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	(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)
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Enclosed is an original	al and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for:
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VIETNAMESE BUDDHIST CENTER OF FLORIDA - KHANH VIET TEMPLE

□ \$70.00
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Certificate of Status

□ \$78.75
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: THANH TRUNG NGUYEN

Name (Printed or typed)

4341 SW 54th Avenue

Address

Davie, Florida 33314

City, State & Zip

954-663-0684

Daytime Telephone number

happinessiskey1975@yahoo.com

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

November 4, 2013

THANH TRUNG NGUYEN 4341 SW 54TH AVENUE DAVIE, FL 33314

SUBJECT: VIETNAMESE BUDDHIST CENTER OF FLORIDA - KHANH VIET

TEMPLE

Ref. Number: W13000061074

We have received your document for VIETNAMESE BUDDHIST CENTER OF FLORIDA - KHANH VIET TEMPLE and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name must contain a word that will clearly indicate that it is a corporation. This word may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

If your business entity does not intend to transact business until January 1st of the upcoming calendar year, you may wish to revise your document to include an effective date of January 1st. If you do not list an effective date of January 1st, your business entity will become effective this calendar year and it will be required to file an annual report and pay the required annual report fee for the upcoming calendar year this coming January, which is merely weeks away. By listing an effective date of January 1st, the entity's existence will not begin until January 1st of the upcoming year and will, therefore, postpone the entity's requirement to file an annual report and pay the required annual report filing fee until the following calendar year.

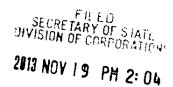
Please return the corrected original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6052.

Valerie Herring Regulatory Specialist II New Filing Section

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ARTICLE OF INCORPORATION OF A NONPROFIT RELIGIOUS CORPORATION



"VIETNAMESE BUDDHIST CENTER OF FLORIDA, INC. - KHANH VIET TEMPLE"

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the corporation shall be "VIETNAMESE BUDDHIST CENTER OF FLORIDA, INC. – KHANH VIET TEMPLE."

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office and mailing address of the corporation shall be 4341 SW 54th Avenue, Davie, Florida 33314-3828.

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in the following business activities:

- 1. To establish, maintain and exhibiting Buddhist religious, cultural, educational traditional spiritual activities based on the Buddha Dharma (Buddhism) in order to preserve the Buddhist values and to educate both old and new generations on weekly basis and as much as needed to strengthen the 2600 years of history of Buddha's doctrinal teachings in its original and traditional form and contribution of moral knowledge and wisdom to the public those whose are solely interested.
- 2. This corporation is a Religious Corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Non-Profit Religious Corporation Law exclusively for religious purposes.
- 3. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3).
- 4. The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 and a corporation to which the contributions are tax exempt under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.
- 5. No substantial of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not

participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.

- 6. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.
- 7. No officer or director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligation of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.
- 8. Upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational and/or religious purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3).

ARTICLE IV: MANNER OF ELECTION

All initial directors shall be appointed, and all subsequent directs shall be elected.

ARTICLE V: INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

1. Name & Title: THANH TRUNG NGUYEN, President Address: 4341 SW 54th Avenue

Davie, Florida 33314

Name & Title: HOAI THI LE, Secretary
 4341 SW 54th Avenue
 Davie, Florida 33314

3. Name & Title: SUSAN NGUYEN, Treasurer 4341 SW 54th Avenue Davie, Florida 33314

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ARTICLE VI: REGISTERED AGENT

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

THANH TRUNG NGUYEN 4341 SW 54th Avenue Davie, Florida 33314

ARTICLE VII: INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

THANH TRUNG NGUYEN 4341 SW 54th Avenue Davie, Florida 33314

ARTICLE VIII: EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective date of organization of the corporation shall be the date approved and filed by the Secretary of the State of Florida.

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act this capacity.

Required Signature of Registered Agent

10 /31 /2013

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true, I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

Required Signature of Incorporator

10 / 31 /2013 Date