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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** Meskae Hezunan Medhanialem Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahedo Church in Tampa, Florida 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: Belay Samuel- President  
Name (Printed or typed)

2307 Long Green Ct.  
Address

Valrico, Fl. 33596  
City, State & Zip

813-240-2726  
Daytime Telephone number

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

**ARTICLE I NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

**Meskae Hezunan Medhanialem Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahedo Church Inc.**

**ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The principal street address and mailing address, if different is:

2307 Long Green Ct. Valrico, Fl. 33596

**ARTICLE III PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

Develop a organize Church for the purpose of worship, community support, education and any other services needed and lawful

**ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

By majority rule

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

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

Belay Samuel- President - 2307 Long Green Ct. Valrico, Fl. 33596  
Tsegaye Tadesse- Secretary- 2450 E. Hillsborough Ave. Tampa, Fl. 33610  
Asres Gesses/ Treasure- 2160 Brandon Park, Brandon, Fl. 33510  
Wuleta Kebede/ Director- 10810 Keys Gate Dr. Riverview, Fl. 33579  
Tekle Berhan Gebru/ Director- 1406 Gabriel Pl. Brandon, Fl. 33511

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

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

Bernie Smith- 4928 Marc Dr. Tampa, Fl. 33619

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Belay Samuel- 2307 Long Green Ct. Valrico, Fl. 33596

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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.*

B Smith  
Signature/Registered Agent

9-3-08  
Date

Belay Samuel  
Signature/Incorporator

9-3-08  
Date