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SUBJECT: Orlando Regional Police & Fire Pipes and Drums, Inc.  
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00  
Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee &  
Certificate of  
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Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

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Filing Fee,  
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: F. Stewart Meredith  
Name (Printed or typed)

421 Tivoli Park Drive  
Address

Davenport FL 33837  
City, State & Zip

941-420-0505  
Daytime Telephone number

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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION FOR:  
ORLANDO REGIONAL POLICE & FIRE PIPES & DRUMS, INC.**

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**Article I:**

The name of this organization shall be Orlando Regional Police & Fire Pipes & Drums, Inc.

**Article II:**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be 421 Tivoliv Park Drive, Davenport, FL 33837

**Article III:**

The purpose of this organization is:

- A. To teach the playing of highland bagpipes and drums.
- B. To preserve and promote Scottish and Irish traditions in music and events.
- C. To support the continuing good community relationship between the police and fire departments of the Orlando regional area.
- E. To entertain the public via parades, engagements and other events.

Section 2: This organization is formed exclusively for educational, and charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. No part of the assets or net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to, its members, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization shall be empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth.

Section 3: No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be for the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation. This organization shall not participate in any political campaign for, or opposed to, any candidate for public office.

**Article IV:**

Orlando Regional Police and Fire Pipes and Drums founders, Scotty Meredith and Dave Scott, shall be afforded a lifetime position on the Board of Directors. These positions will terminate with these two people.

All elected officers are elected by a written ballot at the Annual General Meeting. Special Elections may be called to fill an unexpired term by the Executive Board with 30 days prior membership notification.

Elections for officers will be held at the Annual General Meeting. Election will be by a majority of Active members present and voting.

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**Article V:**

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent is:  
Gina Calhoun, 2114 Bouquest Ct. #102, Orlando, FL 32807

**Article VI:**

The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:  
F. Stewart Meredith, 421 Tivoli Park Drive, Davenport, FL 33837

**Article VII:**

The effective date of this corporation is November 28, 1998.

**Article VIII:**

The By-laws of this Corporation shall be drawn within 90 days on incorporation. Until the By-laws are drawn, Robert's Book of Rules shall be used to conduct all meetings.

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## ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:



Signature/Incorporator

12/01/98

Date

(An additional article must be added if an effective date is requested.)

*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.*



Signature/Registered Agent

12/01/98

Date