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Division of Corporations  
FL Department of State  
Post Office Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE: New Filing of Articles of Incorporation


Greetings:

Please find enclosed the original articles of incorporation for Avant Village Retreat, Inc. along with a check or money order in the sum of Seventy Eight Dollars & 75/100 (\$ 78.75) for the filing fee and for you to send me a certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation once they have been filed in your office.

If you have questions or comments do not hesitate to contact me at the telephone number above.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

  
Marlene Hadden  
Incorporator

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**FOR**  
**AVANT VILLAGE RETREAT, INC.**

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The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida for-profit corporation, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is AVANT VILLAGE RETREAT, INC.

ARTICLE II

The principal place of business address is 3120 Avenue Q, Fort Pierce, FL 34946.

The mailing address of the corporation is 204 Essex Drive, Fort Pierce, FL 34946.

ARTICLE III

The purpose for which this corporation is organized is to provide group home accommodations for persons with disabilities and persons who are in need of supervised living environments in compliance with applicable laws, regulations and ordinance; to provide a healthy, home-like environment to persons who chose to live at properties operated by Avant Village Retreat, Inc.; to provide wholesome programs and activities for persons with mental and physical disabilities; to conduct business operations for provision of supervised home environment for persons with disabilities; to conduct lawful business activities allowed in the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV

The number of shares the corporation is authorized to issue is One Hundred Fifty (150).

ARTICLE V

The initial officer and/or directors of the corporation are:

Title: President, Secretary and Treasurer

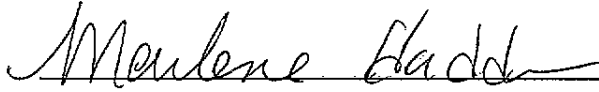
Marlene Hadden  
204 Essex Drive  
Ft. Pierce, FL 34946

ARTICLE VI

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

Marlene Hadden  
204 Essex Drive  
Ft. Pierce, FL 34946

I, MARLENE HADDEN, CERTIFY I am familiar with and accept the responsibilities of registered agent of Avant Village Retreat, Inc.



MARLENE HADDEN  
REGISTERED AGENT

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ARTICLE VII

The name of the Incorporator is:

MARLENE HADDEN  
204 Essex Drive  
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MARLENE HADDEN  
INCORPORATOR