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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
FOR
HAVANA CHURCH OF CHRIST, INC.

A FLORIDA NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

We, the undersigned, all being sui juris, do hereby associate ourselves together and, do hereby agree for ourselves, under the laws of the State of Florida, Florida Statue 617.001 et seq., and the provisions, benefits and obligation conferred and imposed by said laws on corporations not for profit, and adopt and subscribe to these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE ONE: NAME

The name of this corporation shall be: Havana Church of Christ, Inc.

ARTICLE TWO: DURATION

Havana Church of Christ, Inc., shall have perpetual existence

ARTICLE THREE: PURPOSES

The general and specific purpose of Havana Church of Christ, Inc., shall be to:

- A. Preach Christ, and to teach and practice Christianity as taught in the Bible, and to carry out the principles of the Almighty God in accordance with the word of God.*
- B. Witness for Christ in Word and Deed to the extent that others may see Jesus Christ exemplified through the lives and spirit of the membership of Havana Church of Christ, Inc. and be won to him.*
- C. Promote Godly living and dedicated Christian service among the constituency of Havana Church of Christ, Inc. and the community in which it shall be situated and located.*
- D. Advance the work of Christ on both home and foreign fields.*
- E. To provide a positive Christian leadership image to the community at large.*

ARTICLE FOUR: MEMBERSHIP

Havana Church of Christ, Inc. shall have a membership comprised of all persons who believe in Christ and those who are ready, willing and prepared to subscribe to and accept Christian religious principles.

ARTICLE FIVE: STATEMENT OF CORPORATE NATURE

Havana Church of Christ, Inc. shall be a non-profit corporation organized solely to function as a church; ministering Christian religion, Christian education and general

charitable services pursuant to the Corporation not for profit Law ss 617.001, et seq. Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE SIX: REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The principle mailing address and registered office are the same. The name and address of the initial registered agent is:

*Cleveland Richardson
1748 Iron Bridge Road
Havana, Florida 32333*

ARTICLE SEVEN: OFFICERS

The names and address (es) of the incorporator(s) directors(s) to these Articles of Incorporation is (are):

*Cleveland Richardson, President
1748 Iron Bridge Road
Havana, Florida 32333*

*Larry Hooper, Vice President
1748 Iron Bridge Road
Havana, Florida 32333*

*Alvin Johnson, Sec./Treas.
1748 Iron Bridge Road
Havana, Fl. 32333*

ARTICLE EIGHT: BYLAWS

Subject to the limitations contained in the Bylaws, and any limitations set forth in the corporation not for profit laws of Florida concerning corporate action that must be authorized or approved by the members of the corporation, the Bylaws of this Corporation may be made, altered, rescinded, added to, or new By-Laws may be adopted either by two-thirds (2/3) majority of members voting at a church conference called for that purpose or by following any other procedure set forth therefore in the Bylaws. The manner of election of the directors will be provided in the corporations bylaws.

ARTICLE NINE: DEDICATION OF ASSETS

The property of the Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purpose and no part of the net income or assets of this Corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any Officer or Board member thereof, or to the benefit of any private individual.

ARTICLE TEN: DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS

Upon dissolution or winding up of this Corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the Corporation, shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under section 501© (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

We, the undersigned, being the incorporators of this corporation, for the purpose pf forming this non-profit charitable corporation under the laws of Florida have executed these Articles of Incorporation on this 18 day of Feb, 2003.

Incorporator *Cleland Richardson*


**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION
OF
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED 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.

The name of the Corporation is: Havana Church of Christ, Inc.
The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

**Cleveland Richardson
1748 Iron Bridge Road
Havana, Florida 32333**

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated 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 obligations of my position as registered agent.

 Signature	<u>2-18-03</u> Date
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