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SUBJECT:	BLACK	LOTUS ACAD (Proposed corpor	EMY OF THE MAR	TIAL ARTS, II	1C.
Enclosed is an	original and or \$70.00 Filing Fee	S78.75 Filing Fee	he articles of incorpor \$122.50 Filing Fee & Certified Copy	ration and a check 87.50 \$131.25 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate	for :
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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned, acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation pursuant to chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation: 20 21 P 3:01

ARTICLE I Name

The name of the corporation shall be:

BLACK LOTUS ACADEMYMORITHE MARTIAL ARTS, INC.

ARTICLE II

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

> 18736 SW 107th AVENUE Miami, Florida 33157

ARTICLE III Purpose(s)

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

A martial arts school dedicated to the pursuit of leadership, diversity, crime prevention and empowerment. Students shall receive martial arts training that will encompass: calisthenics, flexibility, basic techniques, tornaments, self-defense, seminars, weapons, forms(kata), and testings. All youth shall be expected to excel in academics, activities, athletics and the arts. One of our main educative purposes is to educate the student through the art of the Martial Arts.

ARTICLE IV

Manner of election of directors

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

The president shall appoint all executive board members and the general board members shall receive automatic appointments to the board, upon reception of their Black Belts. Advisory Board Members shall be appointed by majority vote of the Executive Board, with the president always alloted two votes.

ARTICLE V

Limitation of corporate powers

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, unless limited are as follows:

ARTICLE VI

Initial registered agent and street address

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

Vonneta Jones-Woodley 18736 S.W. 107th Avenue Miami, Florida 33157

ARTICLE VII

Incorporators

The name(s) and the street address(es) of the incorporator(s) for these articles of incorporation is(are):

> Vernon M. Jones Jr. 20741 SW 117th Avenue Miami, FL 33177

Letah M. Parrish 17701 SW 112 PL Miami, FL 33157 Livan Conception 1280 SE 11 Place Homestead, FL 33034

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this _____ day of _____

Signature of Incorporator:

Vernon M. Jones Jr. Typed name of incorporator signing

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF 'VZ REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

i.	The name of the corporation is:
	BLACK LOTUS ACADEMY OF THE MARTIAL ARTS, INC. (must include suffix)
2.	The name and address of the registered agent and office is:
	VONNETA JONES-WOODLEY (NAME)
	(P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)
	MIAMI, FLORIDA, 33157 (CITY/STATE/ZIP)

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)

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