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# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Glenda E. Hood Secretary of State

June 13, 2003

KENNETH WASHINGTON 5542 NEW CAMBRIDGE RD ORLANDO, FL 32810

SUBJECT: ST. JAMES BAPTIST CHURCH INC.

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We have received your document for ST. JAMES BAPTIST 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):

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

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# ST. JAMES BAPTIST CHURCH OF ORLANDO INCRETARY DE TARE A FLORIDA CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT

# ARTICLE 1. NAME

The name of this corporation is St. James Baptist Church of Orlando Inc.

# ARTICLE II.- EFFECTIVE DATE & DURATION

These Articles of Incorporation shall become effective upon the date of their execution and acknowledgement, provided these Articles are filed by the Department of State within five (5) days of their signing and acknowledgment. If not, these Articles shall become effective upon the date they are filed by the Department of State. The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

#### ARTICLE III. - PURPOSES

This corporation is organized exclusively for religious, educational, charitable, and scientific purposes, including for such purposed, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

#### ARTICLE IV. - DISTRIBUTION OF EARNINGS

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 or in oppositition to 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 exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial

degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

The corporation will distribute its income for each tax year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax year on undistributed income imposed by section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The corporation will not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in section 4941 (d) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The corporation will not retain any excess business holdings as defined in section 4943 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The corporation will not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

#### ARTICLE V. - DISTRIBUTIONS ON DISSOLUTION

Upon the 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 the 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 assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusive for such purposes or to such organization of organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

#### ARTICLE VI. - MEMBERS

The qualification of members and the manner of their admission shall be regulated by the Bylaws.

# ARTICLE VII. - REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial Registered Office of the corporation is 5542 New Cambridge Rd. Orlando, Florida 32810. The name of the initial Registered Agent of the corporation is Kenneth E. Washington.

# ARTICLE VIII. - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The street address of the Principal Office of the corporation is: 5542 New Cambridge Rd. Orlando, Florida 32810.

# ARTICLE IX. - DIRECTORS

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The number of persons constituting the first Board of Directors shall be Four (4) names and addresses are as follows:

Name	Address
Kenneth E. Washington	5542 New Cambridge Rd. Orlando, Florida 32810
Renea A. Washington	5542 New Cambridge Rd. Orlando, Florida 32810
Cedeno Taylor	5542 New Cambridge Rd. Orlando, Florida 32810
Jamaal R. Washington	5542 New Cambridge Rd. Orlando, Floriada32810

The Board of Directors shall also be known as the Board of Deacons and shall be elected or appointed as provided in the Bylaws. The number of Directors may be changed from time to time as provided in the Bylaws, but shall never consist of fewer than three (3) individuals.

# ARTICLE X. - FIRST OFFICERS

The officers of the corporation shall be elected or appointed as provided in the Bylaws.

# ARTICLE XI. - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator of these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

KENNETH E. WASHINGTON 5542 NEW CAMBRIDGE RD.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Incorporator does hereby execute and acknowledge these Articles this 121 day of - 12162..., 2003.

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ORANGE

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 17th day of June, 2003.

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Notary Public

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