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COVER LETTER

Department of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: South Florida Track Officials Association, Inc (PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed are an orig	inal and one (1) copy of the arti	cles of incorporation and	a check for:
□ \$70.00 Filing Fee	☑ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy ADDITIONAL CO	\$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate of Status PPY REQUIRED
		(Printed or typed)	ces, LLC
	5433 N. University Dr. Lauderhill, FL 33351	Address	<u>. </u>
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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

<u>ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION</u> OF SOUTH FLORIDA TRACK OFFICIALS ASSOCIATION, INC

The undersigned subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation, a natural person competent to contract, hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of FLORIDA.

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the corporation shall be SOUTH FLORIDA TRACK OFFICIALS ASSOCIATION, INC

ARTICLE II: NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage in or transact any and all lawful activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of FLORIDA, or any other state, county, territory or nation.

ARTICLE III: CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 10 shares of common stock having a par value of \$1.00 per share.

ARTICLE IV: ADDRESSES

The initial street address of the corporation shall be: 2040 NW 195TH St.
Opa Locka, FL 33056

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be: 5433 N. University Dr. Ste. 124
Lauderhill, FL 33351

The name of the initial Registered Agent for the corporation at that address is: Blake & Associates Small Business Services, LLC

ARTICLE V: SPECIAL PROVISIONS

The stock of this corporation is intended to qualify under the requirements of Section 1244 of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations issued thereunder. Such actions as may be necessary shall be deemed to have been taken by the appropriate officers to accomplish this compliance.

ARTICLE VI: TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation shall exist perpetually.

ARTICLE VII: LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

Each director, stockholder and officer, in consideration for his services, shall, in the absence of fraud, be indemnified, whether then in office or not, for the reasonable cost and expenses incurred by him in connection with the defense of, or for advice concerning any claim asserted or proceeding brought against him by reason of his being or having been a director, stockholder or officer of the corporation or of any subsidiary of the corporation, whether or not wholly owned, to the maximum extent permitted by law. The foregoing right of indemnification shall be inclusive of any other rights to which any director, stockholder or officer may be entitled as a matter of law.

ARTICLE VIII: SELF DEALING

No contract or other transaction between the corporation and other corporations, in the absence of fraud, shall be affected or invalidated by the fact that any one or more of the directors of the corporation is or are interested in a contract or transaction, or are directors or officers of any other corporation, and any director or directors, individually or jointly, may be a party or parties to, or may be interested in such contract, act or transaction, or in any way connected with such person or person's firm or corporation, and each and every person who may become a director of the corporation is hereby relieved from any liability that might otherwise exist from this contracting with the corporation for the benefit of himself or any firm, association or corporation in which he may be in any way interested. However, no director or officer of the corporation shall enter into any contract for the specific economic benefit of that person or person's firm. Any director of the corporation may vote upon any transaction with the corporation without regard to the fact that he is also a director of such subsidiary or corporation.

This corporation shall have a minimum of one director. The initial Board of Directors shall consist of:

Albert Booker - President PO Box 3765 W. Hollywood, FL 33083

Dale Sims - Vice President PO Box 3765 W. Hollywood, FL 33083

Cassandra Norton – Treasurer PO Box 3765 W. Hollywood, FL 33083

Harriett Rolle - Secretary PO Box 3765 W. Hollywood, FL 33083

ARTICLE X: INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is: Blake & Associates Small Business Services, LLC 5433 N. University Dr. Ste. 124 Lauderhill, FL 33351 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 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has hereunto set his hand and seal on this 7 day of January, 2008. Incorporator: Blake & Associates Small Business Services, LLC STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF BROWARD The foregoing instrument was executed and acknowledged before me this 7n+ day of JANGUAY _, 20<u>08</u>, by: Signature of Registered Agent. Signature of Incorporator. **Notary Public** NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF PLORIDA Amar Bachan My Commission Expires: Jule 14 2011 Commission #DD685440 Expires: JUNE 14, 2011 BONDED THRU ATLANTIC BONDING CO, INC.