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Re: Equine Challengers, Inc.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation, together with my check in the amount of \$122.50.

This represents the cost of the Filing Fees, Certified Copy of Articles of Incorporation and Fee for Registered Agent Designation for the above named corporation.

Very truly yours,

*Louis Benishek*

Louis Benishek  
Equine Challengers, Inc.

935 Bay Street  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168  
(904)427-4701

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Sandra B. Mortham  
Secretary of State

September 8, 1998

LOUIS BENISHEK  
935 BAY STREET  
NEW SMYRNA BEACH, FL 32168

SUBJECT: EQUINE CHALLENGERS, INC.

This letter will confirm that due to a clerical error the above referenced corporation was incorrectly filed as a PROFIT (P97000060543) corporation. Please be advised, we have corrected our records to reflect this corporation as a NONPROFIT corporation and assigned new document number N98000005106 with the original file date of July 10, 1997.

Any annual reports submitted this office should reflect the new document number.

We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this error may have caused you.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact this office at the address indicated below.

Sincerely,  
Sharon Davis  
Document Specialist Supervisor  
New Filings Section

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# ***ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION***

***OF***

***EQUINE CHALLENGERS, INC.***

The Undersigned acting as the incorporators of a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation Act, adopt the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

## ***ARTICLE I - CORPORATE NAME***

The name of the corporation is:

**EQUINE CHALLENGERS, INC.**

## ***ARTICLE II - DURATION***

This corporation will exist perpetually unless dissolved according to Florida law.

## ***ARTICLE III - PURPOSE***

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

## ***ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK***

This corporation shall have no capital stock and shall be composed of members rather than shareholders.

## ***ARTICLE V - PRINCIPAL OFFICE***

The street address and mailing address of the initial principal office is:

Equine Challengers, Inc.  
935 Bay Street  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168

## ***ARTICLE VI - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT***

The street address of the initial registered office and the name of the initial registered agent at the office is:

Louis Benishek  
935 Bay Street  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168

### **ARTICLE VII - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

This corporation shall have two (2) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than one (1). The names and addresses of the initial directors of the corporation are as follows:

Louis Benishek  
935 Bay Street  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168

Robin Benishek  
935 Bay Street  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168

### **ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATORS**

The names and addresses of the incorporators signing these Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

Louis Benishek  
935 Bay Street  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168

Robin Benishek  
935 Bay Street  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168

The undersigned incorporators have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 7 of July, 19 97.

Louis Benishek

Robin Benishek

***CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION  
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE***

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Equine Challengers, Inc.

Pursuant to Florida Statutes Sections 48.091 and 607.0501, the following  
is submitted:

The above corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida  
with its registered office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at

935 Bay Street  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168

has named Louis Benishek, located at the same address, as its registered agent to  
accept service of process within this state.

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for  
the above stated 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.

Louis Benishek  
(Signature)

7-7-97  
(Date)