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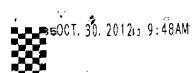
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

CLERMONT CONNECTION CHURCH, INC.

In compliance with the requirements of F.S. Chapter 617, the undersigned, being a natural person, does hereby act as an incorporator in adopting and filing the following Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of organizing a not-for-profit corporation.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation ("corporation") is CLERMONT CONNECTION CHURCH, INC.

ARTICLE II

The existence of the corporation shall begin immediately upon filing with the Florida Department of State.

ARTICLE III

The purpose of this corporation is to make disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ who will receive the baptism of the Holy Spirit and proclaim that Jesus is Lord in Clermont, South Lake County and throughout the world. [Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16:15-20; Acts 1:4-8]. We are not limited in the lawful means we will use to achieve this purpose. We will hold meetings of believers in Jesus Christ in which we devote ourselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. [Acts 2:42]. We believe that the Holy Spirit will manifest His blessings and gifts through each believer for the common good, with the goal of building up the faith of those present. [1 Corinth.12:7; 14:26]. We will help train and send out servant-leaders who will go and form new churches and meetings of believers in Jesus Christ where the work of making disciples will continue and believers will continue to grow in love, unity and maturity. [Matthew 20:25-28; Eph.4:11-16]. As the Spirit leads we will conduct church services and events; engage in evangelistic efforts and revival campaigns; establish bible schools and discipleship training centers; ordain ministers; send out missionaries, including short and long term mission teams; plant churches; spread the gospel and do whatever else we can to help establish God's kingdom here on earth. [Matthew 6:10]. The corporation shall operate exclusively for such religious, charitable and educational purposes as qualify it as a nonprofit, tax-exempt organization under federal and state law.

ARTICLE IV

The initial street address of the principal office of the corporation is 12536 Lake Ridge Circle, Clermont, Florida 34711.

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ARTICLE V

The initial street address of the corporation's registered office is 315 E. Robinson Street, Suite 600, Orlando, Florida 32801 and the initial registered agent is Anthony M. Nardella, Jr.

ARTICLE VI

The initial board of directors shall consist of three (3) members. The method of election of directors shall be as stated in the bylaws. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time as provided in the bylaws provided that at no time shall the number of directors ever be less than three (3). The name and address of the person who will serve on the initial board of directors is:

Name	Address		27.	· 4	
Shok Hussain	P.O. Box 121727 Clermont, Florida 34712	•		2 001) I w . I v
Pastor Anthony M. Nardella, Jr.	P.O. Box 121727 Clermont, Florida 34712	-		3	;
Pastor Larry Joe Warner	5631 Gilliam Road Orlando, Florida 32818) 기 기	, .

ARTICLE VII

The name and street address of the persons signing these articles of incorporation is:

Address
P.O. Box 121727 Clermont, Florida 34712
P.O. Box 121727 Clermont, Florida 34712
5631 Gilliam Road Orlando, Florida 32818

ARTICLE VIII

The members of the corporation shall be the directors during their terms of service and such other persons shall be admitted to membership as is regulated by the bylaws.

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ARTICLE IX

Notwithstanding the provisions of Article III hereinabove, nothing herein shall be construed to permit the corporation to engage in any activity which would be inconsistent with its classification as an organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended from time to time, or any equivalent section of the Internal Revenue Code in effect at any time. As such, the corporation shall not allow any expenditure of any part of the net earnings of the corporation to inure to the benefit of any member, director, or officer of the corporation, or any private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation effecting one or more of its purposes), nor shall any member, director, or officer of the corporation, or any private individual, be entitled to share in a distribution of the corporation's assets on dissolution of the corporation nor shall a substantial part of the activities of the corporation be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene (including the publication and distribution of statements) in the political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Provided, further, that if at any time the corporation is deemed to be a Private Foundation as defined by Section 509 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended from time to time, then for so long as the corporation is deemed a Private Foundation, the following provisions shall also be applicable:

- 1. The corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- 2. The corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- 3. The corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.
- 4. The corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

ARTICLE X

The corporation shall have all the powers, rights, and privileges of a corporation not for profit under Florida law.

ARTICLE XI

To regulate the provisions of these articles of incorporation, the board of directors of the corporation shall adopt bylaws.

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ARTICLE XII

These articles of incorporation may be amended by the members of the corporation, providing any amendment is prepared and announced as regulated by the bylaws.

ARTICLE XIII

The corporation shall indemnify its directors, officers, employees, and agents to the fullest extent permitted by law.

ARTICLE XIV

Upon the liquidation, dissolution or the winding up of the affairs of the corporation, the assets of the corporation shall be distributed exclusively to charitable, religious, scientific, literary, or educational organizations which are then qualified under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended from time to time, or any equivalent section of the Internal Revenue Code in effect at any time.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 26 day of October, 2012.

Shok Hussain

Pastor Anthony M. Nardella, Jr. 25

Pastor Larry Joe Warner

ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for CLERMONT CONNECTION CHURCH, INC. at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned is familiar with and accepts the obligations of that position pursuant to F.S. 617.0501(3).

Date: October <u>26</u>, 2012

Anthony M. Nardella, J.