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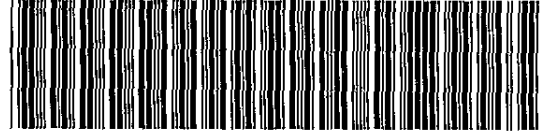
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

Universal Church of Praise, UCOP Ministries, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

1625 Centerville Road, #49, Tallahassee, FL 32308

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose of Universal Church of Praise, UCOP Ministries, Inc. is to glorify God. In recognition of this purpose, we endeavor to conduct our lives and services in a worshipful way, with the reality of God in view, so that we may ascribe to Him and reflect back to Him, as He enables, the characteristics of what He is, His truth, holiness and love.

A consequent purpose of Universal Church of Praise, UCOP Ministries, Inc. is to edify one another; that is, to build one another up toward Christ-like maturity. This calls for the sharing of God's truth in the teaching and studying of God's Word, for the publishing of whatever materials will aid in spiritual growth, for the living of holy lives, and for a loving fellowship in the things of Christ, sharing whatever we have with one another as others may have need and as God may allow.

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed by the incorporator shall be as follows: Three directors (3) will be appointed by the incorporator of Universal Church of Praise, UCOP Ministries, Inc. This ministry shall be managed by the Board of Directors, which shall exercise complete management of the affairs of the Organization, determine policy of the organization and it's facilities, appoint such administrative officials as it deems appropriate from time to time, who need not be members of a Board, and who shall have such authority and perform such duties as may, by resolution, designate the officer(s) who shall have the authority to appoint such agents or employees as the needs of Universal Church of Praise, UCOP Ministries, Inc. may require.

**ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS/OFFICERS**

President: Jerry L. Turner  
1625 Centerville Road, #49  
Tallahassee, FL 32308

Vice President: Lora Lee-Turner  
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Recording Secretary: Shirley Turner  
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Tallahassee, FL 32304

Treasurer: Marvin O. Easley, Jr.  
2717 Sebring Court, #37  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Chief Spiritual: Bernard Pierce, Bishop  
Advisor: FAAITH Ministries  
55 Exton Lane, P. O. Box 2326  
Willingboro, NJ 08046

**ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

David Brown  
2701 Kennedy Drive  
~~Philadelphia, PA 32310~~  
Tallahassee, FL

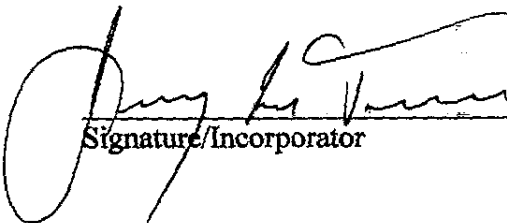
**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

Jerry L. Turner  
1625 Centerville Road, #49  
Tallahassee, FL 32308

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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certification, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

  
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Signature/Registered Agent

9/25/03  
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Date

  
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Signature/Incorporator

9/25/03  
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