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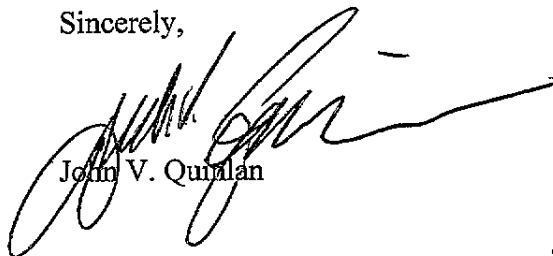
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Re: St. John's Missionary Baptist Church

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed with this correspondence is an application for reinstatement/reincorporation of the above named entity, along with our check # 2621 for filing fees dating back to 1993 when the corporation was administratively dissolved. The check amount also includes \$8.75 for certification. Please return the acknowledgment copy to the undersigned.

Sincerely,



John V. Quinlan

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APPLICATION FOR REINSTATEMENT AND REINCORPORATION OF LEGISLATIVELY OR JUDICIALLY CHARTERED NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION

IN COMPLIANCE WITH s. 617.1623(1)(d), FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REINSTATE AND REINCORPORATE A NOT FOR PROFIT LEGISLATIVELY OR JUDICIALLY CHARTERED CORPORATION WHICH WAS DISSOLVED ON JULY 2, 1992, PURSUANT TO s. 617.1623(1)(c):

- 1. ST. JOHN'S MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Name of corporation exactly as it appears in legislative or judicial charter.
- 2. 1701 1st Ave. E, Palmetto, FL 34221
Street address of the principal office of the corporation.
(This address will be used for the mailing of corporation annual reports)
- 3. 13th day of March, 1957
Date of legislative or judicial incorporation

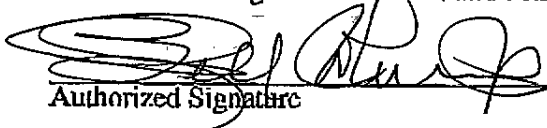
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4. FEI Number _____

5. Name, address and title of current officers and/or directors:
(use additional page if necessary)

Title	Name	Street Address	City/State/Zip
Chairman	Azell Johnson,	3119 9th Ave. Dr. E, Palmetto, FL	34221
	Willie D. Samuel,	215 18th St. E, Palmetto, FL	34221
	Luther Ware,	315 14th St. W, Palmetto, FL	34221
	Charlie Shanks,	a1718 2nd Ave. E, Palmetto, FL	34221
	Johnnie Jackson,	3012 9th Ave. Dr. E, Palmetto, FL	34221

6. Attached is a copy of the judicial charter and all amendments thereto certified by the Circuit Court of the county wherein recorded or a copy of the chartering law certified by the Department of State, Division of Elections as to legislative charters and completed Certificate of Reincorporation.



 Authorized Signature

Azell Johnson - Chairman

 Name and capacity of person signing application
 (see S. 617.10201(6))

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CHARTER OF ST. JOHN'S MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

We, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit under the provisions of Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, 1955, and to that end, do adopt the following charter:

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation shall be ST. JOHN'S MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH, and it is to be located approximately one block East of the corporate limits of the City of Palmetto on Memphis Road, Manatee County, Florida.

ARTICLE II

The general nature and object of this corporation shall be to disseminate and advance the concepts and practice of Christianity in accordance with those Articles of Faith which are most surely held among Southern Missionary Baptist Churches, and to advance spiritual growth and enlightenment and moral and personal purity among its own membership and the people of the community in which it is located; to promote home and foreign missions and to aid in the spread of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the ends of the earth; to educate, prepare and ordain Christian men and women for the ministry of the Gospel of Jesus Christ; and to the above ends, said corporation is authorized to buy, use, maintain, receive, give, pledge, mortgage, invest, encumber, license the use of, lease or sublease, acquire by gift, grant, purchase, devise or bequest real and personal property of any kind and character and do all things necessary or incidental to the above.

ARTICLE III

Every person who believes in repentance towards God and in Jesus Christ as Saviour, Lord and King, who is willing to so confess him publicly and to follow Him in baptism by immersion and to observe the ordinances of Christ and to be governed by His laws is qualified and eligible for membership in this corporation. Application for admission to membership shall be by presentation of Letters of

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Demission from other churches of like faith or by statement of former membership in a Missionary Baptist Church or by profession of faith as hereinabove provided. Persons applying as above shall be admitted to membership upon a favorable majority vote of the membership of said corporation present at any regular meeting. The subscribers hereto, together with the present membership of ST. JOHN'S MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH (unincorporated), shall constitute the original membership of this corporation.

ARTICLE IV

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE V

The names and residences of the subscribers hereto are:

Willie Samuel	Palmetto, Florida
Albert Mays	Palmetto, Florida
Loya Mitchell	Palmetto, Florida
Aggie Payton	Palmetto, Florida
Charlie Shanks, Jr.	Palmetto, Florida

ARTICLE VI

The affairs of this corporation are to be managed by the Board of Trustees. Said Board of Trustees shall be composed of not less than three nor more than seven persons, who shall be elected to office at the first regular meeting in December of each year on a date to be set by the Board of Trustees and shall take office on January first of the year following their election. All members of the Board of Trustees shall serve until their successors are elected. The Board of Trustees shall select one of the members of said board as chairman. The chairman of the Board of Trustees shall be the chief executive officer of the corporation. Said Board of Trustees shall also appoint a clerk of the corporation.

ARTICLE VII

The Board of Trustees, which is to manage all of the affairs of this corporation until the first election under this charter,

shall be composed of the following persons:

- Willie Samuel, Chairman
- Albert Mays
- Loyu Mitchell
- Aggie Payton
- Charlie Shanks, Jr.

ARTICLE VIII

The by-laws of this corporation are to be made, altered or rescinded upon a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the corporation.

ARTICLE IX

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation may at any time subject itself shall be \$50,000.00, provided, however, that said amount of indebtedness or liability shall never be greater than two-thirds of the value of the property owned by this corporation.

ARTICLE X

The amount in value of the real estate which this corporation may hold, subject always to the approval of the circuit judge in and for Manatee County, Florida, shall be \$75,000.00.

WITNESS our hands and seals this 4 day of March in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-seven.

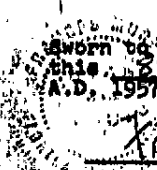
Willie Samuel (SEAL)
Albert Mays (SEAL)
Loyu Mitchell (SEAL)
Aggie Payton (SEAL)
Charlie Shanks Jr. (SEAL)

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF MANATEE

Before me, the undersigned authority, duly authorized to administer oaths, this day personally appeared WILLIE SAMUEL, to me well known and known to me to be one of the foregoing named subscribers, and he acknowledged before me that he executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein described, and the said Willie Samuel, after being first duly sworn, said on oath that it is intended in good faith to carry out the purpose and objects set forth in the foregoing instrument.

Willie Samuel

sworn to and subscribed before me
this 13 day of March,
A.D. 1957.



Francis Murphy
Notary Public

My commission expires: _____

APPROVAL OF CHARTER

The foregoing proposed charter having been presented for approval, and the Court, upon inspection thereof, having examined same and having found same to be in proper order and form and for an object authorized by Section 617.01, F. S. 1951, thereupon, upon consideration thereof,

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED That the foregoing charter be and the same is hereby approved, and that upon the recording of same and this order of approval in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for Manatee County, Florida, said subscribers and their associates and successors shall be a corporation not for profit under the name of ST. JOHN'S MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Bradenton, Florida, this 13th day of March, A. D. 1957.

W. J. Harrison
Judge

FILED FOR RECORD Mar. 19 1957 AT
11:35 O'CLOCK A.M. AND RECORDED
Mar. 22 1957
M. T. MORRIS CLERK CIRCUIT COURT
M. T. Morris

CERTIFICATE OF REINCORPORATION

Pursuant to s.617.0901, Florida Statutes, this certificate of reincorporation was duly authorized by a meeting of its members regularly called or by a meeting of its board of directors if there were no members entitled to vote on the reincorporation:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

ST. JOHN'S MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and the mailing address of this corporation shall be:

Business Address: 1701 1st Avenue E, Palmetto, FL 34221
Mailing Address - P. O. Box 667, Palmetto, FL 34220

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The specific purpose for which the corporation is organized:

To disseminate and advance the concepts and practice of Christianity in accordance with those Articles of Faith which are held among Southern Missionary Baptist Churches.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

Board of Trustees elected to office at the first regular meeting in December of each year on a dates set by the Board of Trustees.

ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

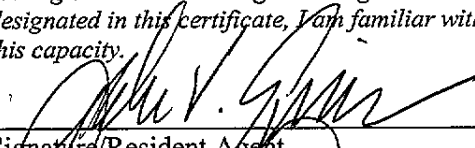
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ARTICLE VI INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Azell Johnson, 3119 9th Avenue Drive E, Palmetto, 34221

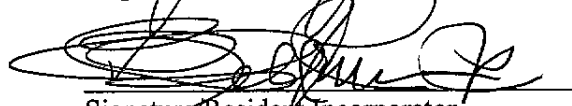
Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.



Signature/Resident Agent

3/13/01

Date



Signature/Resident Incorporator

3/13/01

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