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SUBJECT: MIAMI CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC.
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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

☐ \$70.00
Filing Fee

☒ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certificate of Status

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

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

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: LUIS RUALES
Name (Printed or typed)

2599 DOLLY BAY DR. # T209
Address

LUIS RUALES PALE PALM HARBOR, FL 34684
City, State & Zip

727-939-8133
Daytime Telephone number

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

MIAMI CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC.

A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator, in order to form a non-profit corporation under the laws of the state of Florida, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ONE: The name of this corporation is MIAMI CHRISTIAN CENTER, INC. The principal address of the corporation is 2599 Dolly Bay Dr., # T 209, Palm Harbor, FL 34684.

TWO: The name and address of the registered agent of this corporation are:

REV. LUIS RUALES

2599 DOLLY BAY DR., # T 209

PALM HARBOR, FL 34684

THREE: The specific purposes for which this corporation is organized are to operate exclusively for religious, charitable, and educational purposes. This corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. In addition, the corporation is organized for the following purposes:

- a) To bring people to Jesus and membership in His family, develop them to Christlike maturity, and equip them for their ministry in the church and life mission in the world, in order to magnify God's name;

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- b) To allow people to Discover;
- God's purpose to live for (evangelism);
 - God's people to live with (membership);
 - God's principles to live by (discipleship);
 - God's profession to live out (ministry);
 - God's power to live on (worship).

FOUR: PROHIBITED TRANSACTIONS

This corporation shall not:

- a) Engage in any activities prohibited by Section 617.0105, Florida Statutes;
- b) As a substantial part of its activities carry out propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation;
- c) Participate or intervene, by publication or distribution of any statements or otherwise, in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office;
- d) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by the organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

FIVE: The number of initial directors of this corporations are three. Their names and address are as follows:

Rev. Luis Ruales, President

2599 Dolly Bay Dr., # T 209

Palm Harbor, Fl 34684

Catherine Ruales, Vice President

2599 Dolly Bay Dr., # T 209

Palm Harbor, Fl 34684

Michael Steuer, Director

2619 Bellhurst Dr.

Dunedin, Fl 34698

Directors shall be elected as stated in the bylaws.

SIX: The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation is:

Rev. Luis Ruales

2599 Dolly Bay Dr., # T 209

Palm Harbor, Fl 34684

SEVEN: The period of duration of this corporation is perpetual.

EIGHT: The corporation shall have a membership distinct from the Board of Directors. Any person making application for membership as provided for in the Bylaws and agreeing to be bound by the Articles of Incorporation of this corporation, by its Bylaws, and by such rules and regulations as the Board of Trustees may from time to time adopt, is eligible for membership in the corporation. The Board of Trustees shall from time to time prescribe the form and manner in which application may be made for membership. The rights and privileges of the members of the corporation are as provided in the Bylaws of the corporation. Members shall have no voice or vote in the business affairs of the corporation.

NINE: Any additional provisions for the operation of the corporation are as follows:

Upon the dissolution of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code), and this 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.

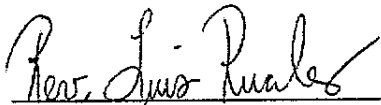
No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that this corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in these Articles.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or (2) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

In any taxable year in which this corporation is a private foundation as described in Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, the corporation 1) shall distribute its income for said period at such time and manner as not to subject it to tax under Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code; 2) shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code; 3) shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code; 4) shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject the corporation to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code; and 5) shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The undersigned incorporator hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the statements made in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation are true.

Dated: August 7, 2000



Rev. Luis Ruales, Incorporator

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION

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REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

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Pursuant to the provisions of Section 617.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the state of Florida.

1. The name of the corporation is: Miami Christian Center, Inc.
2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

Rev. Luis Ruales

2599 Dolly Bay Dr., # T 209

Palm Harbor, Fl 34684

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.

Signature: _____

Rev. Luis Ruales

Date: August 7, 2000