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Subject: RICK GEE'S JAZZ JAMM, INC.

Enclosed are an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check in the amount of: \$87.50 for Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate of Status.

From:

Richard C. Gee  
6255 12<sup>th</sup> Street, South  
St. Petersburg, FL 33705  
(727) 866-1844  
(Daytime Telephone number)

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
RICK GEE'S JAZZ JAMM, INC.**

The undersigned, Richard C. Gee, whose address is 6255 12<sup>th</sup> Street, South, St. Petersburg, Florida 33705, does hereby form a Corporation for profit under the general laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE I – NAME**

The name of the Corporation (which is hereinafter called the Corporation) is Rick Gee's Jazz Jamm, Inc.

**ARTICLE II – PRINCIPLE OFFICE**

The principle place of business/mailling address is: 6255 – 12<sup>th</sup> Street, South, St. Petersburg, Florida 33705.

**ARTICLE III – PURPOSES**

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are as follows:

- a. To engage in any activity within the purposes for which corporations may be organized under the Florida Corporation Act, including –
- b. To further the appreciation, understanding, preservation, and continuation of jazz music as an original American art form.
- c. To organize and promote jazz concerts, cabarets, festivals, and jam sessions.
- d. To act as consultant to individuals and organizations sponsoring jazz events.
- e. To perform as an agent for various jazz groups.
- f. To recommend and hire jazz groups for individuals and organizations.
- g. To provide jazz scholarships to students of jazz.
- h. To create and implement, as a consultant, educational programs, lectures,

festivals and other performances relating to American jazz.

i. To assist as a consultant in the education and development of promising jazz musical talent.

j. To accomplish any other lawful purpose or purposes for pecuniary profit.

#### **ARTICLE IV – SHARES**

The aggregate number of shares which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is two thousand five hundred (2,500), all of which shall be common shares without par value.

All or any portion of said shares may be issued by the Corporation from time to time, and for such consideration, as may be determined by the Board of Directors, as provided by law.

#### **ARTICLE V – INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS**

The number of officers and directors constituting the first board is 1. The name and address of the person who shall serve as President and Chairman of the Board is:

Richard C. Gee  
President & Board Chairman  
6255 12<sup>th</sup> Street, South  
St. Petersburg, FL 33705

#### **ARTICLE VI – REGISTERED AGENT**

The Florida address of the Corporation's initial registered office and the name of the Corporation's initial registered agent at such address is:

Richard C. Gee  
6255 12<sup>th</sup> Street, South  
St. Petersburg, FL 33705

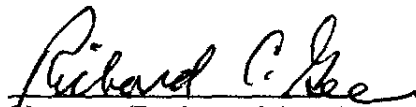
ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATOR

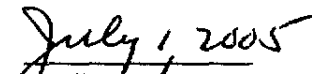
The name and address of the Incorporator is:

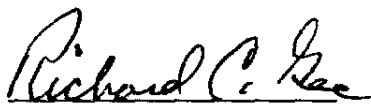
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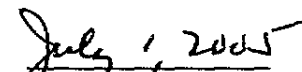
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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

  
Signature/Registered Agent  
Richard C. Gee

  
Date

  
Signature/Incorporator  
Richard C. Gee

  
Date

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