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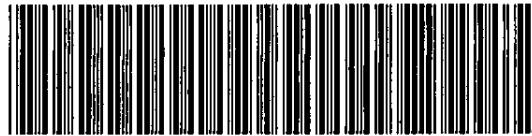
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Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: The Next-Wave Church of Jesus Christ, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one ^{consisting of 3 pgs.} copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Charles R. Wear
Name (Printed or typed)

1173 Emerald Hill Way
Address

Valrico FL 33594
City, State & Zip

813 829 9542
Daytime Telephone number

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

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
The Next-Wave Church of Jesus Christ, Inc.

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Article One: The name of this corporation shall be The Next-Wave Church of Jesus Christ, Inc.

Article Two: The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:
1173 Emerald Hill Way, Valrico, Florida 33594.

Article Three: The purposes for which this corporation is formed are:

This corporation is a not for profit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person.

The specific and primary purposes are:

To proclaim the good news of salvation by faith in our Lord Jesus Christ by any suitable method or media which includes but is not limited to the following:

- Establishing and operating a local church, a network of churches, or an association of churches, for the worship of Jesus Christ, using personal evangelism, television and radio for crusades, conventions, preaching, teaching, missions, and the internet and for other Christian purposes;
- Assisting and furthering the task of providing Biblical Scripture to groups of the world, distribution of Holy Scriptures and other printed material, providing speakers and other instructional and educational programs which may be deemed necessary or convenient in effecting the purposes of the corporation; and
- Establishing and operation of new programs of outreach and ministry, and the strengthening of existing programs and organizations which have a similar purpose and dedication to presenting Jesus Christ as Savior.
- To worship the Living and True God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit in any and every way we can. Especially:
 - Corporately in large and small groups wherever we gather; and
 - Individually and in private to devote our lives totally to our God and our Maker.
 - To equip others for ministry (normal Christian living) using the Holy Bible as our guide in all our endeavors. Especially in . . .
 - Effective worship;
 - Effective prayer;
 - Effective ministry to the sick;
 - Effective communication of the Gospel (as a means to meet the spiritual, emotional and physical needs of both the believer and the non-believer);
 - Effective ministry to one another;
 - Effective ministry to the world (care for the poor, announcing the "good news", advancing the cause of justice).
 - To license and ordain ministers of the Gospel and missionaries for the furtherance of the work of this corporation and our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in the United States and all foreign countries in accordance with such regulation for ordination as shall be promulgated by the Board of Directors.
 - To develop relationships among the constituency and toward God for the purpose of worship, training and meeting personal, spiritual, emotional and physical needs.
 - To communicate the Gospel of Jesus Christ to our community, our country,

and to the world concerning the present reign of the Kingdom of God and all the realities therein and of the consummation of the ages in His second coming.

- To the spiritually poor;
- To the oppressed poor;
- To the widows and orphans; and
- In other areas of social concern as well.
- To provide a forum in which the above-mentioned purposes can effectively occur without limitation as to methods, meeting places, practices, or other related and necessary functions except as allowed for by the Holy Bible and the Holy Spirit.
- To do only that which glorifies the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

The general purposes and powers are:

- To engage in spiritual work and services based upon the authority of the Holy Bible;
- To solicit, collect, receive, acquire, hold and invest money and property, both real and personal, including money and property received by gift, contribution, bequest or devise; to sell and convert property, both real and personal, into cash, and to use the funds of this corporation and the proceeds, income, rents, issues, and profits derived from any property of this corporation for any of the purposes for which this corporation is formed;
- To purchase, acquire, own, hold, sell, assign, transfer, dispose of, mortgage, pledge, hypothecate, or encumber, shares, bonds, notes, debentures, or other securities or evidences of indebtedness of any person, firm, corporation, or association and, while the owner or holder of them, to exercise all rights, powers, and privileges of ownership;
- To purchase or acquire, own, hold, use, lease (either as lessor or lessee) sell, exchange, assign, convey, dispose of, mortgage, hypothecate or encumber real and personal property;
- to enter into, make, perform and carry out contracts of every kind for any lawful purpose without limitation on amount with any person, firm, association or corporation, municipality, county, parish, state, territory, government, or other municipal or governmental subdivision;
- To borrow money, incur indebtedness, and to secure repayment by mortgage, pledge, deed of trust, or other hypothecation of property, both real and personal; and
- To do all things necessary expedient, or appropriate to the accomplishment of any of the objects and purposes for which this corporation is formed.

Notwithstanding any of the above statements of purposes and powers, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the primary purpose of this corporation.

Article Four: The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed are as stated in the bylaws.

Article Five: The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is: Charles R. Wear, 1173 Emerald Hill Way, Valrico, Florida 33594.

Article Six: The name and address of the Incorporator is: Charles R. Wear, 1173 Emerald Hill Way, Valrico, Florida 33594

Article Seven: No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall ever inure to or for the benefit of or be distributable to its members, trustees,

officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the exempt purposes for which it was formed.

Article Eight: This corporation is organized exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954. Notwithstanding any other provisions 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 provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section (170) (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

Article Nine: This corporation is organized pursuant to the Not for Profit Corporation Law of the State of Florida.

Article Ten: The authorized number and qualification of members of this corporation, the different classes of membership, if any, the property, voting and other rights and privileges of members, and their liability to dues and assessments and the method of collection thereof, shall be set forth in the Bylaws.

Article Eleven: The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this organization shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private persons. Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment or provision for payment of all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. If this corporation holds any assets in trust or the corporation is formed for charitable purposes, such assets shall be disposed of in such manner as may be directed by decree of the courts of the county in which the corporation has its principal office, upon petition thereof by the Attorney General or by any person concerned in the liquidation in a proceeding to which the Attorney General is a party.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the person named above as the incorporator, has executed these Articles of Incorporation.

Dated: _____

4/11/07

By: _____



Charles R. Wear, Incorporator

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.

Dated: _____

4/11/07

By: _____



Charles R. Wear, Registered Agent

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