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New Slavic Christian Church, Inc.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
NEW SLAVIC CHRISTIAN CHURCH, INC.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit under the laws of Florida, pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes (2000), hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this corporation is New Slavic Christian Church, Inc.

ARTICLE II

Initial Principal Office or Place of Business

The initial principal office or place of business of this corporation is as follows:

1612 Pleasant Park Drive, East  
Jacksonville, Florida 32225

ARTICLE III

Duration

This corporation shall exist perpetually, commencing upon the filing of these Articles with the Florida Secretary of State, unless the corporation is dissolved according to law.

ARTICLE IV

Purposes for Which Organized

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific 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 of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the aforesaid purposes of this corporation. In particular, and without limiting the foregoing statement of purposes, this corporation is organized to be an exempt religious organization in the nature of a church, for the conduct of activities incident to or desirable for the establishment and

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maintenance of a congregation and place of worship and meditation for the active practice and study of the Pentecostal denomination of the Christian religious faith, primarily (but not exclusively) by persons of Slavic heritage, in Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida.

#### ARTICLE V

##### No Issuance of Capital Stock

This corporation is organized on a non-stock, membership basis. Members of this corporation may be entitled to receive membership certificates, if approved by the Board of Trustees, to be issued, withdrawn and cancelled as provided in the Corporate Bylaws. Membership certificates, if any, shall not be transferable and shall signify no ownership interest in the assets or income of the corporation.

#### ARTICLE VI

##### Qualification of Members

Membership in the corporation shall be open to persons with a sincere belief and interest in the practice and study of the Pentecostal denomination of the Christian religious faith. Other provisions governing qualification of the members of the corporation and the manner of their admission as members shall be administered as provided in the Corporate Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE VII

##### Initial Registered Office and Agent

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 200 West Forsyth Street, Suite 1100, Jacksonville, Florida 32202, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is Michael A. Candeto.

#### ARTICLE VIII

##### Trustees

This corporation shall have five (5) Trustees initially, who shall also be known as councilors (members of the General Council). The method of election of Trustees of the corporation shall be set forth in the Corporate Bylaws. The number of Trustees may be increased or diminished from time to time by amendment of the Corporate Bylaws, but shall never be greater than twelve (12) nor fewer than five (5).

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ARTICLE IX

Initial Trustees and Members

The names and street addresses of the initial Trustees and members of the corporation are:

Dmitriy Valentinovich Morozov  
1612 Pleasant Park Drive, East  
Jacksonville, Florida 32225

Alexander Kiprin  
9927 Leahy Road  
Jacksonville, Florida 32246

Pavel A. Minzer  
1612 Pleasant Park Drive, East  
Jacksonville, Florida 32225

Tatyana Akopyan  
2620 Trollie Lane #9  
Jacksonville, Florida 32211

Victor Valentinovich Morozov  
5706 N.E. 34th Street #3  
Vancouver, Washington 98661

ARTICLE X

Incorporator

The name and street address of the person signing these Articles are:

Michael A. Candeto  
200 West Forsyth Street, Suite 1100  
Jacksonville, Florida 32202

ARTICLE XI

Corporate Bylaws

The initial Corporate Bylaws of this corporation shall be adopted by the Board of Trustees (also known as the General Council). The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Trustees and the members; provided, however, that the

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Board of Trustees may not alter or repeal a bylaw or amendment thereto adopted by the members.

## ARTICLE XII

### Trustee Compensation

The Board of Trustees is hereby specifically authorized to make provisions for reasonable compensation to its members for their services as Trustees, and to fix the basis and conditions upon which such compensation shall be paid, in accordance with Article XV hereof. Any Trustee of the corporation may also serve the corporation in any other capacity and receive compensation therefor in any form, in accordance with Article XV hereof.

## ARTICLE XIII

### Indemnification

The Board of Trustees is hereby specifically authorized to make provisions for indemnification of Trustees, officers, employees and agents of the corporation to the full extent permitted by law.

## ARTICLE XIV

### Amendment

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the members is subject to this reservation.

## ARTICLE XV

### Qualification as Exempt Organization

It is the intent of the incorporator and of the initial Board of Trustees and members of the corporation that the corporation shall qualify as an "exempt organization" as described in Sections 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Code. 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 IV 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 with regard thereto), 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 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 Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE XVI

Distribution of Assets upon Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, its assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the 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 the Circuit Court 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.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2001.

Michael A. Candeto

Michael A. Candeto  
Incorporator of New Slavic Christian Church, Inc.

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF DUVAL

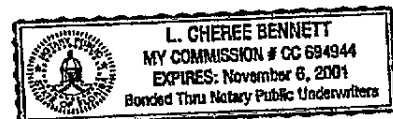
The foregoing instrument was sworn to and acknowledged before me by Michael A. Candeto this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2001. Said affiant is ✓ personally known to me or \_\_\_\_\_ produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

L. Cheree Bennett

Notary Public, State of Florida  
at Large

My commission expires: 11-6-01

[Notarial Seal]



CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND REGISTERED OFFICE

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTIONS 48.091, 607.0501 AND 617.0202, FLORIDA STATUTES (2000), THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED:

FIRST--THAT NEW SLAVIC CHRISTIAN CHURCH, INC., DESIRING TO ORGANIZE UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA AS A CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT, WITH ITS INITIAL PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AT 1612 PLEASANT PARK DRIVE, EAST, JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32225, HAS DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING REGISTERED AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA AT THE REGISTERED OFFICE SHOWN BELOW:

1. REGISTERED AGENT: Michael A. Candeto
2. REGISTERED OFFICE: 200 West Forsyth Street, Suite 1100  
Jacksonville, Florida 32202

NEW SLAVIC CHRISTIAN  
CHURCH, INC.

By: Michael A. Candeto  
Michael A. Candeto  
Incorporator

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HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE-NAMED FLORIDA CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT, AT THE REGISTERED OFFICE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES. I AM FAMILIAR WITH, AND ACCEPT, THE OBLIGATIONS PROVIDED FOR IN SECTIONS 607.0505 AND 617.0503, FLORIDA STATUTES (2000).

Michael A. Candeto  
Michael A. Candeto

DATE: July 19, 2001