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

SUBJECT: Overcoming Addictions 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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FROM: Raymond Bentley
Name (Printed or typed)

10973 Ndia Estates Ar

JACKSONVILLE, HA 32218

(904) 924-2683 Daytime Telephone number

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

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE. FLORIDA

## OVERCOMING ADDICTIONS MINISTRIES, INC.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF OVERCOMING ADDICTIONS MINISTRIES, INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation under the Not for Profit Corporation Act of the State of Florida, adopt the following articles of incorporation for such corporation:

#### ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation hereinafter referred to, as the "Corporation" is

Overcoming Addictions Ministries, Inc. 10973 Lydia Estates Drive, Jacksonville, ARTICLE II FL. 32218

The period of duration of the Corporation is perpetually commencing on the date of filing of these Articles of Incorporation.

#### ARTICLE III

The Corporation is organized exclusively religious, charitable, Educational, and scientific 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 1986, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code including to, the following: building and remodeling homes in the urban areas of Jacksonville, Florida to provide economic assistance to economically disadvantage residents by creating opportunities for jobs and affordable housing, transitional housing and other activities related or incidental to economic redevelopment of blighted areas in the urban areas. The Corporation may receive and administer funds for scientific, religious, educational, and charitable purposes, within the meaning of

Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and to that end, the Corporation is empowered to hold any any undivided interest therein, property, or limitation as to amount or value; to dispose of any such reinvest, or deal with property and to invest, principal or the income in such manner as, in the judgment of the directors, will best promote the purposes of the Corporation, without limitation, except such limitations, if any, as may be contained in the instrument under which such property is received, these Articles of Incorporation, the By-Laws of the Corporation, or any applicable laws, to do any other act or thing incidental to or connected with the foregoing purposes or in advancement thereof, but not for the pecuniary profit or financial gain of its directors or officers except as permitted under the Not-for-Profit Corporation Law.

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation affecting one or more of its purposes, and no member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation. 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 any candidate for public office.

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of the Corporation shall be distributed exclusively to one or more charitable, religious, scientific, testing for public safety, literary, or educational organizations which would then qualify under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its Regulations as they now exist or as they may be hereafter amended, or 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 the Court of Common Pleas 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

organizations, as said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

#### ARTICLE IV

The qualifications for members and the manner of their admissions shall be regulated by the by-laws. The rights exercisable by members will also be as provided in the bylaws. The members will elect director at the first annual meeting of members and at each annual meeting thereafter.

#### ARTICLE V

The initial street address in the state of Florida of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 10973 Lydia Estates Drive, Jacksonville, Florida 32218 and the name of the initial registered agent at such address is Raymond Bentley.

#### ARTICLE VI

The territory in which the operations of the Corporation are principally to be conducted is the United States of America and its territories and possessions, but the operations of the Corporation shall not be limited to such territory.

#### ARTICLE VII

The initial board of directors shall consist of at least three (3) members, who need not be residents of the state of Florida.

#### ARTICLE VIII

The names and addresses of the persons who shall serve as directors until the first annual meeting of members or until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, are as follows:

Jimmy Hicks 10973 Lydia Estates Drive, Jacksonville, Florida 32218

Phyllis Harlow 10973 Lydia Estates Drive, Jacksonville, Florida 32218

James Richardson 10973 Lydia Estates Drive, Jacksonville, Florida 32218

#### ARTICLE IX

The names and addresses of the initial incorporator is as follows:

Name

#### Address

Rhonda Baker-Stansberry 7220 Parker School Road Suite #2

Jacksonville, Florida 32211

Raymond Bentley 10773 Lydia Estates Dr. Jacksonville,
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have made and
subscribed to these Articles of Incorporation at

Jacksonville, Florida on May 4, 2007.

Raymond Bentley

Raymond Bentley
STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF DUVAL

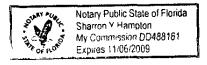
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Sharron Hampton Notary Public

(SEAL)

State of Florida

My Commission Expires:



# Acceptance of Registered Agent

This undersigned agrees to act registered agent for the Corporation named above, to accept service of process at the place designated in these Articles of Incorporation, and to comply with the provisions of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, and acknowledges that it is familiar with, and accepts the obligation of such position

**REGISTERED AGENT** 

Date: May 4, 2007

By: Raymond Bentley

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