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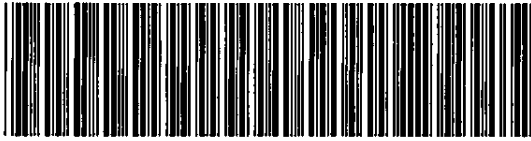
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Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Showder Down of Blessings Ministries, 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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Filing Fee &
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Status

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Ms. Claretha Hudson

Name (Printed or typed)

2591 Byrd Avenue

Address

Sanford, FL 32771

City, State & Zip

407-322-9661

Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

SHOWER DOWN OF BLESSINGS MINISTRIES, INC.

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The undersigned, being of legal age and competent to contract, for the purpose of organizing a not for profit corporation pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, do hereby state the Articles of Incorporation of the SHOWER DOWN OF BLESSINGS MINISTRIES, INC., in their entirety, and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation and agree and certify as follows:

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of this corporation shall be:

SHOWER DOWN OF BLESSINGS MINISTRIES, INC.
(Hereinafter "Corporation")

ARTICLE II

INITIAL, PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The address of the initial principal office and mailing address of the Corporation shall be: 201 S. Elm Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771. The mailing address shall be P.O. Box 1503, Sanford, FL 32772. The Corporation may change its principal office from time to time without amendment of these Articles of Incorporation.

The property and assets of this corporation are irrevocably dedicated to Religious, Charitable, Literary and Educational purposes.

ARTICLE III

COMMENCEMENT OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE

This corporation shall commence corporate existence on the filing of these Articles of Incorporation and shall have perpetual existence unless sooner dissolved according to law. It has no stock.

ARTICLE IV
PURPOSES AND GENERAL POWERS

The general purpose of this Corporation shall be organized exclusively as a non-profit religious, charitable, educational, literary and scientific organization and is not organized for the private gain of any person. The organization shall strive to provide ministries to the community with frequent workshops; parenting classes; basic remediation skills in reading, writing and mathematics; job preparedness and provide college preparatory class training (SAT, ACT). The corporation is organized for this purpose within the meaning of section 501© 3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to, its directors, 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 these Articles. 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 publication 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 by: (a) a corporation exempt from Federal income taxation under Section 501(c) 3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), or (b) by a corporation whose contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

The organization will not, as a substantial part of its activities, attempt to influence legislation (unless it elects to come under the provisions allowing certain lobbying expenditures) or participate to any extent in a political campaign for or against any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE V
MEMBERSHIP

There are members for this not for profit corporation and shall be admitted to the organization according to the manner set forth in the Bylaws of this corporation.

ARTICLE VI
INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The initial registered office of this corporation shall be located at 2591 Byrd Avenue, Sanford, Florida 32771 and the initial registered agent of the Corporation shall

be Ms. Claretha Hudson. The Corporation may change its street address, registered agent or the location of its registered office, or any of the above, from time to time without amendment of these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE VII INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This Corporation shall have three (3) or more directors. The number of directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time as provided in the Bylaws of the Corporation. The names and street addresses of the initial directors of this Corporation are as stated below. The manner in which directors are elected or appointed is as stated in the Bylaws for the Corporation.

1. E.B. Hudson, 2591 Byrd Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771
2. Inez Smiley, 1805 Coolidge Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771
3. Claretha Hudson, 2591 Byrd Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771
4. Donald Johnson, 2681 W. 22nd Street, Sanford, FL 32771
5. Estreneta Cammock, 1581 Amy Circle, Deltona, FL 32738

ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the incorporator shall be:
Ms. Claretha Hudson, 2591 Byrd Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771

ARTICLE IX INDEMNIFICATION

In addition to any rights and duties under applicable law, the Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless all its directors, officers, employees and agents and former directors, officers, employees and agents from and against all liabilities and obligations, including attorneys' fees, incurred in connection with any actions taken or failed to be taken by said directors, officers, employees and agents in their capacity as such except for willful misconduct and gross negligence.

ARTICLE X
BYLAWS

Except as otherwise provided by law, the power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal the Bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE XI
DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the Corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the Corporation exclusively for the purpose of the Corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, scientific or literary purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501©3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the city or 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.

ARTICLE XII
HEADINGS AND CAPTIONS

The heading or captions of these various Articles are inserted for convenience and none of them shall have any force or effect, and the interpretation of the various Articles shall not be influenced by any of said headings or captions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Incorporator hereinbefore named, for the purpose of forming a not for profit corporation pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida to do business both within and without the State of Florida, do hereby make and file these Articles of Incorporation declaring and certifying that the facts stated herein are true and do hereby subscribe thereto and hereunto set their hand and seal this 31st day of JANUARY, 2007.

Claretha Hudson
Claretha Hudson

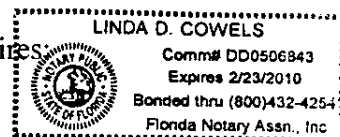
STATE OF FLORIDA)
 Ss:
COUNTY OF SEMINOLE)

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgements in the state and county set forth above, personally appeared Claretha Hudson, known to me or provided identification _____, to be the person who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and he/she acknowledged before me that he/she executed these Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the state and county aforesaid, this 31st day of JANUARY, 2007.

Linda D. Cowels
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:



**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS FOR THE SERVICE OF
PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA AND REGISTERED AGENT UPON WHOM
PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**

In compliance with Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

SHOWER DOWN OF BLESSINGS MINISTRIES, INC., desiring to organize as a not for profit corporation pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida with its principal place of business at 201 S. Elm Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771 and its registered office at 2591 Byrd Avenue, Sanford, Florida 32771, and names Ms. Claretha Hudson as its Registered Agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-named not for profit corporation, at the place designated in this Certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties as Registered Agent.

DATED this 31st day of JANUARY, 2007.

Claretha Hudson
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