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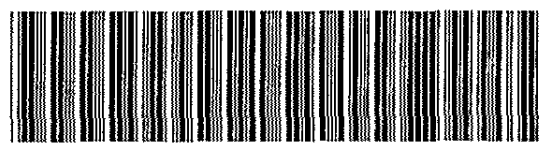
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**COVER LETTER**

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

**SUBJECT:** LIGHT TO THE NATIONS CHURCH, 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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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Samuel Benitez  
Name (Printed or typed)

4913 E. Temple Heights, Apt. D  
Address

Tampa, FL 33617  
City, State & Zip

813-458-6252  
Daytime Telephone number

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

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
of

**LIGHT TO THE NATIONS CHURCH, INC.**

The undersigned, being natural persons over eighteen years of age, pursuant to Chapter 617, F.S. Not for Profit Corporation, sets forth the following Articles of Incorporation:

**Article I NAME**

The name of the corporation is: LIGHT TO THE NATIONS CHURCH, INC.

**Article II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

4913 E. Temple Heights, Apt. D  
Tampa, FL 33617

**Article III PURPOSE**

The purpose of this corporation being organized is for not for profit church.

**Article IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

Directors are appointed solely by the Incorporator.

**Article V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS**

Initial Directors and/or Officers:

Samuel Benitez  
4913 E. Temple Heights, Apt. D  
Tampa, FL 33617

**Article VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT**

Initial Registered Agent:

Samuel Benitez  
4913 E. Temple Heights, Apt. D  
Tampa, FL 33617

## **Article VII INCORPORATOR**

Samuel Benitez  
4913 E. Temple Heights, Apt. D  
Tampa, FL 33617

## **ARTICLE VIII**

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

## **ARTICLE IX**

The corporation is organized as a church exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

## **ARTICLE X**

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit or be distributable to its members, 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 tax exempt purposes of the corporation set forth in Article IX.

## **ARTICLE XI**

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.

## **ARTICLE XII**

Upon dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious, or educational purposes as shall at the time qualify as an organization 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).

## **ARTICLE XIII**

The corporation shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national or ethnic origin.


ARTICLE XIV


Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax 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 by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

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 of Registered Agent

  
Date

  
Signature of Incorporator

  
Date

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