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RE: Brother Tom Ministries, Inc.

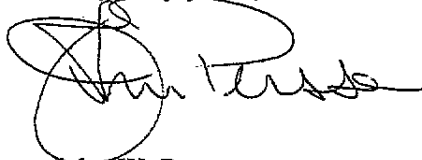
Dear Sirs/Madams:

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Enclosed is the signed original of the Articles of Incorporation of the above corporation. I have also enclosed a check in the amount of \$70.00 for the filing fee.

Please process this at your earliest opportunity.

Very truly yours,



John W. Persse

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article I

The name of the corporation is: Brother Tom Ministries, Inc.

Article II

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 2711 57th Street East, Bradenton, Florida 34208.

Article III

The specific purposes for which the corporation is organized is (are): to perform religious and/or charitable activities within the meaning of section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Article IV

The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is in the manner stated in the bylaws.

Article V

The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent is: John W. Persse, 1800 Second Street, Suite 715, Sarasota, Florida 34236.

Article VI

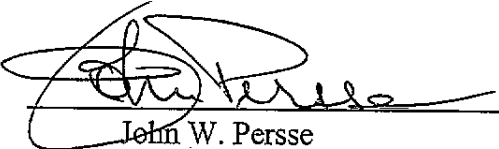
The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation is: John W. Persse, 1800 Second Street, Suite 715, Sarasota, Florida 34236.

Article VII

The names and addresses of the individuals who are to serve as the initial directors are:

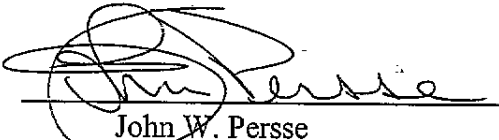
Thomas J. Beimborn, 2711 57th Street East, Bradenton, Florida 34208
Frances E. Beimborn, 2711 57th Street East, Bradenton, Florida 34208
Myrna Mays, 2711 57th Street East, Bradenton, Florida 34208

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned, have set my hand and seal to the foregoing Articles of Incorporation.


John W. Persse

Acceptance by Registered Agent

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.


John W. Persse