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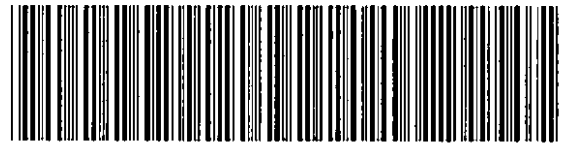
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

September 7, 2023

TEMPIA A. COURTS  
2300 BARRINGTON ROAD, STE 220  
HOFFMAN ESTATES, IL 60169 US

SUBJECT: GLOBAL LEADERSHIP NETWORK  
Ref. Number: W23000121257

We have received your document for GLOBAL LEADERSHIP NETWORK and check(s) totaling \$631.25. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

The name must contain a word that will clearly indicate that it is a corporation. Such words include: CORPORATION, CORP., COMPANY, CO., INC., and INCORPORATED.

The name of your corporation is not available in Florida. An out-of-state corporation whose name is not available must adopt an alternate corporate name for use in Florida. The alternate corporate name must contain "Incorporated," "Company," "Corporation," "Inc.," "Co.," "Corp.," "Inc.," "Co.," or "Corp." Please enter the alternate corporate name in the space provided in number one of the application.

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Ariel Jones  
Regulatory Specialist II

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## COVER LETTER

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Global Leadership Network

\_\_\_\_\_  
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:

Tempia A. Courts

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Person

Pluymert, MacDonald & Lee, Ltd.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Firm/Company

2300 Barrington Road, Ste 220

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

Hoffman Estates IL 60169

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State and Zip Code

tcourts@pmlegal.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Tempia A. Courts

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Person

at ( 847 )  
Area Code

310-0025

\_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Telephone Number

**Mailing Address:**

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

**Street Address:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
The Centre of Tallahassee  
2415 N. Monroe Street, Suite 810  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

Please make check payable to: **FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

☒ \$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:

1. Global Leadership Network, Inc.

(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.)

Global Leadership Network of Illinois, Inc.

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

2. Illinois 3. 36-3799040  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. December 27, 1991 5. perpetual  
(Date of Incorporation) (Date of duration, if other than perpetual)

6. September 8, 2022  
(Date first conducted affairs in Florida if prior to registration. See sections 617.1501 & 617.1502, F.S. to determine penalty liability)

7. 67 E Algonquin Road, South Barrington, IL 60010  
(Principal office street address)

67 E. Algonquin Road, South Barrington, IL 60010  
(Current mailing address, if different)

8. See attached.  
(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: Sue Elworth

Office Address: 7543 Campton Harbor Drive

Bradenton, Florida 34212  
(City) (Zip Code)

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.*

Sue C. Elworth  
(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.

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12. For initial indexing purposes, list names, titles and addresses of the primary officers and/or directors (up to six (6) total):

**A. DIRECTORS**

☐ Chairman Name: David Ashcraft  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 67 E Algonquin Road  
☒ Director South Barrington IL 60010  
☒ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☒ Other: CEO ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Robert Yi  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 67 E Algonquin Road  
☐ Director South Barrington IL 60010  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☒ Other: COO ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

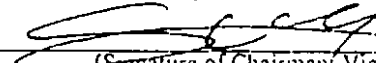
☐ Chairman Name: John Venhuizen  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 67 E Algonquin Road  
☒ Director South Barrington IL 60010  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Brad Whitmore  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 67 E. Algonquin Road  
☒ Director South Barrington IL 60010  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☒ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Arlis Whalum  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 67 E Algonquin Road  
☐ Director South Barrington IL 60010  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☒ Treasurer  
☒ Other: CFO ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Kim Simios  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 67 E Algonquin Road  
☒ Director South Barrington IL 60010  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Important Notice: Use an attachment to report more than six (6). The attachment will be imaged for reporting purposes only. Non-indexed individuals may be added to the index when filing your Florida Department of State Annual Report form.

13.   
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Robert Yi, Chief Operating Officer  
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

Global Leadership Network

FEIN 36-3799040

No. 8 (Purpose of the Corporation) To Envision, Equip & Encourage Christian Leaders To Build Prevailing Churches Throughout The World And To Encourage Christian Leaders To Bring The Church And The Message Of Jesus Christ Into Other Organizations.

Global Leadership Network  
#12 List of Officers and Directors

Directors of Global Leadership Network:

KIM SIMIOS, Chair  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

BRAD WHITMORE  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

SHERRI MILLER  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
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DAVID ASHCRAFT  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
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ALBERT TATE  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

JOHN VENHUIZEN, Vice Chair  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

MEGAN TAMTE  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

Officers of Global Leadership Network:

DAVID ASHCRAFT, President & CEO  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

ROBERT YI, Chief Operating Officer  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

DOUG YONAMINE, Vice President, Human Resources & Legal  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

CHRIS ORDWAY, Executive Vice President, International  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

LORI HERMANN, Vice President, Programming, Content & Media  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

ARLIS WHALUM, Chief Financial Officer  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

SCOTT COCHRANE, Vice President, International Ministries  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
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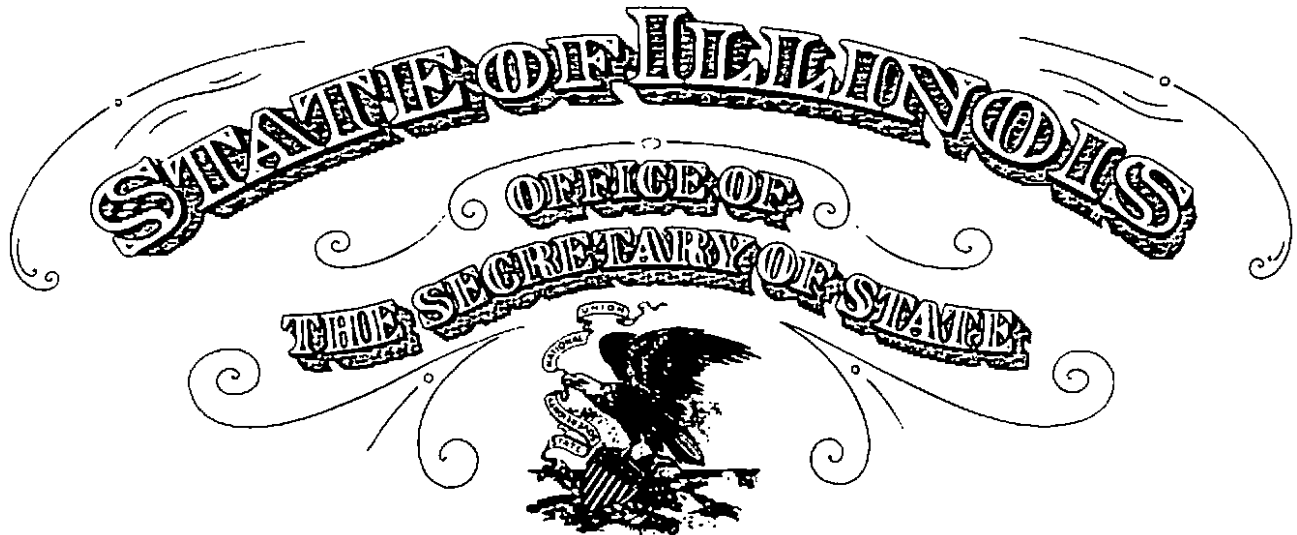
BRAD WHITMORE, Treasurer  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812

JOHN VENHUIZEN, Secretary  
67 E Algonquin Road  
South Barrington IL 60010  
800-570-9812



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***To all to whom these Presents Shall Come, Greeting:***

*I, Alexi Giannoulas, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that I am the keeper of the records of the Department of Business Services. I certify that*

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP NETWORK, A DOMESTIC CORPORATION, INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THIS STATE ON DECEMBER 27, 1991, APPEARS TO HAVE COMPLIED WITH ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION ACT OF THIS STATE, AND AS OF THIS DATE, IS IN GOOD STANDING AS A DOMESTIC CORPORATION IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.



***In Testimony Whereof, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Illinois, this 17TH day of AUGUST A.D. 2023 .***