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SUBJECT: Gentle Rain Ministries, Incorporated
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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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

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: G. Lamar Hahn
Name (Printed or typed)

8921 Cove Ave
Address

Pensacola, Florida 32534
City, State & Zip

850-478-4469
Daytime Telephone number

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

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for profit)

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ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: Gentle Rain Ministries, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

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

8921 Cove Avenue
Pensacola, Florida 32534

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized:

Section 1:

Gentle Rain Ministries is an Evangelistic Ministry with a heart for Missions whose primary goal is to minister the gospel of Jesus Christ, with a high commitment to ministering to the personal needs of the people in the United States and other nations we visit. Not only do we preach, teach and aid in equipping believers for ministry, we endeavor to serve the people in their specific needs: that could include literacy materials, aid in English as Second language, food, clothing, or other personal needs. We will minister in a holistic manner. We are very committed to depositing good things, spiritual, educational and physical, in the nations we are called to.

Section 2:

For the purposes set forth herein, the corporation shall be entitled to exercise all the powers vested in Non-profit Corporations under the laws of the State of Florida, including the Florida Non-Profit Corporation Act.

In all events and under all circumstances, and notwithstanding merger, consolidation, reorganization, termination, dissolution or winding up of this corporation, voluntarily or involuntarily or by operation of law, the following provisions shall apply:

- a) This Corporation shall not have or exercise any power or authority either expressly, or interpretation or by operation by law, nor shall it directly engage in any activity, that would prevent this corporation from qualifying (and continuing to qualify) as a corporation described in Section 501 (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.
- b) The Corporation shall not in any manner or to any extent participate in, or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office; nor shall it engage in any activities that are unlawful under the laws of the United States of America, or the State of Florida, or any other jurisdiction where such activities are carried on; nor shall it engage in any transaction defined at the time as "prohibited" under Section 501 (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

- c) No compensation or payment shall be paid over or made to any officer, director or organizer of this Corporation, or substantial contributor to it, except as a reasonable allowance for actual expenditures or services actually made or rendered to or for this Corporation.
- d) Any reference in these Articles of Incorporation to any provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 shall be deemed to mean such provision as now or hereafter existing, amended, supplemented, or superseded, as the case may be.

Section 3

In connection therewith, or incidental thereto, it shall have the right to purchase or acquire by gifts, bequest or otherwise, either directly or as trustee, and to own, hold in trust, use sell, convey, mortgage, lease or otherwise dispose of any real estate or chattels as may be necessary for the furtherance of its Constitution and By-Laws or as the same may be hereafter modified or amended.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

Directors will be appointed by Gentle Rain Ministries. Prior to appointment, they will be asked to submit a resume and personal references. Choices then will be made according to their past experiences in ministry, business, interest in the vision of Gentle Rain Ministries, and personal commitment to the mission of the ministry.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

The name(s), address(es) and title(s):

None available at present.

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

G. Lamar Hahn
8921 Cove Avenue
Pensacola, Florida 32534

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

G. Lamar Hahn
8921 Cove Avenue
Pensacola, Florida 32534

Having been named as registered agent to accept services 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.

G. Lamar Hahn
Signature/Registered Agent

June 25, 2002
Date

G. Lamar Hahn
Printed name

G. Lamar Hahn
Signature/Incorporator

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