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Department of State  
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P. O. Box 6327  
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SUBJECT: Shepherd's House Ministries  
(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: Cecil L. Downing  
Name (Printed or typed)

6414 Hamilton, Bridge Rd.

Mail to PO. Box <sup>Address</sup> ~~4634~~ 3565  
Milton, Florida 32572

City, State & Zip

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April 23, 2008

CECIL L. DOWNING SR.  
PO BOX 4637  
MILTON, FL 32572

SUBJECT: SHEPHERD'S HOUSE MINISTRIES, INC.  
Ref. Number: W08000020520

We have received your document for SHEPHERD'S HOUSE MINISTRIES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The person designated as registered agent in the document and the person signing as registered agent must be the same.

~~The person designated as incorporator in the document and the person signing as incorporator must be the same.~~

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

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Eula Peterson  
Regulatory Specialist II  
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

Shepherd's House Ministries, Inc.

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

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

5739 Stewart St. Milton, FL 32570

P.O. Box 3565 - Milton, FL 32572

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

To make disciples of all men for the Lord Jesus Christ, by evangelizing; preaching & teaching the Word of God under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. "To save the Lost & to Train the Saved

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed: The Overseer/Pastor shall have the authority to appoint directors/ officers. There will also be offices that will be voted on by the board & body of believers. With our guidelines being the Holy scriptures.

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

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

Cecil L. Downing 6414 Hamilton Bridge Rd. Milton, FL 32570

Founder/Senior Pastor

Darlene A. Downing- Pastor 6414 Hamilton Bridge Rd. Milton FL 32

Raymond Johns 6574 Sellers DR. Milton, FL 32570- Deacon

**ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Bishop C.L. Downing  
6414 Hamilton Bridge Rd.  
Milton, Florida 32570

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Bishop C.L. Downing 6414 Hamilton Bridge Rd. Milton, FL 32570

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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 certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Bishop C.L. Downing  
Signature/Registered Agent

April 15, 2008  
Date

Bishop C.L. Downing  
Signature/Incorporator

April 15, 2008  
Date

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