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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Jacksonville Baptist Deaf Church, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 6800 West Fifth St.

Jacksonville, Florida 32254-1520

ARTICLE III **PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: The general nature and purposes of the corporation shall be religious, charitable, and other matters as are generally carried on by Baptist churches of the United States: To organize, maintain, operate and conduct church business matters.

ARTICLE IV ___ MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The qualifications of members of the corporation shall be those required for members of regular Baptist churches and they shall have other qualifications as may be required by the by-laws to be hereafter adopted by the corporation. The manner of admission of members shall be determined by the by-laws hereafter adopted by the corporation.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS / OFFICERS

The names and addresses:

- 1. President Audrey Scott, 7729 Lauderdale Dr. N. Jacksonville, FL 32277
- 2. Vice President Terry Perdue, 6126 E. Georgewood Ln., Jacksonville, FL 32244
- 3. Secretary Charles Warthling, 7523 Allspice Cir. N. Jacksonville, FL 32244
- 4. Treasurer Ellen Reich, 10959 Indies Dr. S. Jacksonville, FL 32246

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida Street address of the registered agent is:

The Rev. Andrew Lower, 11871 Cisco Gardens Rd, Jacksonville, Fl 32219-2709

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Audrey Scott, 7729 Lauderdale Dr. N. Jacksonville, FL 32277

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate	, <u>7</u>
am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.	

Signature of Registered Agent