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**COVER LETTER**

TO: Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations

NAME OF CORPORATION: **Elevate Life Church**

DOCUMENT NUMBER: **N08000003000**

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

**TIMOTHY STAIER**

(Name of Contact Person)

(Firm/ Company)

**1162 SPANISH BAY CT**

(Address)

**ORANGE PARK, FL 32065**

(City/ State and Zip Code)

**tim@timstaier.com**

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

**TIMOTHY STAIER**

(Name of Contact Person)

**904**

**635-7851**

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

Enclosed is a check for the following amount made payable to the Florida Department of State:

☐ \$35 Filing Fee

☐ \$43.75 Filing Fee &  
Certificate of Status

☐ \$43.75 Filing Fee &  
Certified Copy  
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☒ \$52.50 Filing Fee  
Certificate of Status  
Certified Copy  
(Additional Copy is  
Enclosed)

**Mailing Address**

Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

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Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations  
Clifton Building  
2661 Executive Center Circle  
Tallahassee, FL 32301



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

January 23, 2015

Timothy Staier  
1162 Spanish Bay Ct.  
Orange Park, FL 32065

SUBJECT: ELEVATE LIFE CHURCH, INC.  
Ref. Number: N08000003000

We have received your document for ELEVATE LIFE CHURCH, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$52.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

A certificate must accompany the Restated Articles of Incorporation setting forth one of the following statements: (1) The restatement was adopted by the board of directors and does not contain any amendments requiring member approval; OR (2) If the restatement contains an amendment requiring member approval, the date of adoption of the amendment by the members and a statement that the number of votes cast for the amendment was sufficient for approval.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6050.

Annette Ramsey  
Regulatory Specialist II

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RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

ELEVATE LIFE CHURCH, INC

Non-Profit Corporation

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2015 FEB 18 AM 11:37  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

The following Articles of Incorporation are re-stated of the original Articles dated March 27, 2008 pursuant to Chapter 617 of the Laws of the State of Florida.

Article I

The name of this Corporation shall be:  
ELEVATE LIFE CHURCH, INC.

Article II

The principal place of business of the corporation shall be: 1162 Spanish Bay Ct, Orange Park, FL 32065.

The mailing address is: 9526-B2 Argyle Forest Blvd 301, Jacksonville, FL 32222

Article III

1. The purposes of this organization are:

A. We, Elevate Life Church, Inc., exist to be the place where God's spirit moves freely to minister, restore, consolidate and work in the lives of His people. Our goal is to be a local manifestation of the Christian church; living life Biblically, worshipping God passionately and preaching the Gospel faithfully. Elevate Life Church, Inc. is a non-denominational Christian Church founded on the word of God and the direction of the Holy Spirit.

B. To propagate the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout the world by means of: an evangelistic ministry, revival meetings, the written word, a mission organization, personal counseling, evangelistic meetings, training groups, church meetings, homes and group homes, ministry to train and equip believers, publish and/or distribute Gospel tracts and curriculum, other forms of literature, proclaim the Gospel through radio, television, internet, recorded messages of the word, and by every adequate means throughout the world as may be determined by the Board of Directors from time to time. Mark 16:15.

C. Training and equipping believers, both internationally and domestically, toward leading closer personal lives with Jesus Christ and bringing them to maturity in our Lord

so they may more effectively carry out God's will for their lives, and demonstrate the love of God.

D. To receive contributions, gifts, legacies and endowments, consisting of money or other means, or acquisition of other properties from anyone; to own, hold or lease real and/or personal property and improve any thereof; to sell, convey, pledge, exchange or mortgage any part or all thereof, which will be suitable, necessary or useful for the furtherance of the objectives of the corporation and consistent with the purpose of the corporation. Mark 11:23-24

E. To provide and establish benevolence, help and training programs to meet the needs of the needy.

2. Except as otherwise limited herein, the Corporation shall have all powers necessary and convenient to affect or transact any or all of the business or purposes for which the Corporation is organized and shall likewise have the powers provided by the Florida Nonprofit Corporation Act.

3. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and literary 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 of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), and qualified foreign mission organizations.

4. The Corporation shall not afford pecuniary gain, incidentally or otherwise to its Directors, officers or other private persons; no part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable 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 this Article. 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 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 (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 (C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (of the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

#### Article IV

The management of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors, as defined in the corporations' Bylaws. No Director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation. The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed: Directors shall be nominated by the President and approved by majority vote by existing Directors.

#### Article V

The Initial Registered Agent and street address is: Timothy D. Staier, 1162 Spanish Bay CT, Orange Park, FL 32065

#### Article VI

The name and address of the incorporator of the Corporation is: Timothy D. Staier, 1162 Spanish Bay CT, Orange Park, FL 32065

#### Article VII

The initial Board of Directors is as follows:

Timothy D. Staier – President (P)  
1162 Spanish Bay CT  
Orange Park, FL 32065  
United States

Kristal M. Staier – Vice-President (VP)  
1162 Spanish Bay CT  
Orange Park, FL 32065  
United States

Josh Mauney – Secretary (S)  
1162 Spanish Bay CT  
Orange Park, FL 32065  
United States

Chad Fisher – Treasurer (T)  
1162 Spanish Bay CT  
Orange Park, FL 32065  
United States

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#### Article VIII

Neither its Board of Directors, its Incorporator, or its members, if any, shall be personally liable for any of the corporate obligations incurred by this Corporation. No director, officer, employee or member of the corporation shall as such, be liable on its debts or obligations and no director, officer, member or other volunteer shall be personally liable as such, for any claim based upon an act or omission of such person performed in the discharge of such persons' duties except (1) for any breach of the duty of loyalty to the Corporation, (2) for acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or knowing violation of the law, or (3) for any transactions from which such person derive an improper personal benefit. Except for any prohibition against indemnification specifically set forth in the bylaws, or in Florida Statutes, at the time indemnification is sought, this Corporation shall indemnify any person who is or was a director, officer, employee, member or volunteer of this Corporation, or any such person who, while a director, officer, employee, member or volunteer of this Corporation, is serving or has served, at the request of this Corporation, as a director, officer, partner, member, manager, trustee, employee, or agent of another corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust, other enterprise, or employee benefit plan to the fullest extent possible, against expenses, including attorney fees, judgments, fines, settlements and reasonable expenses, actually incurred by such person relating to his conduct as a director, officer, employee, member, or volunteer of this Corporation, or as a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, or agent of such other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, other enterprise, or employee benefit plan, except that the mandatory indemnification required by this sentence shall not apply (1) to a breach of such persons duty of loyalty to the Corporation, (2) for acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or knowing violation of the law, or (3) for any transaction from which such person derived an improper personal benefit. The foregoing right of indemnification shall also inure to the benefit of any such indemnified person's heirs, executors, personal representatives, and administrators.

#### Article IX

This corporation is not authorized to issue and shall not have any capital stock.

#### Article X

Upon Dissolution of the Corporation, the Board 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 of the Corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 (C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board shall determine and no assets shall be transferred to or in any respect whatsoever inure to any member of this corporation or director of this

corporation. Notwithstanding anything apparently or expressly to the contrary herein above contained in this Article, if any assets are then held by this Corporation in trust or upon condition of subject to any executory or special limitation and if the condition or limitation occurs by reason of the dissolution of this Corporation, such assets shall revert or be returned, transferred or conveyed in accordance with the terms and provisions of such trust, condition or limitation.

Having been named as the 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.

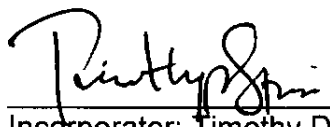
  
Registered Agent: Timothy D. Staier

2/10/15  
Date

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State Constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155,F.S.

The named Incorporator signed these Restated Articles of Incorporation on the

15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015.

  
Incorporator: Timothy D. Staier

2/10/15  
Date

The restatement was adopted by the Board of Directors on January 5, 2015 and does not contain any amendments requiring member approval.