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CLEARWATER, FL 33767

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
CHURCH OF SCIENTOLOGY  
MISSION OF HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, INC.**

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**PREAMBLE**

We, the undersigned, all of full age and majority, desire to associate ourselves as a nonprofit religious society, and corporation pursuant to the provisions of the Corporations Not for Profit law of the State of Florida, Chapter 617 of the Statutes of the State of Florida and pursuant to all other applicable laws, and do hereby certify as follows:

**ARTICLE ONE**

**Name of the Corporation**

The name of the Corporation shall be

Church of Scientology Mission of Hillsborough County, Inc.

The corporation's principal place of business is 240 Windward Passage # 801 Clearwater, FL 33767.

The corporation's mailing address is 240 Windward Passage # 801 Clearwater, FL 33767.

**ARTICLE TWO**

**Duration of the Corporation**

The duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

**ARTICLE THREE**

**Purpose of the Corporation**

The Corporation is a religious corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Religious Corporation law exclusively for religious purposes. Its purpose is to espouse, present, propagate, practice, ensure, and maintain the purity and integrity of the religion of Scientology, as the same has been developed and may be further developed by participating in, Scientology may derive the greatest possible good of the spiritual awareness of his Beingness, Doingness and Knowingness. More particularly, the Corporation is formed for the purpose of providing a corporate organization through which and by means of which the operations and activities of the Church, which as a church is subject to the ultimate ecclesiastical authority of Scientology Missions International, a Nonprofit Religious Corporation, and its respective successors in ecclesiastical authority, may be accomplished. More particularly, the Corporation is formed for the accomplishment, without limitation, of the following more specific purposes:

- a. To serve as a means of promulgating and administering the religious faith of Scientology; and
- b. To regulate and conduct religious services, including worship, for its parishioners; and
- c. To conduct religious and educational activities of various kinds; and
- d. To foster and enhance the spiritual welfare of its followers.

## ARTICLE FOUR

### Power of the Corporation and Limitations Thereon

In the conduct of its activities and the accomplishment of its purposes, the Corporation shall have, shall enjoy, and may exercise, to their fullest extent, all powers which nonprofit corporations are permitted by law to have and to enjoy: PROVIDED HOWEVER, that:

- a. The property of the Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes, and no part of the income or assets of the corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any private party or individual; and
- b. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be devoted to attempts to influence legislation, by propaganda or otherwise, and the Corporation shall not participate or intervene, *directly or indirectly in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office*; and
- c. The Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or successor statutes of similar import; and
- d. The Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation described in Section 170(c)(2), contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or successor statutes of similar import.

## ARTICLE FIVE

### Initial Registered Office and Initial Registered Agent

The Corporation's initial registered office shall be:

240 Windward Passage # 801 Clearwater, FL 33767

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The Corporation's initial registered agent at the address of its registered office shall be:

Joseph Yazbeck

I HEREBY AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE REGISTERED AGENT.

## ARTICLE SIX

**Management of Corporate Affairs**

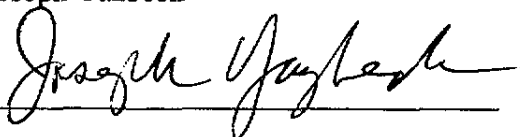
The affairs of the Corporation will be managed by, or under the direction of the Directors. The Directors will be appointed annually by the "Mission Holder," as defined in the bylaws of the Corporation.

**ARTICLE SEVEN**

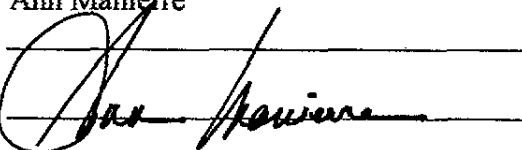
**Number, Names and Addresses of Initial Directors of the Corporation**

The number of Directors constituting the Corporation's initial Board of Directors shall be three (3), and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the Corporation's initial Directors are:

Joseph Yazbeck 240 Windward Passage # 801 Clearwater Fl 33767



Ann Manierre 100 N Belcher Rd. Clearwater, Fl 33765



Kathy Feshback 2907 W. Bay Dr. Bellaire Bluffs, Fl 33770



The number of Corporation's Directors may not be increased above five (5) nor decreased below three (3) without amendment of the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation.

**ARTICLE EIGHT**

**Name(s) and Address(es) of Incorporator(s) (Subscribers)**

The name(s) and the address(es) of the Corporation's Incorporator(s) is/are as follows:

Joseph Yazbeck 240 Windward Passage # 801 Clearwater, Fl 33767



INCORPORATOR/ REGISTERED AGENT

**ARTICLE NINE**

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF CLEARWATER

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**No Members of the Corporation**

This Corporation shall have no Members. It shall instead have parishioners who shall not be entitled to vote.

**ARTICLE TEN**

**Disposition of the Corporation's Assets Upon Dissolution**

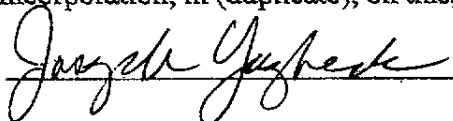
In keeping with the religious purposes to which the Corporation's property is irrevocably dedicated, upon the winding up and dissolution of the corporation, and after payment or adequate provision is made for its debts and obligations, the Corporation's remaining assets shall be distributed to one or more nonprofit funds, foundations, trusts or corporations which are organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes, and which have established or are entitled to receive tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or successor statutes of similar import.

**ARTICLE ELEVEN**

**Amendment of the Corporation's Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws**

Notwithstanding any provision of the law permitting their amendment upon the affirmative act of less than all of the Corporation's incumbent Directors, the Articles of Incorporation of this corporation and the Bylaws may be amended only upon both the unanimous act of the Mission Holder (as defined in the Bylaws) and the unanimous vote of the Directors of the Corporation then incumbent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have (we and each of us, has) subscribed these Articles of Incorporation, in (duplicate), on this, \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

  
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State of Florida                            )  
  ) ss.  
County of Pinellas                      )

Joe Yazbeck \_\_\_\_\_, being first duly sworn, on oath deposes and says: That I am (one of) the incorporator(s) of Church of Scientology Mission of Hillsborough County, Inc., herein, and as such am authorized to make this verification that I have read the within and foregoing Articles of Incorporation, know the contents thereof, and verily believe the same to be true.

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public in and for the State of Florida, residing at

\_\_\_\_\_  
My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_