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 Division of Corporations  
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**SUBJECT: NIGERIAN COMMUNITY FORUM OF TAMPA BAY, 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

☐ \$122.50  
 Filing Fee  
 & Certified Copy

☒ \$131.25  
 Filing Fee,  
 Certified Copy  
 & Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM: MR. Bode Ishola**  
 Name (Printed or typed)

**P.O. Box 22842**  
 Address

**TAMPA, FLORIDA 33622**  
 City, State & Zip

**(813) 928-2633**  
 Daytime Telephone number

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 TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

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

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

Nigerian Community Forum of Tampa Bay Area, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

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

8508 WALLABY WAY, TAMPA, FLORIDA 33635

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 22842

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE(S)**

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is(are):

To foster unity and cooperation among Nigerians  
To promote networking among Nigerian Community

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is:

Elections via majority vote at annual meeting  
each May.

**ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

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

ROWLAND C. OBI  
8508 WALLABY WAY  
TAMPA, FLORIDA 33635

**ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR**

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

Mr. Bode Ishola  
P.O. Box 22842, TAMPA, FL 33622

Bode Ishola

Signature/Incorporator

8/1/99

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.

Rowland C. OBI

Signature/Registered Agent

8/1/99

Date

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