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**NON-PROFIT CORPORATION ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
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VETERAN ISSUES TRANSPARENCY, INC.

**SECRETARY OF STATE
STATE OF IDAHO**

The undersigned, for the purpose forming a non-profit corporation under the provision of Title 30, Chapter 3, Idaho Code, hereby certifies and adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

The Name of the Corporation shall be "VETERAN ISSUES TRANSPARENCY, INC."

ARTICLE II

2.1 Purpose

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are to (1) identify the post deployment issues our returning veterans are facing, including Department of Defense and Veteran Administration processing, timeliness of appointments, denials, medical attention, family care and jobs; where problems exist, identify the process that is at fault and the individuals responsible and work to correct problem. (2) Identify the cause of veteran homelessness and individuals responsible to work to correct the problem. (3) Toward all these things to do all acts necessary, conducive, incidental, or advisable to accomplish any of the purposes for which this Corporation is formed, including but not limited to, any powers now or hereafter conferred upon or allowed by the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act; Provided, that the Corporation shall not carry on a business, trade, avocation, or profession for profit.

2.2 Limitations

- a. The Corporation shall have no capital stock, and no part of its net earnings shall inure to the benefit of any Trustee, Director, or Member of the Corporation or any private individual.
- b. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation except as may be permitted to Section 501(c)(19) organizations by the Internal Revenue Code, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- c. Notwithstanding any provision of the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws, the Corporation shall not conduct or carry on activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt under Section

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501(c)(19) of the Internal Revenue Code as now stated, or as it may be hereafter amended, or by organization contributions which are deductible under Section 1709(c)(2) of such Code as now stated or as it may be hereafter amended.

ARTICLE III

Upon dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(19) 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.

ARTICLE IV

The conditions and regulations of membership and the rights and other privileges of the classes of membership shall be determined and fixed by the Bylaws provided that at least 90 percent of the members shall be war veterans of the United States of America. Substantially all of the other members shall be either veterans, cadets or spouses, widows, or widowers of war veterans, veterans or cadets. "War veterans" are defined as persons who have served in the United States Armed Forces during a period of war. . The Corporation will have voting members.

ARTICLE V

The name and address of the initial Registered Agent and Office shall be:

Richard E. Phenneger
8457 W. Granite Point Rd.
Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83814

ARTICLES VI

The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation shall not be less than three (3) nor more than nine (9). The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial Directors of the Corporation are as follows:

Richard E. Phenneger

8457 W. Granite Point Rd.
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814

Thomas Gase

424 West Cherry Ln #28
Meridian, ID 83642

Judy Gill

1159 West Kimra ST.
Meridian, ID 83642

Tony Lubacky

424 West Cherry Ln. #28
Meridian, ID 83642

ARTICLES VII

The name and address of the incorporators of the Corporation is as follows:

Richard E. Phenneger
8457 W. Granite Point Rd.
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814

DATED this ____ day of September, 2009.

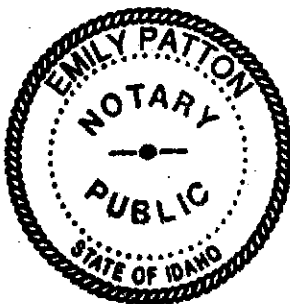
Richard E. Phenneger
Richard E. Phenneger, Incorporator

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
) ss
COUNTY OF SPOKANE)

RICHARD E. PHENNEGER, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says that he is the Incorporator of VETERAN ISSUES TRANSPARENCY, INC. that he has read the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, knows the contents thereof and believes the same to be true.

Richard E. Phenneger
Richard E. Phenneger

Given my hand and official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.



Emily Patton
Notary Public in and for the
State of Idaho
Residing at: _____
My Commission Expires: _____

NOTARY PUBLIC FOR STATE OF IDAHO
RESIDING AT POST FALLS IDAHO 83854
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES ON 05-08-2014

CONSENT TO REGISTERED AGENT

I, RICHARD E. PHENNEGER, hereby consent to serve as Registered Agent in the State of Idaho for VETERAN ISSUES TRANSPARENCY, INC. I understand that as Agent for the Corporation it is my responsibility to receive service of process in the name of the corporation; to forward all mail to the Corporation; and to immediately notify the office of Secretary of State in the event of my resignation or any changes in the registered office address of the Corporation which I am Agent.

DATED this 23 day of September, 2009


RICHARD E. PHENNEGER