These Articles of Incorporation are signed and acknowledged by the

for the purpose of forming a non-profit corporation known as an

the provisions of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE I

The name of this Corporation is Florida Association of Educational Data Systems.

ARTICLE II

The location of the Corporation is in the City of Tallahassee, in the County

of Leon, and State of Florida. The post office address of the registered office in

Florida is State Department of Education, Tallahassee, Florida.

ARTICLE III

The purpose or purposes of this Corporation are as follows:

To receive and administer funds for scientific, research and educational purposes,

all for the public welfare, and for no other purposes, and to that end to take and

hold, by bequest, devise, gift, purchase, or lease, either absolutely or in trust

for such objects and purposes or any of them, any property, real, personal, or

mixed, without limitation as to amount or value, except such limitations, if any,

as may be imposed by law; to sell, convey, and dispose of any such property and

to invest and re-invest the principal and income thereof, and to deal with and

expend the principal and income of this Corporation for any of the before-mentioned

objects and purposes, without limitation, except such limitations, if any, as may

be contained in the instrument under which such property is received or other

limitation imposed by law; to receive any property, real, personal, or mixed, in
trust, under the terms of any will, deed of trust, or other trust instrument for
the foregoing purposes or any of them (but for no other purposes), and in adminis-
terating the same to carry out the directions and exercise the powers contained in
the trust instrument under which the property is received, including the expenditure
of the principal, as well as the income, for one or more of such purposes, if
authorized or directed in the trust instrument under which it is received, to
receive, take title to, hold, and use the proceeds and income of stocks, bonds,
obligations, or other securities of any corporation or corporations, domestic or
foreign, but only for the foregoing purposes, or some of them; and, in general, to
exercise any, all and every power for which a non-profit corporation organized
under the provisions of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, for scientific, educational,
or charitable purposes, all for the public welfare, can be authorized to exercise.

ARTICLE IV

Said corporation is organized as a non-stock basis. The amount of assets which
said corporation possesses is: Real property, $100; personal property, $200. Said
corporation is to be financed under the following general plan: By contributions
to it of funds; contracts for services rendered to educational and scientific
agencies; membership dues; and property absolutely or in trust for its purposes
as herein stated and for no other purposes.

ARTICLE V

The names and addresses of the subscribers are as follows:

1. Thomas D. Bailey, 113 Gardenia Drive, Tallahassee, Florida
2. Myron L. Ashmore, Post Office Box 71Y, Fort Lauderdale, Florida
3. William T. McFatter, Post Office Box 71Y, Fort Lauderdale, Florida
4. Henry C. Fox, 11050 Northwest 27th Avenue, Miami, FL, Florida
5. Robert D. Gates, 111 Mayo Street, Tallahassee, Florida
7. Robert W. Sims, 614 Marial Court, Tallahassee, Florida
ARTICLE VI

The names and locations of the first named Board of Directors are as follows:

1. Harry C. Fox, Miami, Florida
2. Robert D. Gates, Tallahassee, Florida
3. John B. Phillips, Clearwater, Florida
4. Robert W. Allen, Tallahassee, Florida
5. Thomas S. Smith, Titusville, Florida
6. Gerald P. Wilson, Tampa, Florida
7. William J. English, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

ARTICLE VII

This being a benevolent corporation, its term is unlimited and in perpetuity.

The affairs of the Association shall be managed by the Board of Directors, which shall have full authority and power granted to boards of directors of corporations under the laws of Florida.

The Board of Directors of this Association shall be not less than five nor more than fifteen as may be fixed from time to time by the Members. No membership, trusteeship or interest in this corporation shall be assignable inter vivos, nor shall any membership, trusteeship or interest in this corporation pass to any personal representative, heir or devisee.

ARTICLE VIII

All of the property of this corporation and accumulations thereof shall be held and administered to effectuate its purposes and to serve the general welfare of the people.
Upon dissolution of this corporation, all of the assets remaining after payment of all costs and expenses of such dissolution shall be distributed to scientific, educational and charitable organizations which have qualified for exemption under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or to the Federal Government, or to a state or local government for a public purpose, and none of the assets upon dissolution will be distributed to any member, officer or trustee of this corporation.

ARTICLE II

a. The Charter of the Association may be amended by two-thirds vote of the members present at the annual meeting. The proposed amendment must be presented in writing to each member and to the head of his employing institution at least 15 days in advance of the meeting.

b. Bylaws may be amended by a majority vote of members present at an annual meeting provided notice has been presented to each member and to the head of his employing institution at least 15 days in advance of the meeting.

c. The qualifications of members shall be provided in the Bylaws of the Association. The Bylaws may provide for associate members to be appointed in accord with terms and conditions fixed by the Association.

ARTICLE III

The annual meeting of the Association shall be held at a time and place provided by the Bylaws. The officers and Members of the Board of Directors of the Association shall be elected by a majority vote of the Members voting at a time and in a manner designated in the Bylaws. The officers of the Association will be members of the Board of Directors. The Association shall have the following officers who shall be elected by the members of the Association.

1. President
The Association shall have the following officers elected from and by the Board of Directors at the first Board meeting during or following the annual meeting of the Association:

1. Vice President
2. Secretary-Treasurer

After the first year the Association shall have an officer known as Past-President who shall serve for one year immediately following his term as President.

The Members of the Board of Directors shall be authorized by a majority vote to fill any vacancy which may occur between annual meetings of the Association among the Members of the Board of Directors or officers of the Association, each officer or Director to serve until the next annual meeting of the Members.

The terms of office of members of the Board of Directors and officers of the Association shall be fixed by the Bylaws of the Association.

The fiscal year of the Association shall be designated by the Bylaws.

The compensation of the officers shall be determined by majority vote of the Association.

Employees of the Association and their compensation shall be determined by a majority vote of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XI

The following officers will serve until the first election of officers as provided in Article II:

1. President: William J. English
2. Vice President: Thomas K. Smith
3. Secretary-Treasurer: M. W. Sims
STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF LEON

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared

Thomas B. Bailey

William T. Strother

W. S. McMeans

William T. McAlister

Henry C. Fox

Robert C. Ralston

William J. English

Who, after being duly sworn, do acknowledge that they are the persons appearing

Certificate of Incorporation of the Florida News

Date:

[Signature]

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