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TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Light The Fire 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:

Brenda Gibbs

Name of Person

Light The Fire Ministries, Inc.

Firm/Company

P.O. Box 51586

Address

Sarasota, FL 34232

City/State and Zip Code

brengibbs21@gmail.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Brenda Gibbs

469

404-2947

Name of Person

at ()

Area Code

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

**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:**

Light The Fire Ministries, Inc.

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.)

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

Texas 46-4231071

2. _____ 3. _____
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
10/22/2013

4. _____ 5. _____
(Date of Incorporation) (Date of duration, if other than perpetual)

6. _____
(Date first conducted affairs in Florida if prior to registration. See sections 617.1501 & 617.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability.)
1511 Asbury Dr., Van Alstyne, TX 75495

7. _____
(Principal office address)

PO Box 51586, Sarasota, FL 34232

(Current mailing address, if different)

See attachment for corporate purpose.

8. _____
(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)

Brenda Gibbs

Name:

5614 Richardson Rd.

Office Address:

Sarasota

34232

_____, Florida

(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

Brian D Gibbs

Chairman:

5614 Richardson Rd.

Address:

Sarasota, FL 34232

David L. Thomas

Vice Chairman:

9650 Springfield Rd.

Address:

Poland, OH 44514

Bobby Samuel

Director:

3516 N. Stoneybrook

Address:

Bloomington, IN 7404

Brenda J Gibbs

Director:

5614 Richardson Rd.

Address:

Sarasota, FL 34232

B. OFFICERS

Brian D. Gibbs

President:

5614 Richardson Rd.

Address:

Sarasota, FL 34232

David L. Thomas

Vice President:

9650 Springfield Rd.

Address:

Poland, OH 44514

Brenda J. Gibbs

Secretary:

5614 Richardson Rd., Sarasota, FL 34232

Address:

Brenda J. Gibbs

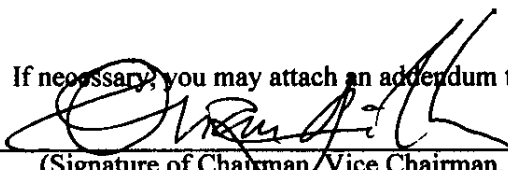
Treasurer:

5614 Richardson Rd., Sarasota, FL 34232

Address:

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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)
Brian D. Gibbs / President & Chairman

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

Corporations Section
P.O.Box 13697
Austin, Texas 78711-3697



Carlos H. Cascos
Secretary of State

Office of the Secretary of State

Certificate of Fact

The undersigned, as Secretary of State of Texas, does hereby certify that the document, Certificate of Formation for LIGHT THE FIRE MINISTRIES, INC. (file number 801872702), a Domestic Nonprofit Corporation, was filed in this office on October 22, 2013.

It is further certified that the entity status in Texas is in existence.

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In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name
officially and caused to be impressed hereon the Seal of
State at my office in Austin, Texas on October 14, 2015.



Carlos H. Cascos

Carlos H. Cascos
Secretary of State

Addendum

Purpose of corporation authorized in home state to be carried out in the state of Florida.

PURPOSES OF CORPORATION LIGHT THE FIRE MINISTRIES

- A. The Corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for religious, charitable and educational lawful purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any corresponding section of any future Federal Tax Code, and within the meaning of the Texas Business Organizations Code, or any corresponding section of any future Texas Business Organizations Code. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Corporation's purposes also include the limited participation of the Corporation in any other activities, including taxable activities, but only to the extent the activities would be permitted by a tax-exempt organization. More particularly, but without limitation, the purposes of this corporation are:**
- B. The Corporation is a Ministry whose purpose is to carry out the moral and spiritual ministry of the Lord Jesus Christ in this world and to carry out the great commission. Specifically:**
 - 1. Lighting the Fire of Revival, both locally & globally.**
 - 2. Equipping and training emerging leaders to carry the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the Nations.**
 - 3. Raising charitable & benevolent (eleemosynary) funds for the global rescue of orphans, widows & bringing freedom to those in slave trafficking.**
- C. The purposes of the organization shall be of those purposes set forth in the Code, including any one or more following: charitable, benevolent, religious, eleemosynary, patriotic, civic, missionary and educational, including the conduct of worship services and the carrying on of sacerdotal functions associated with a Christian Ministry.**
- D. To establish and operate a charitable, benevolent, religious, eleemosynary, patriotic, civic, missionary and educational organization for the purpose of teaching of the Bible or Bible related topics in, without limitation, schools, college or university campuses, and other public or private venues; conducting, without limitations, seminars, classes, camps, revivals, retreats and other presentations for the purposes of teaching, preaching or otherwise communicating the gospel, Bible and Bible related topics; preparing and distributing literature, visual and audio communications, and materials for the furtherance of the gospel, bible**

and Bible related topics; and otherwise promoting the furthering the gospel, Bible and Bible-related topics;

- E. To SPREAD THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST by any lawful means possible, as determined by the Board of Trustees of the Corporation.
- F. To promote the Christian religion by any appropriate form of expressions, within any available medium, an in any location, through the Corporation's combined or separate formation, of a ministry, charity, school, or eleemosynary institution, without limitation.
- G. To collect and distribute any and all necessary funds for the maintenance of said Corporation and the accomplishment of it's purpose within the state of Texas and elsewhere.
- H. To make distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended.
- I. This corporation is also organized to promote, encourage, and foster any other similar religious, charitable, and educational activities; to accept, hold, invest, reinvest and administer any gifts legacies, bequest, funds and property of any sort or nature, and to use, expend, or donate the income or principal thereof for, and to devote the same to, the foregoing purposes of the Corporation; and to do any and all lawful acts and things which may be necessary, useful, suitable, or proper for the furtherance of accomplishment of the purposes of this Corporation.
- J. To exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Texas upon nonprofit corporations and Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3), including without limitation the generality of the foregoing, to acquire by donation, contribution, bequest, gift, purchase, lease or otherwise any property of any sort or nature without limitation as to its amount or value, and to hold, reinvest, manage, use, apply, employ, sell, expend, disburse, lease, mortgage, convey, option, donate, or otherwise dispose of such property and the income, principal and proceeds of such property for any of the purposes set forth herein; and without the necessity of authorization or approval of any individual or entity whosoever save and except as provided in these Articles and the Bylaws of this 501(c)(3) non-profit church.
- K. To do such other things as are incidental to the purposes of the Corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish them.

Addendum

A. DIRECTORS (continued)

Director: Frances E. Foust
Address: 10308 State Route 118
Van Wert, OH 45891