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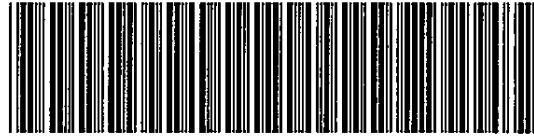
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc., Chapter 706, Naples, Florida

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

2601 53rd St SW, Naples, FL., 34116-7647

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

See attached

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The authorized number and manner of election of directors of the corporation, the different classes of membership, if any, the property, voting and other rights and privileges of members, and their liability for dues and assessments and the method of collection thereof, shall be as set forth in the Constitution of Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc. as promulgated by Vietnam Veterans of America and adopted by this corporation

Article IV is continued on Exhibit A

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

John D. Skiles Jr.	2601 53rd St. SW	Naples, FL 34116	President
Tom Simoncic	5571 Greenwood Circle	Naples, FL 34112	VP
R.J. Dowling	770 Waterford Drive	Naples, FL 34113	Sec/Treasurer

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

John D. Skiles Jr. 2601 53rd St SW Naples, FL 34116-7647

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

John D. Skiles Jr. 2601 53rd St SW Naples, FL 34116-7647

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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.

John D. Skiles Jr
Signature/Registered Agent

8/05/07
Date

John D. Skiles Jr
Signature/Incorporator

8/05/07
Date

EXHIBIT A

Article IV Continued:

The corporation shall have one class of members, whose qualifications for membership shall be set forth in the Bylaws. The affairs of the corporation shall be managed and conducted by its duly elected officers. The election of directors shall be as prescribed by the Bylaws.

b) Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not possess or exercise any power or authority either expressly, by interpretation, or by operation of law that will prevent it at any time from qualifying and continuing to qualify as a corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax, as a corporation described in Section 501(c)(19) of the Internal Revenue Code, or as a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code; nor shall the corporation carry on any activities which are not permitted to be carried on by such corporations or which would cause the loss of such qualification.

c) No part of the property (including income) of the corporation, nor any of its net assets or earnings shall be diverted in any manner, directly or indirectly, or otherwise inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any member, trustee, director, officer or other private person, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services actually rendered by any member, trustee, director, officer or other private person. No member, trustee, director, officer or other private person shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the corporation.

d) Upon dissolution of the corporation, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, the remaining assets of the corporation shall be distributed exclusively for educational, charitable and scientific purposes or to promote social welfare to one or more organizations qualified as exempt organizations under Sections 501(c)(3), (4) or (19) of the Internal Revenue Code and which are approved by Vietnam Veterans of America, Inc.

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