatee Avenue West, Bradenton, Florida 34205.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named as Registered Agent and to accept service of process for the above stated not for profit corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as Registered Agent.

William S. Galvano Registered Agent

DATED this the 25th day of August, 1998.

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