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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: MARANATHA FREE HAITIAN CHURCH INC.  
1521 SW CURTIS STREET  
FORT PIERCE, FL. 32983

Dear Department of State:

I am enclosing an original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above proposed corporation. [I reserved the above corporation name with your office pursuant to reservation

# \_\_\_\_\_, Dated 09/27/2002

Also enclosed is a check/ money order in the amount of \$87.50 in payment of the following fees

Filing Fee	NIL
Certified copy fee	52.50
Registered Agent fee	35.00
Charter Tax	_____

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TOTAL \$087.50

Please file the original articles and return the certified copy to me at the above address.

Sincerely,

  
JOSEPH G. DIVRA Incorporator

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JG  
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Jim Smith  
Secretary of State

October 2, 2002

JOSEPH G. DIVRA  
1521 SE CURTIS STREET  
FORT PIERCE, FL 32983

SUBJECT: MARANATHA FREE HAITIAN CHURCH, INC.  
Ref. Number: W02000028443

We have received your document for MARANATHA FREE HAITIAN CHURCH, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name of the entity must be identical throughout the document.

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.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6965.

Shannon Elliott  
Document Specialist  
New Filing Section

Letter Number: 702A00055404

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ARTICLE OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
MARANTHA EVANGELICAL CHURCH, INC.

The UNDERSIGNED, natural persons of legal age acting as incorporators of a not-for-profit corporation under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such applicable corporation.

ARTICLE I- NAME

The name of this corporation is MARANTHA EVANGELICAL CHURCH, INC.

ARTICLE II- DURATION

The period of its duration is perpetual.

ARTICLE III- NATURE OF BUSINESS

The purpose(s) for which this corporation is organized are: "To operate a NOT-FOR-PROFIT RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATION WHICH BELIEVES IN ONE GOD, IN THE TRINITY, THE BAPTISM AND ONE FAITH IN GOD. AND WE BELIEVE THAT WE ARE AMBASSADORS FOR CHRIST ON EARTH.

ARTICLE IV- MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are qualified, elected or appointed is as follows:

Each year at its General Annual Meeting, the members of the corporation shall elect a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year as provided for in the by-laws.

ARTICLE V- REGULATION OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS

The Internal affairs of the corporation are governed by the "BY-LAWS" which shall be established and approved by a majority of the directors at the first meeting of the board of directors.

#### ARTICLE VI- LIMITATION CORPORATE POWERS

The corporate power of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes. There are no provisions limiting the powers of the corporation except as prohibited by section 617.0833

#### ARTICLE VII- REGISTERED OFFICE, AGENT AND MAILING ADDRESS

The address of the initial registered office of corporation is 1521 SW CURTIS STREET, FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA 32983 AND ITS INITIAL Registered Resident Agent at such address is JOSEPH G. DIVRA.

#### ARTICLE VIII- INCORPORATORS

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, for the purpose of forming a not-for-profit corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida do make, file, and record this certificate, and do certify that the facts herein stated are true; and we have accordingly hereunto set our hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2002.

Signature of Incorporators:

  
JOSEPH G. DIVRA

#### ARTICLE VII- BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section I.

This corporation shall be operated and governed by a Board of Directors. The by-laws may provide another name for the Board of Directors, and

otherwise provide for the extent and limit of their powers, duties and privileges, and, further, shall provide the manner of appointment, qualification or election and other matters relating thereto, subject to restrictions herein, including:

- a. The number of directors may be provided for in the by-laws but shall at times not be less than six (6);
- b. The Board of Directors have power to make, alter, or rescind all such by-laws and regulations to rule the business of the corporations as will not be inconsistent with these Articles, or of the laws of the State of Florida. All changes must be ratified by two thirds (2/3) of the membership of the corporation.

Section 2:

Directors: The name and address of those directors who shall serve until the first annual meeting or as otherwise provided in the by-laws and who shall also comprise the membership of the corporation are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
<u>JOSEPH G. DIVRA</u>	<u>1521 SW CURTIS STREET</u> <u>FORT PIERCE, FL. 32983</u>
<u>BRENOVIL LEBERT</u>	<u>481 SE STARFLOWER AVE.</u> <u>PORT ST. LUCIE, FL. 34983</u>
<u>SUDE ALCIDOR</u>	<u>301N 11<sup>TH</sup> STREET</u> <u>FORT PIERCE, FL. 34950</u>
<u>JEANETTE MARTHORNE</u>	<u>5904 NW WEST CAP RD</u> <u>PORT ST. LUCIE, FL. 34986</u>
<u>CHARLES LAISSEMAN</u>	<u>803 #A KING ORANGE DR.</u> <u>FORT PIERCE, FL. 34982</u>
<u>CERLY CEANT</u>	<u>1521 SW CURTIS STREET</u> <u>PORT ST. LUCIE FL. 34983</u>

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has made and subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation at Orange County, Florida on the 27, day of September, 2002

Signed:

Joseph G. Divra  
JOSEPH G. DIVRA

**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/ REGISTERED OFFICE**

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATES OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/ REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the corporation is:  
MARANTHA EVANGELICAL CHURCH, INC.
2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:  
JOSEPH G. DIVRA  
1521 SW CURTIS STREET  
FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA 32983

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in these 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.

Signed:

Joseph G. Divra  
Registered Agent

Date

9/27/2002

Signed: Joseph G. Divra  
Registered Agent

Date

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has made and subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation at Seminole County, Florida on this 27 day of September 2002.

Signed: Joseph G. Divra  
Registered Agent

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF SEMINOLE

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared JOSEPH G. DIVRA.  
FULFORD who did take an oath, and or who to me \_\_\_\_\_ personally known and/or  
ID# D160-480-34-18-18 be the person described in and who subscribed to the  
above a Article of Incorporation, and he/ she did freely and voluntarily acknowledge  
before me according to law that he/she made and subscribed to the same for the uses and  
purposes then mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and official seal at Seminole,  
Florida in said state and county, and this 2002.

