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# Articles of Incorporation

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Youth Advocate Services

(Name of Corporation)

The undersigned, desiring to form a corporation, not for profit, under Sections 1702.01 et seq., Revised Code of Ohio, do hereby certify:

FIRST. The name of said corporation shall be Youth Advocate Services

SECOND. The place in Ohio where the principal office of the corporation is to be located is Columbus, Franklin County.  
(City, Village or Township)

THIRD. The purpose or purposes for which said corporation is formed are:

The Youth Advocate Services is established as a charitable organization as defined by the Internal Revenue Code 501(c)(3) for combating juvenile delinquency and the prevention of cruelty to children.

The purpose of the Youth Advocate Services is to provide youth with viable alternatives to institutionalization through the use of community based services in order to enable them to grow to their fullest potential.

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FIFTH. (see attached sheet)

SIXTH. (see attached sheet)

FOURTH. The following persons, not less than three, shall serve said corporation as trustees until the first annual meeting or other meeting called to elect trustees.

GIVE STREET AND POST OFFICE ADDRESS

Tom Brittenham, 177 E. Stanton, Columbus 43214

Marilee Chinnici-Zuercher, 35 E. Gay, Columbus 43215

Marion Johnson, 1900 Kenny Road, Columbus 43210

Lucinda Lake, 1237 Manor Drive, Columbus 43227

Annetta Macadonia, 5993 Home, Powell, Ohio 43065

Lynda Huey, 587 E. Town, Columbus 43215

Mary Bauer, 1951 Gantz Road, Grove City 43213

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto subscribed our names, this 5th day

of October, 1978

*Marilee Chinnici-Zuercher*  
Marilee Chinnici-Zuercher

*Dorothy M. Erickson*  
Dorothy M. Erickson

(INCORPORATORS' NAMES SHOULD BE TYPED OR PRINTED BENEATH SIGNATURES)

N. B. Articles will be returned unless accompanied by Form C-103 designating statutory agent.

See Section 1702.06, Revised Code.

FIFTH. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article third hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propoganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal Income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

SIXTH. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Trustees shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scietific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501 (C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Trustees shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

# Original Appointment of Agent

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The undersigned, being at least a majority of the incorporators of

Youth Advocate Services

(Name of Corporation)

hereby appoint Dorothy M. Erickson

(Name of Agent)

(a natural person resident in the county in which the corporation has its principal office) or (a corporation having a business address in the county in which the corporation has its principal office) (strike out phrase not applicable) upon whom (which) any process, notice or demand required or permitted by statute to be served upon the corporation may be served.

His (Its) complete address is 2931 Indianola Ave.

(Street or Avenue)

Columbus

(City or Village)

Franklin

County, Ohio, 43202

(Zip Code)

*Marilee Chinnici-Zuercher*  
Marilee Chinnici-Zuercher

*Dorothy M. Erickson*  
Dorothy M. Erickson

AGENTS ADDRESSES  
MUST BE ZIP CODED

(INCORPORATORS NAMES SHOULD BE TYPED OR PRINTED BENEATH SIGNATURES)

Columbus , Franklin County,

, Ohio

October 5

, 19<sup>78</sup>

Youth Advocate Services

(Name of Corporation)

Gentlemen: I hereby accept appointment as agent of your corporation upon whom process, tax notices or demands may be served.

*Dorothy M. Erickson*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Agent)

By \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Officer Signing and Title if Agent is a Corporation)

REMARKS: ALL ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT OF AGENT. THERE IS NO FILING FEE FOR THIS APPOINTMENT.

Internal Revenue Service  
District Director

Department of the Treasury

Date: JAN 18 1979

Employer Identification Number:  
31-0943024  
Accounting Period Ending:  
December 31  
Foundation Status Classification:  
170(b)(1)(A)(vi) & 509(a)(1)  
Advance Ruling Period Ends:  
December 31, 1980  
Person to Contact:  
J. B. Woodyard:sah  
Contact Telephone Number:  
513-684-2825

▷ Youth Advocate Services  
1501 Neil Avenue  
Columbus, Ohio 43201

Dear Applicant:

DIA: EO: 790484

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Because you are a newly created organization, we are not now making a final determination of your foundation status under section 509(a) of the Code. However, we have determined that you can reasonably be expected to be a publicly supported organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) & 509(a)(1).

Accordingly, you will be treated as a publicly supported organization, and not as a private foundation, during an advance ruling period. This advance ruling period begins on the date of your inception and ends on the date shown above.

Within 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period, you must submit to us information needed to determine whether you have met the requirements of the applicable support test during the advance ruling period. If you establish that you have been a publicly supported organization, you will be classified as a section 509(a)(1) or 509(a)(2) organization as long as you continue to meet the requirements of the applicable support test. If you do not meet the public support requirements during the advance ruling period, you will be classified as a private foundation for future periods. Also, if you are classified as a private foundation, you will be treated as a private foundation from the date of your inception for purposes of sections 507(d) and 4940.

Grantors and donors may rely on the determination that you are not a private foundation until 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period. If you submit the required information within the 90 days, grantors and donors may continue to rely on the advance determination until the Service makes a final determination of your foundation status. However, if notice that you will no longer be treated as a section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)\* organization is published in the Internal Revenue Bulletin, grantors and donors may not rely on this determination after the date of such publication. Also, a grantor or donor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act that resulted in your loss of section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)\* status, or acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would be removed from classification as a section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)\* organization.

P.O. Box 2508, Cincinnati, Ohio 45201  
\* & 509(a)(1)

(over)

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If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation change, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. Also, you should inform us of all changes in your name or address.

Generally, you are not liable for social security (FICA) taxes unless you file a waiver of exemption certificate as provided in the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. If you have paid FICA taxes without filing the waiver, you should call us. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Organizations that are not private foundations are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other Federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

You are required to file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, only if your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$10,000. If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay.

You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T. In this letter, we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees. If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

  
District Director