Department of State

Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 Central Baptist Church of Tallahassee, FL., Inc. SUBJECT: (Proposed corporate name - must include suffix) *****87.50 ****87.50 Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for: **\$87.50** \$78.75 \$78.75 \$70.00 Filing Fee, Filing Fee Filing Fee & Filing Fee Certified Copy & Certified Copy Certificate of & Certificate Status ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED Jane Strickland FROM: Name (Printed or typed) 2108 Lytham Lane Tallahassee, FL 32308 City, State & Zip 850/386-8121 Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH OF TALLAHASSEE, FL., INC.

A Florida Nonprofit Corporation

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of Central Baptist Church of Tallahassee, FL., Inc. (the Corporation), under the Florida Corporations Not For Profit Act, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE I Name

The name of the Corporation is CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH OF TALLAHASSEE, FL., INC.

ARTICLE II Principal Place of Business and Mailing Address

The principal place of business is The Florida Baptist Associational Building, 819 Jaclif Court, Tallahassee, Florida 32308. The principal mailing address is 250 Intrepid Court, Tallahassee, Florida 32312

ARTICLE III Purpose

The general purpose or purposes for which the Corporation is organized are as follows:

This is a nonprofit corporation, organized solely for general religious purposes pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, the Florida Corporations Not For Profit Act. The Corporation shall establish, provide and maintain place of worship and education for the membership of the Corporation and its visitors.

ARTICLE IV Membership

Membership into the Corporation and rights, responsibilities and duties of the membership shall be set forth in the Corporation's Bylaws.

ARTICLE V Manner of Election of Administrative Directors

SECTION I: Number and Term. The authorized number of Administrative Directors shall be, until changed by amendment of the Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws, such number as may from time to time be authorized by resolution of the Administrative Directors, provided that such number shall not be less than three (3), nor more than nine (9). The Administrative Directors will be recommended by the Pastor and approved by the Corporation.

The names and street addresses of the initial Administrative Directors are:

- Cathy Davis, 2850 Pine Ridge Road, Tallahassee, FL 32308;
- Stan Strickland, 2108 Lytham Lane, Tallahassee, FL 32308,
- Jane Strickland, 2108 Lytham Lane, Tallahassee, FL 32308.

SECTION II: Powers. The Church shall have all corporate powers outlined in the Florida Nonprofit Corporation Act, Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time (hereafter referred to as "Act") and subject to the provisions and limitations of the Act and any limitations in the Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws. The legal business of the Church shall be conducted and all corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the direction of the Administrative Directors.

ARTICLE VI Initial Registered Agent and Street Address

The principal meeting place of the initial registered office of the corporation is 819 Jaclif Court, Tallahassee 32308, and the name of the Corporation's initial registered agent at that address is Jane Strickland.

ARTICLE VII Incorporator

The name and street address of the incorporator is Jane Strickland, 2108 Lytham Lane, Tallahassee, FL 32308.

ARTICLE VIII Bylaws

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal Bylaws shall be vested in the members of the Corporation by a majority of those members present and entitled to vote on the matter. The initial Bylaws shall be adopted by a majority of the members of the Corporation who are present and entitled to vote.

ARTICLE IX Amendments

The Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner prescribed by law. Every amendment shall be approved at a duly noticed meeting of the members by a 2/3 majority of those members present and entitled to vote on the matter.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 21²² day of February, 2000.

Jane Strickland

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF LEON

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 21st day of February, 2000, by Jane Strickland, who is personally known to me produced ______ as identification.

Printed/typed Name:
Notary Public-State of Florida

Commission Number:

Laura M. Adams

My COMMISSION # CC76051 £ EXPIRES ...

November 20, 2802 ...

BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

APPROVED

ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, 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 relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Jane Strickland Registered Agent Date