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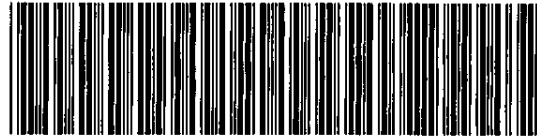
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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

**SUBJECT:** EFCA - Southeast, Inc.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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\$78.75  
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\$87.50  
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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Glen A. Schrieber  
Name (Printed or typed)

1380 Sun Marsh Drive  
Address

Jacksonville, FL 32225  
City, State & Zip

904-465-2388  
Daytime Telephone number

**NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.**

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

OF THE

**EFCA SOUTHEAST, INC.**  
A Florida Corporation Not for Profit

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**Article I - Name**

The name of this non-profit corporation shall be "EFCA Southeast, Inc." hereinafter referred to as the "EFCA-SE" or "Southeastern District" or simply the "District."

**Article II - Principal Office**

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

9951 Atlantic Boulevard, Suite 130  
Jacksonville, FL 32211

**Article III - Purpose**

This corporation is organized exclusively for religious, charitable and educational purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. More specifically, the EFCA-Southeast shall exist as a district organization of the Evangelical Free Church of America (hereinafter referred to as the "EFCA"), an association and fellowship of independent congregations of like faith whose only objectives are the salvation of souls and the edification of believers in faith, hope, and love. Pursuant to these objectives the District shall: provide the means of affiliation with the EFCA to qualifying local churches in the southeastern United States, serve the needs of pastors and congregations within those churches, and facilitate the planting of more such churches. The geographical boundaries of the District shall be determined by mutual agreement of the District and the EFCA.

**Article IV - Statement of Faith**

The Statement of Faith of the EFCA Southeast shall be that of the Evangelical Free Church of America.

**Article V - Membership**

This corporation shall consist of churches affiliated with the Evangelical Free Church of America. Such other churches of like faith and practice as shall recognize this organization and adopt its principles may also enter this fellowship in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Bylaws.

**Article VI - Board of Directors**

The Board of Directors (comprising not less than seven (7) directors), in accordance with the Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws, shall be elected by the members and shall govern all the affairs of this corporation.

**Article VII - Initial Directors/Officers**

**Jim Wehner, Chairman**

5082 Abbots Glen Way  
Acworth, GA 30101

**Glen A. Schrieber, CEO**

1380 Sun Marsh Drive  
Jacksonville, FL 32225

**Pat Jones, Secretary**

12817 Banyan Street  
Hudson, FL 34669

#### **Article VIII - Registered Agent**

The registered agent of this corporation shall be the District Superintendent unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors. The present Superintendent is: Glen A. Schrieber, 1380 Sun Marsh Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32225. Any change shall be recorded on the Corporation Annual Report as required by the State of Florida.

#### **Article IX - Bylaws**

To carry out the purposes of the EFCA Southeast, the members of the corporation shall adopt Bylaws.

#### **Article X - Amendments**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by the members of the corporation at a regular or special meeting, providing the members have been given at least ninety (90) days notice of the amendment. Such action shall require a two-thirds (2/3) majority of the membership.

#### **Article XI - Property**

This corporation shall have the power to receive, by gift or purchase, and to hold such real, personal, or mixed property as is authorized by law and as is deemed necessary for the business of the corporation, and shall have the power to dispose of such property by mortgage, deed, or otherwise. All debts of the corporation shall be held in the name of the corporation. The personal and private property of the officers or members of this corporation shall not be used in the payment of corporate debt.

#### **Article XII - Dissolution**

This is a corporation not for profit organized under the laws of the State of Florida pursuant to Chapter 617, *Florida Statutes*.

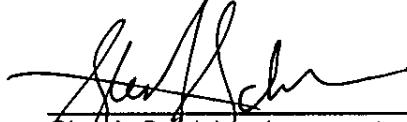
1. Upon dissolution of this corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation and in such manner, or to such organization organized and operated exclusively for religious, charitable, or educational purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code* as it now exists or may hereafter be amended, as the Board of Directors shall determine. In the event of the dissolution of the EFCA Southeast, all its assets shall become the property of the Evangelical Free Church of America. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court 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.

2. No part of the income or net earnings of this corporation shall be distributable to its members, directors or officers.

3. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, no member, director, officer, employee or representative of this corporation shall take any action or carry on any activities by or on behalf of the corporation not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code* and its Regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended, or which are not permitted to be taken or carried on by an organization, the contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of such Code and Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

#### **XIII - Incorporator**

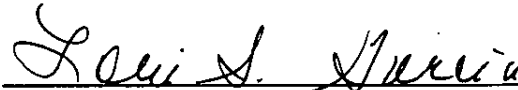
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator of this corporation has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 27<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2007.



Glen A. Schrieber, Incorporator and Registered Agent  
1380 Sun Marsh Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32225

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2007 by Glen A. Schrieber, who is personally known to me.



Notary Public, State of Florida



Lori S. Garcia  
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