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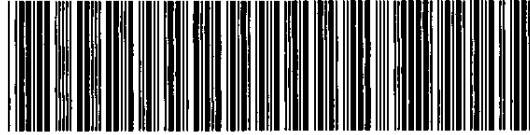
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## COVER LETTER

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Flowers Ministries, Inc.  
Name of Corporation – must include suffix

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Not for Profit Corporation for Authorization to Conduct its Affairs in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", or "Certificate of Status" and check are submitted to register the above referenced not for profit corporation to conduct its affairs in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

J. L. Flowers

Name of Person

Flowers Ministries, Inc.

Firm/Company

13850 Ballantyne Corporate Place

Suite 500

Address

Charlotte, North Carolina 28277

City/State and Zip Code

FM@Flowersincusa.org

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

J. L. Flowers.

Name of Person

at ( 704 )  
Area Code

248-8889

Daytime Telephone Number

**MAILING ADDRESS:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

**STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
Clifton Building  
2661 Executive Center Circle  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

- ☐ \$70.00 Filing Fee    ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status    ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy    ☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

July 20, 2015

J.L. FLOWERS  
13850 BALLANTYNE CORPORATE PL, SUITE 500  
CHARLOTTE, NC 28277

SUBJECT: FLOWERS MINISTRIES, INC  
Ref. Number: W15000048351

We have received your document for FLOWERS MINISTRIES, INC and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Unfortunately, the enclosed certified copy does not meet our filing requirements. We require a certificate of existence or certificate of good standing, which usually consists of a single sheet of paper that clearly reflects the entity is a valid entity in its home state/country. You can obtain the certificate of existence or certificate of good standing from the same office that provided you with the certified copy.

The name listed in number one of the application must be identical to the name listed in the certificate of existence.

Please return 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) 245-6051.

Jenna D Harris  
Regulatory Specialist II

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**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO  
CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN FLORIDA**

*IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 617.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO  
REGISTER A FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN  
THE STATE OF FLORIDA:*

FLOWERS MINISTRIES INCORPORATED

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of corporation: must include the word "INCORPORATED" or "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present. "Company" or "Co." may not be used as a corporate suffix by a nonprofit corporation.)  
FMI CHARITY DEVELOPMENT INCORPORATED

(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)

2. NORTH CAROLINA 3. 81-0644135  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)  
4. APRIL 5, 2007 5. PERPETUAL  
(Date of Incorporation) (Date of duration, if other than perpetual)

6. NC  
(Date first conducted affairs in Florida if prior to registration. See sections 617.1501 & 617.1502, F.S. to determine penalty liability.)  
7. 13850 BALLANTYNE CORPORATE PLACE, SUITE 500, CHARLOTTE, NC 28277  
(Principal office address)

SAME

(Current mailing address, if different)

8. CHARITY AND EDUCATIONAL  
(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in the state of Florida)

9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box **NOT** acceptable)

Name: JIMMY FLOWERS  
Office Address: 50 N. LAURA ST., SUITE 2500  
JACSONVILLE, Florida 32202  
(City) (Zip Code)

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10. **Registered agent's acceptance:**

*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this application, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Registered agent's signature)

11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated, not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is incorporated.

12. Names and addresses of officers and/or directors

**A. DIRECTORS**

DAMIEN BARKER

Chairman:

907 VERO STREET

Address:

NORFORK VA 23418

FERNANDO CAMACHO

Vice Chairman:

22 CROSSBOW PLACE

Address:

COLUMBIA SC 29212

LAWRENCE WASHINGTON

Director:

247 SAVANNAH HIGHWAY

Address:

BEAUFORT SC 29906

LONZELL MCKNIGHT

Director:

205 JAMES AVE # 300

Address:

GOOSE CREEK, SC 294445

**B. OFFICERS**

J. L. FLOWERS

President:

22 CROSSBOW PLACE

Address:

COLUMBIA SC 29212

DAMIEN BARKER

Vice President:

907 VERO STREET

Address:

NORFOLK VA 23418

LISA ALLEN

Secretary:

6123 CARMEL RD, CHARLOTTE, NC 28226

Address:

ELIZABETH MOSLEY

Treasurer:

5028 CHERRYCREST LANE, APT. C. CHARLOTTE, NC 28217

Address:

**NOTE:** If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

13.

(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

J. L. FLOWERS, PRESIDENT

14.

(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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NORFOLK, VIRGINIA



# NORTH CAROLINA

## Department of the Secretary of State

### CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

I, Elaine F. Marshall, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that

#### FLOWERS MINISTRIES, INC.

is a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of North Carolina, having been incorporated on the 5th day of April, 2007, with its period of duration being Perpetual.

I FURTHER certify that the said corporation's articles of incorporation are not suspended for failure to comply with the Revenue Act of the State of North Carolina; that the said corporation is not administratively dissolved for failure to comply with the provisions of the North Carolina Nonprofit Corporation Act; and that the said corporation has not filed articles of dissolution as of the date of this certificate.



Scan to verify online.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 22nd day of July, 2015.

*Elaine F. Marshall*

Secretary of State