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SUBJECT: New Zion Family and Youth Initiatives, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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☐ \$78.75
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☐ \$87.50
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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Velma Butler
Name (Printed or typed)

14605 Coral Berry Dr.
Address

Tampa, Florida 33626
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(727) 742-9442
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VELMA BUTLER
14605 CORAL BERRY DR
TAMPA, FL 33626

SUBJECT: NEW ZION FAMILY AND YOUTH INITIATIVES, INC.
Ref. Number: W06000003216

We have received your document for NEW ZION FAMILY AND YOUTH INITIATIVES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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

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ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: **New Zion Family and Youth Initiatives, Inc.** TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address shall be: 1182
Brownell Street, Clearwater, FL 33756

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which this nonprofit corporation is organized is exclusively for religious, charitable and educational purposes, within the meaning of section 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and more specifically as a ministry under the general supervision and control of the New Zion Missionary Baptist Church within the meaning of 509 (a) 3. The primary objective of this organization is to develop and implement human service and educational activities, events and programs to raise the spiritual, economic, educational and social level of persons in the church and community at large for the purpose of strengthening and maintaining healthy families and promoting educational enrichment.

Such services may include but shall not be limited to: Programs for low and moderate income persons, including substance abuse prevention and treatment programs; mentoring, tutoring and educational programs, parenting programs, elderly and intergenerational programs; marriage and premarital counseling and seminars; budgeting programs, and prevention of at risk behaviors in adolescents.

In the furtherance of these purposes, the organization will:

1. Contract with organizations, for profit and not for profit, with individuals and with government agencies in the furtherance of these purposes.
2. Aid, support and assist by gifts, contributions, or otherwise, other corporations, funds and foundations organized and operated exclusively for religious, charitable, educational or scientific purposes. No part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual and no substantial part of the activities of which is carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation.
3. 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 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under section 170(b)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

All of the foregoing purposes shall be exercised exclusively for charitable, educational and religious purposes in such a manner that the corporation will qualify as an exempt organization under section 501c3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or to the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law (hereinafter referred to as "The Internal Revenue Code").

ARTICLE IV MEMBERSHIP AND MANNER OF ELECTION

The affairs of the corporation shall be directed by a Board of Directors who shall also be its members. The Board of Directors shall be composed of not less than three members and shall be over the age of 18. The method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

List name(s) address (es) and specific title(s):

Name	Address	Title
1. LeRoy Howard	1317 Woodbine St. Clearwater, FL 33755	Director CEO
2. Talisha Robinson	2567 Oak Trail N. #118, Palm Harbor, FL	Director President
3. Chelsea Riley	4030 Emmerson Ave. S. St. Petersburg, FL	Director Vice President
4. Velma Butler	14605 Coral Berry Drive Tampa, FL 33626	Director Secretary/Treasurer
5. Rhonda Cole	1222 Nicholson Street, Clearwater, FL 33755	Director of Programs

ARTICLE VI TERM OF EXISTENCE AND DISSOLUTION

The Corporation shall exist perpetually. Should the Corporation be dissolved, no part of the property of the Corporation or any of the proceeds shall be distributed to or inure to the benefit of any person or member. All such property and proceeds subject to the discharge of valid obligations of the Corporation and to the applicable provisions of the Non-profit Corporation Law under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes and section 501c3 of the Internal Revenue Code shall be distributed to the New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 1182 Brownell Street, Clearwater, Florida 33756 or in the case of its dissolution to one of more churches, charities or corporations operated exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific or educational purposes applicable to Section 501c3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

ARTICLE VII REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Rev. LeRoy Howard
1317 Woodbine Street
Clearwater, Florida 33755

ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Rhonda Cole 1222 Nicholson Street
Clearwater, FL 33755

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

Signature/Registered Agent LeRoy Howard Date 1/30/06

Signature/Incorporator Rhonda Cole Date 1/30/2006

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