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The Church Of Christ, Inc.

SUBJECT:

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for:

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Certificate of  
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☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Tommy Lawhorn  
Name (Printed or typed)  
1035 N.W. First Avenue,  
Address  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311  
City, State & Zip  
954-647-8084  
Daytime Telephone number

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**The Church Of Christ**  
**Of Ft. Lauderdale, Inc.**

Non-stock  
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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

THE UNDERSIGNED, who are citizens of the United States and residents of the State of Florida, for the purpose of forming a not for profit corporation pursuant to Chapter 607, Florida Statutes, do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I: The name of the Corporation is **The Church Of Christ Of Ft. Lauderdale, Inc.**

ARTICLE II: The principal place of business and mailing address of the Corporation is:  
1035 N.W. First Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33311

ARTICLE III: The nature of the business and the objects and purposes proposed to be transacted, promoted and carried on are educational. Said corporation is organized as a Church for Religious purposes, Religious School and other Religious Educational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE IV: The manner of election: activities and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The number of Directors which shall constitute the whole Board shall be such as from time to time shall be fixed by, or in the manner provided in, the Bylaws, but in no case shall the number be less than three. The Directors need not be members of the Corporation unless so required by the Bylaws or by Statute. The Board of Directors shall be elected by the members at the annual meeting of the Corporation to be held on such date as the Bylaws may provide, and shall hold office until their successors are respectively elected and qualified. A majority of directors shall be necessary to constitute a quorum. The Board of Directors may, by resolution or resolutions passed by a majority of the whole Board, designate one or more committees which, to the extent provided in said resolution or resolutions or in the Bylaws of the Corporation, shall have and may exercise all the powers of the Board of Directors in the management of the activities and affairs of the Corporation. They may further have power to authorize the seal of the Corporation to be affixed to all papers which may require it; and such committee or committees shall have such name or names as may be stated in the Bylaws of the Corporation or as may be determined from time to time by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors. The directors of the Corporation may be classified as to term of office. The Corporation may elect such officers as the Bylaws may specify, subject to the provisions of the Statute, who shall have titles and exercises such duties as the Bylaws may provide. The Board of Directors in addition to the foregoing, and in addition to the powers of and authorities expressly conferred upon them by Statute. This is true, provided that the Board of Directors shall not exercise any power of authority conferred herein or by Statute upon the members.

ARTICLE V: No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Third hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a

corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE VI: Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VII: This Corporation shall have three Directors initially. The number of Directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time in the manner provide in the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three. The names and addresses of the initial Directors of the Corporation are as follows:

- 1.) Tommy Lawhorn, 1035 N.W. First Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33311
- 2.) Ricky Hicks, 1035 N.W. First Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33311
- 3.) Lloyd Lewis, 1035 N.W. First Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33311


ARTICLE VIII: The Street address and name and Florida Street address of the Registered Agent is:

Tommy Lawhorn  
1035 N.W. First Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33311


ARTICLE IX: The name and address of the Corporation's incorporator is:

Tommy Lawhorn  
1035 N.W. First Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33311

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have subscribed our names this 9th day of June, 2000.

  
Tommy Lawhorn, Incorporator  
1035 N.W. First Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

Having been named as a registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

  
Tommy Lawhorn, Registered Agent  
1035 N.W. First Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

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