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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

FOR FLORIDA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

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FIRST:

The corporate name that satisfies the requirements of Section 617.0401 is Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc., Chapter #831-Melbourne, FL.

SECOND:

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are: The Vietnam Veterans of America, a congressionally-chartered veterans service organization is dedicated to promote and support the full range of issues important to Vietnam veterans and their families through legislation, employment, education and benefits programs.

THIRD:

The address of the principal office and the mailing address of the corporation is 4650 Knoxville Avenue, Cocoa, FL 32926.

FOURTH:

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 4650 Knoxville Avenue, Cocoa, FL 32926, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Bill Chapman.

FIFTH:

This corporation is organized under a non-stock basis.

SIXTH:

The method of election of directors is stated in the bylaws.

SEVENTH:

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors of the corporation is Four, and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve initially are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Bill Chapman	4650 Knoxville Avenue, Cocoa, FL 32926
Shirley Scheerer	4650 Knoxville Avenue, Cocoa, FL 32926
James Peterman	4650 Knoxville Avenue, Cocoa, FL 32926
Jim Lizor	4650 Knoxville Avenue, Cocoa, FL 32926

EIGHTH:

In the even of dissolution, the assets of the corporation will be distributed among the Florida State Council of the Vietnam Veterans of America.

NINTH:

The name and address of each Incorporator is:

Name

Address

Kelly Josiah

1025 Vermont Avenue, N.W.

Washington, DC 20005

Christy Knudson

1025 Vermont Avenue, N.W.

Washington, DC 20005

Charles Shampang

1025 Vermont Avenue, N.W.

Washington, DC 20005

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have made and signed this certificate this 23rd Day of April A.D. 1999 and we affirm the statements contained therein as true under penalties of perjury.

Kelly Josiah

1025 Vermont Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20005

Christy Knudson

1025 Vermont Avenue, N.W.

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Charles Shampang

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Having been named as Registered Agent and to receive service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in these provisions, 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 relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Dated / 22 , 199

Bill Chapman