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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF AIRSHIP RESEARCH IN SCIENCE AND EDUCATION, INC.

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We the undersigned incorporators, hereby associate ourselves together and make, subscribe, acknowledge and file with the Secretary of State of the State of Florida these Articles of Incorporation for the purposes of forming a corporation not for profit in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of the corporation shall be:

Airship Research in Science and Education, Inc.

The principle office is located at: c/o Christine Fuller Lippard

780 Terra Ceia Road

PO Box 383.

Terra Ceia, FL 34250-0383

ARTICLE II

Purposes

The purposes for which this corporation is organized and shall be operated are:

- (a)(1) This corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for scientific research and development using Airships with other advanced technologies to monitor and protect wildlife along with air and water quality. An Airship gives scientists an aerial platform for studying wildlife and monitoring air and water quality. Airships are less invasive than planes, helicopters or boats. As a means for the accomplishment of scientific research and education with the use of Airships, it shall be within the purposes of this corporation to establish, maintain and pursue any and all activities permitted by the laws of the State of Florida which, from time to time, shall seem expedient to its Board of Directors and Officers and which shall further the stated purposes of this corporation.
- (a)(2) It shall be within the purposes of this corporation to receive and maintain a fund or funds of real or personal property, or both, and subject to the restrictions and limitations hereinafter set forth, to use and apply the whole or any part of the income therefrom and the principal thereof exclusively for Airship research and development for scientific purposes either directly or by contributions to organizations exempt under Section 501 (C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations thereunder.
- (b) No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, director, officer of this corporation, or any private individual, except that reasonable compensation may be paid to members, trustees, directors or officers for services rendered to or for this corporation affecting one or more of its purposes, and no member, trustee, director, or officer of this corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution or any of the corporate assets on dissolution of this corporation. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda

or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

- (c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, this corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the regulations issued thereunder, or by an organization contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(C)(2) of such Code and regulations issued thereunder.
- (d) Upon the dissolution of this corporation or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of this corporation shall be distributed to scientific or educational organizations which would then qualify for the provisions of Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations issued thereunder, and no member, trustee, officer or private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the assets.

ARTICLE III

Powers

This corporation shall have and exercise all powers necessary or convenient to effect any and all airship research and development for scientific purposes for which this corporation is organized.

ARTICLE IV

Members

The members of this corporation shall consist of those persons who join as subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation, those persons identified herein as members of the initial Board of Directors and such other persons as may from time to time be elected and admitted to membership by the Board of Directors of this corporation in accordance with the provisions of the by-laws of this corporation.

ARTICLE V

Terms of Existence

The term for which this corporation is to exist shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE VI

Subscriber

Name

Address

Christine Fuller Lippard

780 Terra Ceia Road PO Box 383 Terra Ceia, FL 34250-0383

ARTICLE VII

Officers and Directors

The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors who shall be elected as provided in the by-laws and by officers who shall be elected by the Board of Directors. The officers thus to be elected shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer and such other officers as may be provided for in the by-laws of this corporation. The duties of the respective officers and the manner of filling vacancies in the offices of this corporation shall be provided in the by-laws.

The number of Directors and the manner of filling vacancies in the Board of Directors shall be provided in the by-laws of this corporation. The number shall not be less than one and not more than ten. A quorum for the transaction of business shall be a majority of the Directors qualified and active, and the act of a majority of the Directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the directors. Meetings may be held in or out of the Sate of Florida.

ARTICLE VIII

Officers

The names and addresses of the officers of this corporation who, subject to these Articles and the by-laws of this corporation and the laws of the State of Florida, shall hold office for the first year of the existence of this corporation, or until an election is held by the Directors of this corporation for the election of permanent officers, or until their successors have been duly elected and qualified are:

NAME	OFFICE	ADDRESS
Christine Fuller Lippard	President Vice President Treasurer	780 Terra Ceia Rd. PO Box 383 Terra Ceia, FL 34250-0383
Stephanie Jones	Secretary	3040 Grand View Avenue Clearwater, FL 33759

ARTICLE IX

Directors

NAME	ADDRESS
Christine Fuller Lippard	780 Terra Ceia Rd PO Box 383 Terra Ceia, FL 34250-0383
Brad Weigle	780 Terra Ceia Rd PO Box 317 Terra Ceia, FL 34250-0317
Cory Adler	861 12 th Avenue North St. Petersburg, FL 33701

Directors (Cont'd)

R. Lynn Gervais

1150 7th Street North St. Petersburg, FL 33701

Marianna Murphy

5471 4th Street South St. Petersburg, FL 33705

Stephanie Jones

3040 Grand View, Avenue Clearwater, FL 33759

ARTICLE X

By-Laws

The by-laws of this corporation may be made, altered or rescinded from time to time in whole or in part by a majority vote of the Directors of this corporation present at any meeting of the Board of Directors duly called and convened; provided, however, that a quorum is present at the meeting of the Board of Directors and notice of the proposed action with respect to the by-laws shall have been mailed by the secretary to all of the members of the Board of Directors at least ten (10) days before the meeting.

ARTICLE XI

Amendment of Articles of Incorporation

These Articles may be amended by resolution adopted by the majority vote of the Directors of this corporation present at any meeting of the Board of Directors duly called and convened; provided, however, that unless ten days advance notice of the amendment or amendments to be considered at such meeting shall have been given in writing by mail to each member of the Board prior to such meeting, these Articles may be amended only by resolution adopted by two-thirds vote of the members at such meeting.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have executed these Articles of Incorporation for the uses and purposes therein expressed this 174 day of September, 1998.

Christine Fuller Lippard

AIRSHIP RESEARCH IN SCIENCE AND EDUCATION, INC.

ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AS REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned, Christine Fuller Lippard, having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above-named corporation, at the registered office designated by such corporation in its Articles of Incorporation, or otherwise, hereby agrees and consents to act in that capacity. The undersigned is familiar with and accepts the duties and obligations of Section 607.325, Florida Statutes,

DATED this _____day of September, 1998

CHRISTINE FULLER LIPPARD

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this _____ day of September, 1998, personally appeared Christine Fuller Lippard, to me known to be the person described in and who signed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged to me that the same were executed freely and voluntarily, for the uses and purposes expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal the date aforesaid.

,	Notary Public Ynthia P Printed Name My Commission Expires:	Cynthia Paige Mueller + My Commission CC708107		
	•	Expires January 14, 2002		