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ABUNDANT LIFE BRAZILIAN CHURCH OF GOD, INC. TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

ARTICLE I - CORPORATE NAME

The name of this corporation shall be: Abundant Life Brazilian Church of God, Inc.

ARTICLE II - NATURE OF BUSINESS AND POWERS

The purposes and corporate powers of this corporation are as follows:

This Church purpose is to preach and expand the Gospel and the Kingdom of Jesus Christ our Savior. Also this is for help and cooperation with our brothers in the same purpose, as set forth in The Holy Bible, which is accepted as our only rule of faith and practice; to seek by missions, evangelical and educational means not by any other means to teach Christianity and bring people to God's Kingdom, so set up and maintain Churchs and religious groups with the same purpose throughout the United States and around the world. The persons named in the Charter of Incorporation shall be the members of the first Board of Directors and they shall hold the office until the President appoints others as their successors at the annual assembly or always when be needed. The number of Directors of this corporation may be increased to any number, up to fifteen as may be determined by the President in the regular assembly. The general power of this Corporation shall be to sue and be sued by it's corporate name, to contract and be contracted with, to have and use a common seal which it may alter at pleasure, and if no common sela is provided for, then the signature of the cooperation by any duly authorized officer shall be legal and binding, to purchase and hold and to receive by gifts bequest personal property in any amount, real estate in any amount, and in addition to personal property owned, held or received by the corporation, it may purchase and hold all real estate necessary for the purpose of the cooperation, the same to be held and used for carrying the corperation purposes. To purchase ans accept real estate in payment of any debt due to the corporation and sell the same: to borow money to be used in payment for property bought by the corporation for erecting buildings and making improvements and for other purposes belonging to the purpose of the incorporation. The purpose of the organization of this corporation is for general welfare, and not for profit, and any income derived therefrom shall not be paid out in dividends to any person or corporation, but shall be used for the general welfare purpose and only for the purpose of said board herein expressly provide for.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

The qualifications of members and their manner of admission shall be as follows:

The membership shall be composed of those who have expressed a desire to unite with the religious organization for the purpose of Christian fellowship, Christian service, and Christian growth. It shall be achieved in the following manner:

- 1) By professing belief that Jesus Christ is the Son of God and making public declaration thereof.
- 2) By committing oneself to the purposes of this corporation, its charter and Bylaws, and by accepting the Articles of Faith.
- 3) By accepting the Body Covenant as a spiritual goal and by the aid of the Holy Spirit, endeavoring to live up to the standards contained therein.
 - By completing the membership orientation sessions or their equivalent.
- 5) By having been counseled by the Pastor and / or Spiritual Leader and as is for specifically provided in the corporate Bylaws.

Expulsion or suspension of members shall be by majority vote of the Board of Directors and of the membership and as is more specifically provided in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE IV - TERM OF EXISTENCE

This manner corporation shall be exist perpetually until dissolved in the manner provided by the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE V - REGISTERED AGENT

The Registered Agent and street address of the initial Registered office of this Corporation in the State of Florida shall be:

ARTICLE VI - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have five (5) directors initially. The number of directors may be increased or diminished form time to time according to the Bylaws adopted, but shall never be less than three.

ARTICLE VII - FIRST BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The names and addresses of the members of the first Board of Directors, whose members shall serve until their successors are duly elected and installed, are as follows:

- Wilson R, Baird
- William R. Baird
- Ruan Modesto Roa
- Cleiton M. de Jesus
- Claudinei Rodrigues Rocha

Directors will be elected by the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE VIII - EARNINGS AND ACTIVITIES

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to its members, directors, 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 II (B) 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) any political campaign on behalf of 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 except from Federal Income Tax under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE IX - DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the board of Trustees shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or

organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine.

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.

ARTICLE X - INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation as the sole incorporator is:

Wilson R Baird 1920 Sandpipper Dr. Palm Harbor, FL 34683

ARTICLE XI - AMENDMENT

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law, Every amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors, proposed by them to the shareholders and approved at a shareholders' meeting by at least a majority of the stock entitled to vote unless all of the directors and all of the shareholders sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of Articles of Incorporation be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, as sole incorporator, has executed the foregoing

Articles of Incorporation on the	day of	, 2002.	
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Wilson R Baird

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SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA , NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In compliance with the Section 48.091 Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

First: Abundant Life Brazilian Church of God, Inc., desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 1550 Belcher Rd., Largo, FL 33771 has named. Wilson R Baird as its agent to accept service of process within Florida.

I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as Registered Agent

Wilson R Baird

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