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April 13, 2005

Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

Re: Incorporation of Vietnamese Baptist Church of Tampa, Inc.

To Whom It May Concern:

Please find enclosed (1) the original and one copy of the *Articles of Incorporation of Vietnamese Baptist Church of Tampa, Inc.*, (2) the *Acceptance of Appointment as Registered Agent*, and (3) a check in the amount of \$78.75. Please file the *Articles of Incorporation*, and thereafter send a certified copy of the *Articles of Incorporation* to me at the address in the above letterhead.

Thank you in advance, and please call me at (813) 662-1536 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Daniel G. Drake, Esq.

Enclosures

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
VIETNAMESE BAPTIST CHURCH OF TAMPA, INC.**

The undersigned Incorporator makes, subscribes, acknowledges, and files with the Department of State of the State of Florida these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of incorporation under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes (the "Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act").

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation shall be Vietnamese Baptist Church of Tampa, Inc.

ARTICLE II

The duration of this corporation shall be perpetual unless and until dissolved according to law.

ARTICLE III

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

10620 Henderson Road
Tampa, FL 33626

ARTICLE IV

The purpose of this corporation shall be the promotion, teaching, preaching, and evangelizing the gospel of Jesus Christ as set forth in the Bible.

ARTICLE V

The manner in which the directors of this corporation are elected or appointed shall be as stated in this corporation's bylaws.

ARTICLE VI

The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation are:

Samuel Dong Truong, Director
10620 Henderson Road
Tampa, FL 33625

Esther Be Truong, Secretary
10620 Henderson Road
Tampa, FL 33625

Yenkim Guevara, Treasurer
700 S. Harbour Island Blvd., #702
Tampa, FL 33602

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ARTICLE VII

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

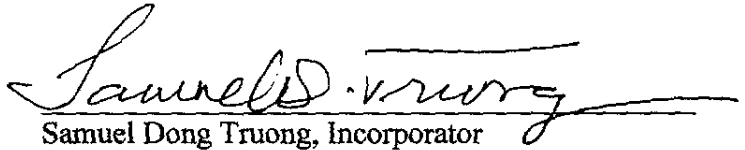
Samuel Dong Truong
10620 Henderson Road
Tampa, FL 33625

ARTICLE VIII

The name and street address of the Incorporator is:

Samuel Dong Truong
10620 Henderson Road
Tampa, FL 33625


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Incorporator executed these Articles of Incorporation of Vietnamese Baptist Church of Tampa, Inc. this 11 day of April 2005.


Samuel Dong Truong, Incorporator

**STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH**

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 11th day of April 2005 by Samuel Dong Truong who is personally known to me or has produced _____ as identification.




Signature of Notary Public
Print Name: Kimberly Swanson
My commission expires: _____

**ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT
OF VIETNAMESE BAPTIST CHURCH OF TAMPA, INC.**

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR VIETNAMESE BAPTIST CHURCH OF TAMPA, INC. AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED WITHIN THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL FLORIDA STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES.

Samuel D. Truong

Date 4-11-05 Samuel Dong Truong

**STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH**

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 11th day of April 2005 by Samuel Dong Truong who is personally known to me or has produced _____ as identification.



Kimberly Swanson
Signature of Notary Public
Print Name: Kimberly Swanson
My commission expires: _____

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