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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 1999 OCT 12 AM ID: 53
SECRETARY OF STATE

SUBJECT: Recreation for Life, Inc.

(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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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

□\$78.75

Filing Fee

& Certified Copy

\$87.50

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FROM: Martha B. Stem

Name (Printed or typed)

4216 North Myrtle Avenue

Address

Tampa, FL 33603

City, State & Zip

Martha Stem GAVE (813) 272-3430

Daytime Telephone number

CORRECT (LILL) TO NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION of RECREATION FOR LIFE, INC.

I, Martha B. Stem, the undersigned incorporator, hereby execute, acknowledge and file with the Secretary of State of the State of Florida these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a Corporation not for profit in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this corporation shall be:

Recreation for Life, Inc.

ARTICLE II

Principal Office

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

6015 E. Sligh Avenue Tampa, FL 33617

or other such address within the State of Florida as the Board of Directors may from time to time designate.

ARTICLE II

Purposes and Limitations

The specific purposes for which this corporation is organized are:

to work in collaboration with the Therapeutics Division of the Hillsborough
 County Parks and Recreation Department for the benefit of the disabled members of

the community;

- provide support to the Therapeutics Department;
- 3. promote and develop recreation programs and facilities in the community to include disabled and non-disabled citizens of all ages and abilities; and
 - 4. advocate for equal access, rights and opportunities for the disabled.

This corporation shall have and exercise all powers provided by the laws of the State of Florida pertaining to corporations not for profit including, but not limited to, Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, and future amendments thereto, or succeeding statutes pertaining to corporations not for profit in the State of Florida, that are necessary or convenient to effect any and all of the charitable and educational purposes for which the corporation is organized.

This corporation shall be operated exclusively for, and shall only have the power to perform, activities exclusively within the meaning, requirements and effect of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended heretofore or hereafter.

ARTICLE IV

Members and Election of Directors

A. Members

Recreation for Life, Inc.

 be in accordance with the bylaws of RECREATION FOR LIFE, INC.

No cumulative voting or proxy voting for the election of officers by the members of RFL, Inc. is authorized.

B. Directors

There shall be a Board of Directors that is comprised of at least three members, to be elected or appointed in the manner and for the terms provided in the bylaws of RFL, Inc.

ARTICLE V

Initial Registered Agent and Street Address

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

Alfred J. Orr 6015 E. Sligh Avenue Tampa, FL 33617

ARTICLE VI

Incorporator

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

Martha B. Stem 4216 North Myrtle Avenue Tampa, FL 33603

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10-7-99

Martha B. Stem, Incorporator

Date

ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation, 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.

Alfred J. Orr, Registered Agent

Date

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