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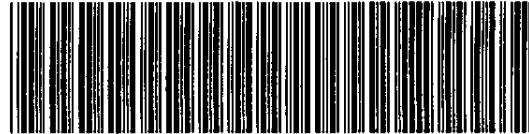
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TO: Amendment Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC.
(Name of Surviving Corporation)

The enclosed Articles of Merger and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to following:

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ARTICLES OF MERGER

The undersigned, being the presidents of IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation, and FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation, hereby execute these articles of merger, which shall be filed in the office of the Florida Department of State.

ARTICLE I Plan of Merger

A copy of the plan of merger is attached as Exhibit "A".

ARTICLE II Approval

The plan of merger was adopted by IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC. at a meeting of its members held on MAY 8, 2011. The number of votes cast in favor of the merger was sufficient for approval.

The plan of merger was adopted by FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, INC. at a meeting of its members held on May 7, 2011. The number of votes cast in favor of the merger was sufficient for approval.

ARTICLE III Effective Date

The merger shall be effective on the date that these articles of merger are filed by the Florida Department of State.

24th IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed these articles of merger on this day of May, 2011.

IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC.,
a Florida not-for-profit corporation

By: 

JOSE M. SANTANA, President

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTHWEST
RANCHES, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation

By: 

ELIO O. MAKOVY, President

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**PLAN OF MERGER
OF
IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC.
and
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, INC.**

This is a plan of merger between IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation, and FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation.

**ARTICLE I
Constituent Corporations**

The name of each constituent corporation is IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation ("IGLESIA"), and FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, INC. ("FBC"), a Florida not-for-profit corporation

**ARTICLE II
Merger**

Under F.S. 617.1107, FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, INC. shall be merged into IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC. (the "merger").

**ARTICLE III
Surviving Corporation**

IGLESIA shall be the surviving corporation of the merger.

**ARTICLE IV
Articles Of Incorporation**

The articles of incorporation of IGLESIA in effect immediately before the merger shall not be changed by the merger and shall continue to be its articles of incorporation subsequent to the merger.

**ARTICLE V
Directors And Officers**

The directors and officers of IGLESIA immediately before the merger shall continue to be the directors and officers immediately following the merger.

ARTICLE VI
Members

The members of IGLESIA and FBC immediately before the merger shall all be members of IGLESIA immediately following the merger, and, without further action, shall possess all rights and obligations granted to members of IGLESIA by its charter and bylaws.

ARTICLE VII
Assets And Liabilities

On the effective date of the merger, the separate existence of FBC shall cease and IGLESIA, without further action, shall possess all of its rights and privileges immediately preceding the merger. All assets of any nature of FBC without further action, shall be vested in IGLESIA immediately following the merger. Following the merger, IGLESIA shall be responsible for all liabilities and obligations of FBC. Any claim existing or action or proceeding pending against FBC may be continued as if the merger did not occur or IGLESIA may be substituted for FBC in any such proceeding. Neither the rights of creditors of nor any liens on the property of FBC shall be impaired by the merger.

ARTICLE VIII
Effective Date

The merger shall be effective when the articles of merger are filed with the Florida Department of State, or at such other time specified in the articles of merger.

ARTICLE IX
Abandonment

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this plan, this plan of merger may be terminated and abandoned by the board of directors of IGLESIA or the board of directors of FBC at any time before the filing of articles of merger.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this plan of merger has been executed by the undersigned officers this 24th day of May, 2011.

IGLESIA BAUTISTA WEST BROWARD, INC.,
a Florida not-for-profit corporation

By: _____

JOSE M. SANTANA, President

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTHWEST
RANCHES, INC., a Florida not-for-profit corporation

By: 
ELIO O. MAKOVY, President