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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF CENTRAL FLORIDA FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION. INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of this corporation pursuant to Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, hereby forms a corporation not for pecuniary profit under the laws of the State of Florida and adopts the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation.

#### **ARTICLE I - NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of this corporation is CENTRAL FLORIDA FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION, INC.

#### ARTICLE II - TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

# ARTICLE III - PURPOSES AND POWERS OF CORPORATION

- A. This corporation is organized exclusively to promote the sport of girls' fast-pitch softball, and to engage in such activities as proper for an organization which qualifies under Section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- B. This corporation shall be authorized to carry out any and all acts and to exercise any and all corporate powers which may now or hereafter be lawful under the laws of the State of Florida to the extent applicable to a corporation not for pecuniary profit and not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation.
  - C. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation:
- 1. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that this corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in this Article.
- 2. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- 3. This corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation which qualifies as an organization under Section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- 4. If the corporation is, or shall ever be, classified as a "private foundation", as defined in Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding section of any future tax code, it shall comply with the provisions of Section 617.0105, Florida Statutes, for so long as it remains a private foundation.

#### ARTICLE IV - MEMBERSHIP

- A. This corporation shall be a membership organization with each member entitled to vote as set forth in the By-Laws.
- B. The qualifications for becoming a member and the manner of admission of additional members will be as regulated by the Bylaws.

# ARTICLE V - REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

A. The address of this corporation's initial registered office and the principal business address shall be as follows:

20 N. Orange Ave., Suite 1000 Orlando, Florida 32801-4626

B. The initial registered agent of this corporation at the above address is Andrew M. Brumby.

#### ARTICLE VI - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- A. The initial number of directors of this corporation shall be four (4).
- B. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws of this corporation, but shall never be less than three (3). The directors shall be elected by the members as stated in the Corporation's By-Laws.
- C. The names and street addresses of the initial members of the Board of Directors, who shall hold office for the first year of existence of this corporation or until their successors are elected or appointed and have qualified, are:

Name	Street Address
John Mixon	12435 Friendship Road Clermont, Florida 34711
Debbie Mixon	12435 Friendship Road Clermont, Florida 34711
Donna Tordi	7675 Apple Tree Circle Orlando, Florida 32819
Fran Lawrick	17802 Westbay Court Winter Garden, Florida 34787

D. The members reserve the exclusive power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal the Bylaws of this corporation; provided, however, that the initial Bylaws of this corporation shall be adopted by the Board of Directors, subject to the approval by the members.

# ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Andrew M. Brumby 20 N. Orange Ave., Suite 1000 Orlando, FL 32801-4626

### ARTICLE VIII - INDEMNIFICATION OF CORPORATION

This corporation may in the discretion of the Board of Directors indemnify any officer, director or any former officer or director to the extent provided by law.

#### ARTICLE IX - DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION

Upon the dissolution of this corporation, whether voluntary or involuntary, no member shall be entitled to any distribution or division of its remaining property, and the assets of this corporation, after payment of all debts and obligations of this corporation, shall be distributed as may be required or organizations within the meaning of Section 501(c)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provision of any future federal tax code, as determined by and within the discretion of the then existing Board of Directors.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has made and subscribed these Articles of Incorporation at Orlando, Florida, this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 1998.

Andrew M. Brumby

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Andrew M. Brumby, known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and (he) acknowledged that he subscribed said instrument for the uses and purposes set forth herein.

WITNESS my hand an official seal in the State and County aforesaid, this 25th day of September, 1998.

OFFICIAL NOTARY SEAL
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NOTARY FUELIC STAYLE OF FLORIDA
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MY COMMISSION EXP. DEC. 52001

Notary Public, State of Florida

My commission expires:

## CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA AND REGISTERED AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In compliance with Sections 48.091 and 617.0501, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

CENTRAL FLORIDA FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION, INC. (the "Corporation"), desiring to organize as a domestic corporation or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida has named Andrew M. Brumby as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida with its Registered Agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida with its registered office located at 20 N. Orange Ave., Suite 1000, Orlando, FL 32801-4626.

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named as registered agent for the above named corporation, at the place designated in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, I hereby accept such designation and agree to act in such capacity, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of Section 617.0501, Florida Statutes, as the same may apply to the Corporation; and I further agree to comply with the provisions of Section 48.091 and all other statutes, all as the same may apply to the Corporation relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties as Registered Agent.

Dated this 25\_\_\_ day of September, 1998.

Andrew M. Brumby

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