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SUBJECT: ETERNAL REVIVAL MINISTRIES INC.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the articles of incorporation and a check for :

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

ETERNAL REVIVAL MINISTRIES, INC.

STATE OF FLORIDA       )  
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County of Hillsborough   )       ss.

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TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we the undersigned, residents and citizens of the United States of America, of full age of majority, for the purpose of forming a nonprofit religious corporation pursuant to Title XXXVI, Chapter 617, et. seq., of the Laws of the State of Florida, and the purposes expressed in ARTICLE III hereof, have adopted the following Articles of Incorporation:

**ARTICLE I   NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be ETERNAL REVIVAL MINISTRIES, INC.

**ARTICLE II   PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT**

The street address and mailing address of the principal office of the corporation is 7621 Almark Street, Tampa, Florida, 33625. The name and street address of the corporation's registered agent at such address is Sally Leete, 7621 Almark Street, Tampa, Florida, 33625.

### **ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

This nonprofit corporation is organized and operated exclusively for the religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, of the United States of America.

In furtherance of its nonprofit, tax-exempt purposes, the corporation shall have the following powers and authority; however, the corporation shall not be empowered, and is prohibited from, engaging in any activity which is not allowed pursuant to Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, of the United States of America:

- (a) To operate under the name as set forth in ARTICLE I above;
- (b) To employ qualified counsel and other necessary personnel to carry out the purposes of this corporation;
- (c) To adopt and use a corporate seal;
- (d) To earnestly seek and promote the unity of God's people and churches in a Scriptural manner of Godly love, respect and faithful voluntary cooperation with liberty. To that end it may associate and cooperate freely with other non-profit corporations, churches and with missionary organizations and branches as a free and independent organization in accord with its own conscience and the wisdom of God, as the corporation perceives it to be; but in every case and in every act and in pursuance of or adoption of any policy or method or in practice or corporation does and shall do so as an independent organization, always retaining its sovereignty and independence.

(e) To receive donations, contributions, tithes, and offerings and property by gift, devise or bequest subject to the laws relating to the transfer of property by gift or will.

(f) To take, purchase or otherwise acquire; to own, hold, occupy, use, and enjoy; manage, improve, develop and work; to grant, sell, exchange, let, demise, and otherwise dispose of real estate, buildings, and improvements and every right, interest and estate therein without limit as to the amount thereof and wheresoever the same may be situated; to erect, construct, alter and repair buildings; to assume any and every kind of contract, agreement and obligation by or with any person, firm, corporation, or corporation, or any Federal, State, or other government for the erection, construction, alteration, repair, renewal, equipment, improvement, development, use, enjoyment, leasing, management or control of any buildings, improvements or structures of any kind wherever the same may be situated.

(g) To enter into, make, perform and carry out contracts of every kind for any lawful purpose without limit as to amount and with any person, firm, corporation or corporation; to draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, issue, and execute promissory notes, warrants, and other negotiable or transferable interests.

(h) To purchase or otherwise acquire, to own, hold, use and enjoy, to sell, assign and transfer, exchange or otherwise dispose of, deal in or deal with personal property of every kind and description without limit as to the amount thereof and wherever the same may be situated.

(i) To borrow and to loan money and to give and to receive evidence of indebtedness and security therefore; to draw, make, accept, endorse, execute and issue promissory notes, warrants and other debentures of the corporation, or otherwise to make guarantees of every kind and secure any or all obligations of the corporation by mortgage, trust deed or otherwise.

(j) By its Board of Trustees, to appoint or elect such Trustees, officers, board members and employees as may be decreed proper; define their authority and duties; fix their compensation; require bonds of such of them as it deems advisable and fix the penalty thereof; dismiss such officers or employees, or any thereof for any good reason and appoint others to fill their places;

(k) To adopt and assume names in the furtherance of its nonprofit, tax-exempt purposes; to use any and all media, including but not limited to print, television and radio, in the furtherance of its nonprofit, tax-exempt purposes;

(l) To do any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the Florida Corporation laws;

(m) To exercise such other and incidental powers as may reasonably be necessary to carry out the purposes for which the corporation is established, provided that such incidental powers shall be exercised in a manner consistent with its tax-exempt status as a religious organization as set forth in Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, of the United States of America.

(k) The several clauses contained in this ARTICLE III shall be

construed both as purposes and powers and the statements contained in each clause shall, except where otherwise expressed, be in no wise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clauses, but shall be regarded as independent purposes and powers. Notwithstanding any provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the corporation shall NOT engage in any political activity proscribed by Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, of the United States of America, nor shall any income or assets of the corporation inure to the benefit of any member, private individual or business entity.

#### **ARTICLE IV NO CAPITAL STOCK**

This nonprofit corporation is formed without any purpose of pecuniary profit and shall have no capital stock.

#### **ARTICLE V TRUSTEES IMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY**

The private property of the trustees shall be non-assessable and shall not be subject to payment of any corporate debts, nor shall the trustees become individually or corporately liable or responsible for any debts or liabilities of the corporation.

#### **ARTICLE VI NO PRIVATE INUREMENT**

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 III 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 an corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Upon dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or 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 court of jurisdiction 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 VII AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES**

These Articles may be amended at any regular meeting of the voting members of the corporation, or at a special meeting called for that purpose, by a two-thirds (2/3) majority, PROVIDED such amendments shall have been presented in writing at a

business meeting one month in advance of the regular business meeting and copies of the proposed amendment be furnished at both meetings to each member present or upon request.

#### **ARTICLE VIII TRUSTEES & MANNER OF ELECTION**

The following shall serve as the initial Board of Trustees until their successors shall have been duly qualified and elected. The Board shall not be less than three (3) persons nor more than nine (9) persons. The Trustees shall be elected yearly at the annual business meeting by the voting members as stated in the Bylaws.

NAME	ADDRESS
Sadi M. Pekerol, III	7621 Almark Street Tampa, Florida 33625
George C. Hackett	3820 E Miller Ave, Tampa, Florida 33604
Sharon Kuehnlein	PO Box 200, Gravois Mills, Missouri 65037
Pierre Mauvis	PO Box 4954, Atlasville 1465 Boksburg, South Africa
Pat Stipp	15 Homestead Str Alphen Park, Benoni 1500 South Africa

#### **ARTICLE IX INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Mark R. Robinson, Attorney at Law  
Robinson Law Group, P.C.  
6202 S Lewis, STE A  
Tulsa, OK 74136



**WHEREFORE**, having been named as registered agent to accept service 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.

Sally Leete  
Signature/Registered Agent: Sally Leete

9/12/2002  
Date

The undersigned incorporator as attorney-in-fact for the above named corporation does hereby certify that the facts herein stated are true, and I have accordingly hereunto affixed my signature.

Mark R. Robinson  
Signature/Incorporator: Mark R. Robinson  
Attorney for  
Eternal Revival Ministries, Inc.

9-12-2002  
Date