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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

Status

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FROM: MUSSIE ESTIFANOS

Name (Printed or typed)

( 9375 Nelson Park Cir Apt # 201 Address

Orlando Fl 32817 City, State & Zip

(407) 207 8554

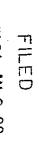
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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

June 10, 1999

MUSSIE ESTIFANOS 9375 NELSON PARK CIR., APT. 201 ORLANDO, FL 32817

SUBJECT: ERITREAN COMMUNITY IN GREATER ORLANDO,

INCORPORATED

Ref. Number: W99000013518

We have received your document for ERITREAN COMMUNITY IN GREATER ORLANDO, INCORPORATED and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The corporate suffix must be added to the corporate name throughout the application.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Please list only one person as Registered Agent. Only the one Registered Agent and Incorporator must sign the Articles.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6933.

Teresa Brown Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 499A00031330

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Act, hereby adopts(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

### ARTICLE I

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### Name

1.1 The name of the corporation shall be Eritrean Community in Greater Orlando Incorporated. Incorporated hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation" or the "organization". This organization is incorporated under Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act.

### **Principal Office**

1.2 The place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

Eritrean Community in Greater Orlando Incorporated P.O.Box 3022 Orlando FL 32802 USA

Tel (407) 207 8554, (407) 716 0304, (407) 382 6989 Fax (407) 482 0947



### ARTICLE II

### **Mission Statement**

- 2.1 To promote Eritrean cultural and traditional values
- 2.2 To develop Eritrean language and fight illiteracy
- 2.3 To promote sport and cultural activities
- 2.4 To promote brotherhood, peaceful coexistence
- 2.5 To provide assistance and solve social problems that members face in the USA
- 2.6 To provide assistance to members of the community as long as the community has the resources and financial capabilities
- 2.7 To interact with Humanitarian organizations and create mutual relationship with other communities

### ARTICLE III

## Members Right

- 6.1 Every member has a single vote
- 6.2 Every member has the right to elect or be elected for an office or to work in various sub committees
- 6.3 Whenever a member moves from Orlando and it is his/her desire to remain member of the Organization, his rights as a member are protected.
- 6.4 Every member has the right to suggest constructive ideas and make constructive criticism for the benefit of the organization.

### ARTICLE VIII

### Meetings

- 8.1 General Assembly shall be once a year in the month of June.
- 8.2 General meetings will be once every three months.

### ARTICLE IX

### **Organizational Structure**

- 9.1 Assembly
- 9.1.1 Assembly has the highest authority
- 9.1.2 Quorum shall be two-third of the members and when upon given time two of the members are not present it shall be 50% plus 1.
- 9.1.3 Decision made during general meetings shall be based on simple majority.
- 9.1.4 When amendment to be made or whenever extra ordinary meeting is needed it shall be upon obtaining two-third votes of the members.
- 9.2 General Assembly and Election of Board of Directors
- 9.2.1 Executive committee shall prepare for General assembly and elect nominating committee
- 9.2.2 The Assembly shall elect the seven member board of directors by secrete ballot annually in the month of June.
- 9.2.3 A candidate that obtains the highest vote shall be chair person of the board of directors.

### ARTICLE XII

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

Mussie Estifanos 9375 Nelson Park Cir Apt 201 Orlando FL 32817 Tel (407) 207 8554

### ARTICLE XIII

The name and address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation is:

Mussie Estifanos 9375 Nelson Park Cir Apt 201 Orlando FL 32817 Tel (407) 207 8554

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 statues 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.

Mussie Estifanos

Date