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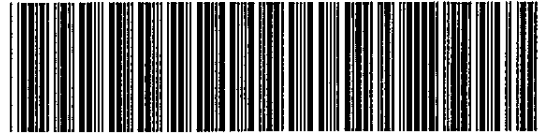
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SUBJECT: THE BAPTIST MINISTERS FELLOWSHIP CONFERENCE, INC.

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

☐ \$87.50 filing fee, Certified Copy, Certified & Certificate
ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: MARTIN RAINEY

Address: 3901 39TH STREET SOUTH

City, State & Zip: ST. PETERSBURG, FL, 33711

Daytime Telephone number (727/420-1326)

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ARTICLE OF INCORPORATION of the undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Law of the STATE OF FLORIDA, In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit) do hereby certify:

ARTICLE I – NAME: The name of the corporation shall be: BAPTIST MINISTERS FELLOWSHIP CONFERENCE OF GREATER ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA, Inc., hereafter "Conference"

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 3901 39TH STREET SOUTH – ST. PETERSBURG, Pinellas County, FLORIDA 33711, And Mailing Address Is P.O. BOX 13042 , St. Petersburg, Fl. 33733

ARTICLE III PURPOSE: The purpose for which the corporation is organized: the said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code

SECTION 1 - To encourage, promote, offer Family services and support Evangelism, Christian Education, Christian Fellowship, social and political actions, positive public school education values, benevolences, preaching and teaching the Word of God.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed: All officers of the Conference shall be recommended by a nomination committee that shall be appointed on the second Monday in November. The committee on nomination shall make its report and officers shall be elected on the first Monday in December. Elected Officers shall take office the Second Monday of January. An installation service will be held on the first 5th Sunday of the calendar year.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

MARTIN RAINEY	3901 39 TH STREET SOUTH, ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA 33711	PRESIDENT
OLIVER.B. BARTLEY	2244 27 TH STREET SOUTH ST. PETERSBURG, FL. 33712	VICE PRESIDENT
JOHN MURRAY	1702 57 TH STREET NORTH ST. PETERSBURG, FL. 33710	SECRETARY
JOSEPH GORDON	1660 30 TH STREET SOUTH ST. PETERSBURG, FL. 33712	TREASUER

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is: WILLIE D. MILLER ADDRESS 4651 54TH AVE. SOUTH, PETERSBURG, FLORIDA 33711

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATOR The name and address of the Incorporator is MARTIN RAINEY ADDRESS 3901 39TH STREET SOUTH, ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA 33711

ARTICLE VIII - PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

The rules contained in "Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised" shall govern the Conference in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these By-Laws, the Baptist Ministers Fellowship Conference of Greater St. Petersburg, Florida Constitution, the Conference Rule Procedure, and any special rules of order the Conference may adopt.

ARTICLE IX- DISSOLUTION

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Third hereof. substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. 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 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names this day of APRIL 3, 2006

ARTICLE X- AMENDMENTS TO BYLAWS

These by-laws may be altered or amended in any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting provided due notice has been given to all members informing them of the time, place and purpose of the meeting.

Adopted: April 3, 2006

President: MARTIN RAINEY

Secretary: JOHN MURRAY

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 William D. Miller Date: 4/03/2006

Signature/Incorporator Martin Rainey Date: 4/30/06

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