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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF MARCUS GARVEY ACADEMY, INC.

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

ARTICLE ONE: NAME. The name of this corporation is Marcus Garvey Academy, Inc. The address of this corporation is 1245 18th Avenue So., St. Petersburg, FL 33705.

ARTICLE TWO: ORGANIZING BOARD. The names of the organizing board of this corporation are:

Amina Camara, Educator

Babatunde Kokayi, Educator

Doug Tuthill, University of South Florida Urban Initiative Program

Don Collins, Certified Public Accountant

Peggy Peterman, Journalist

Valerie Floyd, Parent

Wanda Maddox, Parent

The person who represents this organizing board will be Amina Camara.

ARTICLE THREE: PURPOSES. The Marcus Garvey Academy, Inc. is a not for profit corporation to provide educational services.

ARTICLE FOUR: POWERS. This not for profit corporation shall have all powers of a not for profit corporation in the State of Florida.

ARTICLE FIVE: PERIOD OF DURATION. The duration of this corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE SIX: DISSOLUTION. Upon dissolution of this corporation by the Board of Directors of this corporation, after payment of all debts and expenses of this corporation, all assets of this corporation shall be rendered to the Pinellas County School Board, or to a not for profit corporation providing educational services for the same or similar purposes of this corporation.

ARTICLE SEVEN: MEMBERSHIP. The membership of this corporation shall be comprised exclusively of the board of directors of this corporation.

ARTICLE EIGHT: DIRECTORS. The number of directors of this corporation shall number three or more persons, but shall not be less than three, as provided by the by laws. The members of the board of directors shall be selected as provided under the bylaws. The initial board of directors of the Marcus Garvey Academy, Inc. shall be comprised of the organizing board whose names and addresses are as follows:

Amina Camara, Educator, 1245 18th Ave. So., St. Petersburg, FL 33705
Babatunde Kokayi, Educator, 1245 18th Ave. So., St. Petersburg, FL 33705
Doug Tuthill, Univ. of South Florida, 140 7th Ave. So., St. Petersburg, FL 33701
Don Collins, Certified Public Accountant, 1245 Central Ave., St. Petersburg, FL Peggy Peterman, Journalist, 1245 18th Ave. So., St. Petersburg, FL 33705
Valerie Floyd, Parent, 1245 18th Ave. So., St. Petersburg, FL 33705
Wanda Maddox, Parent, 1245 18th Ave. So., St. Petersburg, FL 33705

ARTICLE NINE: BY-LAWS. The board of directors of this corporation may provide such By-Laws at any meeting of the board of directors by a majority vote of those present not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation for the conduct of its business and the carrying out of its purposes as they may deem necessary from time to time.

ARTICLE TEN: AMENDMENTS. These Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws may be amended at a regular meeting of the board of directors or at a special meeting of the board of directors called for that purpose, by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of those present.

ARTICLE ELEVEN: INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND RESIDENT AGENT.

The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 1245 18th Ave. So., St. Petersburg, FL 33705. The name of the corporation's registered agent at such address is Amina Camara.

ARTICLE TWELVE: INCORPORATOR. The name and address of the

incorporator is:

Amina Camara 1245 18th Avenue South St. Petersburg, FL 33705

Executed this

day of

ember . 1999

Amina Camara, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS

ACCEPTANCE BY RESIDENT AGENT:

Having been appointed the resident agent of this corporation as described above, the undersigned accepts such appointment, agrees to act in such capacity, and accepts the obligations imposed by Florida Statutes, 6 617.023, this 27Hcday of

Amina Camara, Resident Agent