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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** EMMANUEL GOSPEL MUSIC CORPORATION  
(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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& Certified Copy

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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** CLAUDE PERRY  
Name (Printed or typed)

226 N DEVILLIERS ST  
Address

PENSACOLA, FL 32502  
City, State & Zip

850-316-7414  
Daytime Telephone number

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

**EMMANUEL GOSPEL MUSIC CORPORATION**

**A FLORIDA CORPORATION**

**ARTICLES  
OF  
INCORPORATION**

**ARTICLE I**  
**NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of the corporation shall be EMMANUEL GOSPEL MUSIC CORPORATION.

**ARTICLE II**  
**THE PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS**

The principal place of business shall be 225 N. DeVilliers St., Pensacola, FL 32502

**ARTICLE III**  
**SPECIFIC PURPOSE FOR ORGANIZATION**

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable purposes which includes the promotion of Religion through Music within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that also qualify as Section 501(c)(3) exempt organizations. To this end, the corporation shall plan and promote Gospel Concerts and /or Programs. All funds, whether income or principal, and whether acquired by gift or contribution or otherwise, shall be devoted to said purposes.

**ARTICLE IV**  
**ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

The corporation shall have no voting members. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of a Board of Directors, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by statute and by the corporation's by-laws. No Director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation.

Officers and Directors shall be elected by a majority vote.

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**ARTICLE V**  
**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The corporation's first Board of Directors are appointed and shall be comprised of the following natural persons:

<b>NAME</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>OFFICE</b>
John D. Young, Sr.	6550 N. Palafox St. Pensacola, FL	President
Claude Perry	226 N. DeVilliers St. Pensacola, FL	V-President
Williemae Stanberry	P.O.Box 37044 Pensacola, FL	Sec /Treasurer

**ARTICLE VI**  
**REGISTERED AGENT/ADDRESS**

The Registered Agent for this corporation is Claude Perry, the Registered address is 226 N. DeVilliers St., Pensacola, FL 32502.

**ARTICLE VII**  
**INCORPORATOR**

The name of the Incorporator is John D. Young, Sr., whose address is 6550 N. Palafox St., Pensacola, FL 32503

## **ARTICLE VIII**

### **LIMITATIONS**

At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the corporation:

1. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to any member of the corporation not qualifying as exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, nor to any Director or officer of the corporation, nor to any other private persons, excepting solely such reasonable compensation that the corporation shall pay for services actually rendered to the corporation, or allowed by the corporation as a reasonable allowance for authorized expenditures incurred on behalf of the corporation;
2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or any initiative or referendum before the public, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office; and
3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended.
4. The corporation shall not lend any of its assets to any officer or director of this corporation, or guarantee to any person the payment of a loan by an officer or director of this corporation.

## **ARTICLE IX**

### **DEBT OBLIGATIONS AND PERSONAL LIABILITY**

No member, officer or Director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the members, officers or Directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

**ARTICLE X  
DISSOLUTION**

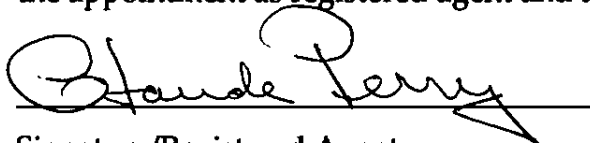
Upon the time of dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed by the Board of Directors, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all debts, obligations, liabilities, costs and expenses of the corporation, for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) 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.

**ARTICLE VII  
INCORPORATOR**

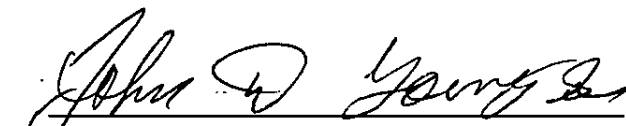
The undersigned incorporator certify both that he executes these Articles for the purposes herein stated, and that by such execution, he affirms the understanding that should any of the information in these Articles be intentionally or knowingly misstated, he is subject to the criminal penalties for perjury set forth in the Florida Statutes as if this document had been executed under oath.

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

  
Signature/Registered Agent

Sept 25, 2007  
Date

  
Signature/Incorporator

Sept 25, 2007  
Date

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