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RE: HOLY TABERNACLE CHURCH, INC.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find an original and a copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above-referenced corporation along with our check no. 4742 made payable to the Secretary of State in the sum of \$70.00 in order to defray your filing fee.

Please return the file stamped copy of the Articles of Incorporation to the undersigned at your earliest convenience.

If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Very sincerely yours,

Anthony M. Nardella, Jr.

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Enclosures  
cc: Allen Bryant

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SUBJECT: HOLY TABERNACLE CHURCH, INC.  
Ref. Number: W01000021340

We have received your document for HOLY TABERNACLE CHURCH, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

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Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
MISSION OF PRAISE, INC.

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In compliance with the requirements of F.S. Chapter 617, the undersigned, being a natural person, does hereby act as an incorporator in adopting and filing the following Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of organizing a not-for-profit corporation.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation ("corporation") is MISSION OF PRAISE, INC.

ARTICLE II

The existence of the corporation shall begin immediately upon filing with the Florida Department of State.

ARTICLE III

The purpose of this corporation is to propagate the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ throughout the world and to use all means available to achieve this purpose, including, but not limited to, conducting church and outreach services, revival campaigns, operating schools and day-care centers, including bible schools, ordaining ministers, sending out missionaries, including mission teams, planning churches, spreading the gospel and establishing God's kingdom here on earth. The corporation shall operate exclusively for such religious, charitable and educational purposes as qualify it as a nonprofit, tax-exempt organization under federal and state law.

ARTICLE IV

The street address of the principal office of the corporation is 2550 Apopka Boulevard, Apopka, FL 32703.

ARTICLE V

The initial street address of the corporation's registered office is 1424 Druid Road, Maitland, FL 32751. The initial registered agent for the corporation at that address is Gail Long.

ARTICLE VI

The initial board of directors shall consist of three (3) members. The method of election of directors shall be as stated in the bylaws. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time as provided in the bylaws provided that at no time shall the number of directors ever be less than three (3). The name and address of the persons who will serve on the initial board of directors are:

Name	Address
Allen Bryant	2311 Dianjo Drive, Orlando, FL 32810
Joel Cravey	P.O. Box 245, Plymouth, FL 32768
Wayne Reid	1920 S. Sheeler Road, Apopka, FL 32703

#### ARTICLE VII

The name and street address of the person signing these articles of incorporation is:

Name	Address
Allen Bryant	2550 Apopka Boulevard, Apopka, FL 32703

#### ARTICLE VIII

The members of the corporation shall be admitted to membership as regulated by the bylaws.

#### ARTICLE IX

Notwithstanding the provisions of Article III hereinabove, nothing herein shall be construed to permit the corporation to engage in any activity which would be inconsistent with its classification as an organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended from time to time, or any equivalent section of the Internal Revenue Code in effect at any time. As such, the corporation shall not allow any expenditure of any part of the net earnings of the corporation to inure to the benefit of any member, director, or officer of the corporation, or any private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the corporation effecting one or more of its purposes), nor shall any member, director, or officer of the corporation, or any private individual, be entitled to share in a distribution of the corporation's assets on dissolution of the corporation nor shall a substantial part of the activities of the corporation be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene (including the publication and distribution of statements) in the political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Provided, further, that if at any time the corporation is deemed to be a Private Foundation as defined by Section 509 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended from time to time, then for so long as the corporation is deemed a Private Foundation, the following provisions shall also be applicable:

1. The corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

2. The corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

3. The corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

4. The corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

#### ARTICLE X

The corporation shall have all the powers, rights, and privileges of a corporation not for profit under Florida law.

#### ARTICLE XI

Except as otherwise provided by law, the power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal the bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE XII

In addition to any rights and duties under applicable law, the Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless all of its directors, officers, employees and agents, and former directors, officers, employees and agents from and against all liabilities and obligations, including attorneys' fees, incurred in connection with any actions taken or failed to be taken by said directors, officers, employees and agents in their capacity as such except for willful misconduct or gross negligence.

#### ARTICLE XIII

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

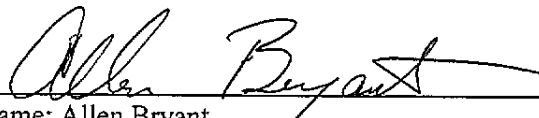
#### ARTICLE XIV

The headings or captions of these various articles are inserted for convenience and none of them shall have any force or effect, and the interpretation of the various articles shall not be influenced by any of said headings or captions.

#### ARTICLE XV

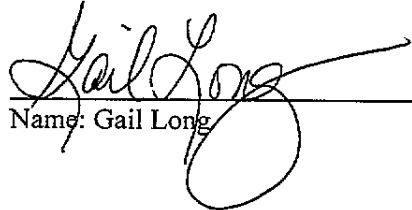
Upon the liquidation, dissolution or the winding up of the affairs of the corporation, the assets of the corporation shall be distributed exclusively to charitable, religious, scientific, literary, or educational organizations which are then qualified under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended from time to time, or any equivalent section of the Internal Revenue Code in effect at any time.

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

  
Name: Allen Bryant

ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process for MISSION OF PRAISE, INC. at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation, the undersigned is familiar with and accepts the obligations of that position pursuant to F.S. 617.0501(3).

  
Name: Gail Long

Date: September 19, 2001

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