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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT: AFRICAN AMERICAN MEN WITH A CHOICE, 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
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Coullious Ivy
Name (Printed or typed)

1001 36th Street W-55
Address

West Palm Beach, FL 33407
City, State & Zip

561-844-4252
Daytime Telephone number

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00 MAY 25 PM 12:31
SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
AFRICAN AMERICAN MEN WITH A CHOICE, INC.**

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ARTICLE I

The name and address of this principal corporation is **AFRICAN AMERICAN WITH A CHOICE, INC.** 1001 36th street W-55 West Palm Beach, Fl 33407, in Palm Beach County. The corporation is organized pursuant to the FLORIDA Nonprofit Corporation Code.

ARTICLE II

(A). This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. The corporation is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for, charitable and educational purposes to aid the poor and disadvantaged individuals and families towards a life of self-sufficiency.

(B). The main objective of the **AFRICAN AMERICAN WITH A CHOICE, INC.** is to be a support group for African American Men who are infected or affected with the HIV VIRUS.


(C). The programs will consist of but shall not be limited to: Educational Opportunities, Job Training, Job Placement, Land Acquisition, housing, Employment, Literacy, Counseling, Temporary Shelter, Teenage Pregnancy, Substance Abuse' Awareness and Prevention, Tutoring, Healthcare initiatives, Elderly Care and other programs to aid those in need.

ARTICLE III

The duration of this corporation shall be perpetual, no stock and shall have no members.

ARTICLE IV

The address of the Registered office is: 1001 36TH street # 55 West Palm Beach, Fl. 33407 and the name and address of the of the registered agent of the corporation shall be:


Coullious Ivy
1001 36th Street W- 55
West Palm Beach Fl. 33407

ARTICLE V

(A) This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for Educational and Charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(B) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to carry on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or (2) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE VI

The Directors are elected in accordance with the Bylaws. The name and address of the persons appointed to act as the initial Directors of this corporation are:

NAME	ADDRESS
Coullious Ivy, President	1001 36 th Street W- 55 West Palm Beach, Fl. 33407
Craig S. Davis, Secretary	5865 Haverhill RD. # 1303 West Palm Beach. Fl. 33407
Gerome Powell, Treasurer	1141 Lake Victoria Dr. # K West Palm Beach. Fl. 33411
Victor Jones, Director	1111 36 th Street D-115 West Palm Beach, Fl. 33407
Rick Thomas, Director	638 Date Palm Dr. Lake Park, Fl. 33403
Kenneth Carswell, Director	5864 Triphammer Road, Lake Worth, Fl. 33463
Robert Watford, Director	216 Elaine Cir E. West Palm Beach, Fl. 33414

ARTICLE VII

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to Charitable and Educational purposes and no part of the net income or assets of the organization shall ever ensure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or the benefit of any private person.

ARTICLE VIII

On the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts, and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation, which is organized and operated exclusively for, Educational and Charitable under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government for a public purpose. Any such asset not disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the organization is located, exclusive for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE IX

Executed on May 3, 2000. The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation shall be:



Coullious Ivy
1001 36th Street W-55
West Palm Beach Fl. 33407

**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF
REGISTERED AGENT / REGISTER OFFICE**

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE / REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. THE NAME OF THE CORPORATION IS:

AFRICAN AMERICAN MEN WITH A CHOICE, INC.

(must include suffix)

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Coullious Ivy

(Name)

1001 36th Street W- 55

(P.O.Box or Mail Drop Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)

West Palm Beach, Fl. 33407

(City / State / Zip)

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above state corporation at the place designated in this certificate, 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.


(SIGNATURE)

5/4/00
(DATE)

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