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April 27, 2004

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations 409 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: NORTH ST. PETERSBURG CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, INC.

# Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith an original and a copy of the *Amended Articles of Incorporation* for the above named not-for-profit corporation. In addition, a check in the sum of \$43.75 is enclosed which represents the following fees:

Filing Fee

\$35.00

**Certified Copy** 

\$8.75

TOTAL

\$43.75

Please file the original of the enclosed *Amended Articles of Incorporation* and return a certified copy to the undersigned.

Thank you for your assistance.

Richard I. Kantner, Jr

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# AMENDED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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OF

# NORTH ST. PETERSBURG CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, INC

1. The following provisions of the Articles of Incorporation of NORTH ST. PETERSBURG CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, INC., a Florida Corporation Not for Profit, filed in Tallahassee on July 24, 1995, be and they are hereby amended in the following particulars:

### ARTICLE XII be and it hereby is amended to read as follows:

Upon the winding up and dissolution of this Corporation, after paying or adequately providing for debts and obligations of the Corporation, the remaining assets shall be distributed to Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York, Inc. No assets will be deemed to be received by Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York, Inc, until such acceptance is evidenced in writing. If Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York, Inc., is not then in existence and exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States tax code), then said assets shall be distributed to any organization designated by the ecclesiastical Governing Body of Jehovah's Witnesses that is organized and operated for religious purposes and is a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding section of any future United States tax code).

# ARTICLE XIII be and it hereby is amended to read as follows:

This Corporation is organized exclusively for and will be operated exclusively for religious purposes; the property of this Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes, and not part of the net earnings or assets of this Corporation shall inure to the benefit of a director, officer, or member of the Corporation or any private individual. No substantial part of the activities of this Corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, nor shall the Corporation participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements), any political campaign on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for public office. The Corporation is organized exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3). Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States tax code) or (2) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States tax code).

2. The foregoing amendments were adopted by the members of the corporation entitled to vote on the Adday of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the une executed these Articles of Amendment the	dersigned President and Secretary of this corporation have is good day of, 2004.
3. The number of votes cast if for approval.	for the Amendment by the members was sufficient
	NORTH ST. PETERSBURG CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, INC.
	By: President of the Corporation
	Secretary of Corporation
e	By: Janes J. Service Overseer of the Congregation
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PINELLAS	
evidence) to be the persons whose name	2004, before me, the undersigned authority  **ALONE FREDERICK KEENEY*  known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory mes are signed to the preceding document, and who
the capacities therein stated.	signed the same for the purposes therein set forth and in
My Commission expires:	Junela M. Buckfond Notary Public
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