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September 24, 1999

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Re:

Transmittal Letter / Miami Beach Historical Association, Inc.,

a Not for Profit Corporation

To the Division of Corporations:

Two original copies of the Articles of Incorporation for the Miami Beach Historical Association, Inc., a Not for Profit Corporation are enclosed, as well as a check in the amount of \$78.75 (\$35.00 filing fees fee; \$35.00 designation of registered agent; \$8.75 for a certificate of status).

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Abraham D. Lavender

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AUTHORIZATION BY PHONE TO

DATE 9-30-99

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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

Miami Beach Historical Association, INC.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

> %Abraham D. Lavender P.O. Box 398866 Miami Beach, Florida 33239

ARTICLE III PURPOSES

To promote historical awareness, publish historical writings and preserve historical records.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Initial Directors shall be selected and appointed by the Executive Director. Subsequent Directors shall be appointed in the manner specified in the Bylaws. Abraham D. Lavender shall be the initial Executive Director. Brian Abramson P.O. Box 398866, Miami Beach, Florida 33239 Noah Franklin P.O. Box 398866, Miami Beach, Florida 33239 ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR

Abraham D. Lavender Department of Sociology Florida International University DM Room 334 North Miami, Florida 33199

Signature/Incorporator

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 a familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent

Signature/Registered Agent

9-24-99

Date