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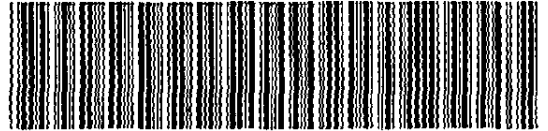
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: THE AMERICAN EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN Church USA, INC.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME) - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX

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

☐ \$70.00
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: RONNIE A PATTERSON
Name (Printed or typed)

713 ROSE ST. S #10
Address

AVONDALE, FLORIDA 33823
City, State & Zip

863- 551- 1422
Daytime Telephone number

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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 **THE AMERICAN EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH USA, INC.**

ARTICLE II PRINCIPLE OFFICE

The principle place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be 6727 East Road Lakeland, Florida 33809

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The Purpose for which this corporation is formed is as follows:

- A. To assist members and member churches in carrying out the great commission of Jesus Christ as stated in Matthew 28:19-20, as well as conduct worship services.
- B. To promote and nurture fellowship among member churches, pastors, staff and retired ministers.
- C. To promote mission education and support for our world mission causes by helping persons understand the role of the local church.
- D. To encourage a cooperative spirit among our churches in support of our mission program and the voluntary assistance of our sister churches one with another.
- E. This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious and educational 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.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected is as follows:

- A. The affairs and property of this corporation shall be managed by the board of directors. This corporation shall have Five (5) directors initially. The number of directors may be increased from time to time, by the by-laws, but shall never be less than three (3).
- B. The board of directors shall be elected by the membership of the church during the annual business meeting and shall serve for a term of Five (5) or until removed from office by a vote of the membership.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

RONNIE A. PATTERSON DP	713 ROSE STREET S #10 AUBURNDALE, FLORIDA 33823
RONEY LEWIS SLAMA VP	6727 EAST ROAD LAKELAND, FLORIDA 33809
JOSEPH LEPHMON PENNINGTON DS	4013 CORK ROAD PLANT CITY, FLORIDA 33565
RUTH SHARON PATTERSON DT	713 ROSE STREET S #10 AUBURNDALE, FLORIDA 33823
REBECCA JOAN PARRISH D	269 SOUTH SHORE DR EAGLE LAKE, FLORIDA 33839

ARTICLE VI NOT FOR PROFIT

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. No 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 carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the internal Revenue code, or corresponding section of any federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

ARTICLE VII DISSOLUTION

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 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.

ARTICLE VIII REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

RONNIE A PATTERSON 713 ROSE STREET S #10
AUBURNDALE, FLORIDA 33823

ARTICLE IX INCORPORATOR

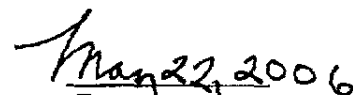
The name and address of the Incorporator is:

RONNIE A PATTERSON 713 ROSE STREET S #10
AUBURNDALE, FLORIDA 33823

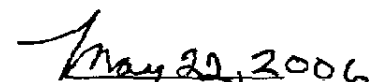
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Having been named as the registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in the certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.


Signature/ Registered Agent


Date


Signature/ Incorporator


Date

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