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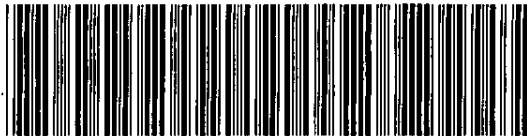
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Stellene Taylor  
P.O. Box 5931  
Lakeland, Fl. 33807

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

Dear Sir,

Enclosed is the application for the incorporation of Taylor International Ministries, Inc. a non-profit corporation. Also, enclosed is my check in the amount of \$78.75 for all fees.

Thank you in advance for your help in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Stellene Taylor". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Stellene Taylor

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

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**OF**

**TAYLOR INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES, INC.**

**A FLORIDA CORPORATION NOT FOR PROFIT**

The undersigned incorporator(s), for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida statutes, chapter 617, hereby adopt(s) the following articles of incorporation:

**ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of the corporation shall be:

**Taylor International Ministries, Inc.**

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be:

**4626 Grove Crest Dr.  
Lakeland, FL 33813**

**ARTICLE II - TERM OF EXISTENCE**

This corporation shall have perpetual existence, commencing on the date of execution and acknowledgment of these articles.

**ARTICLE III - CORPORATE PURPOSES**

The purposes for which this corporation is formed are:

(a) Through an international co-operative effort, to provide an evangelical ministry for people and families in need of the knowledge of Christ and to receive Him as their personal Lord and Savior.

(b) To teach biblical principles to all peoples throughout the world, providing instructions on the foundational truths of the bible.

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(c) Mentors will strive to encourage and teach individuals and families by instruction and example how to grow into mature, responsible and caring Christians.

and for such other purposes as are permitted by a corporation which is exempt from Federal Income Tax under section 501 (C) (3) of the Internal Revenue code, as amended, (or corresponding provisions of any United States Internal Revenue Law) and will further the foregoing purposes.

#### **ARTICLE IV - LIMITATIONS**

The corporation shall neither have nor issue any stock. The corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its influence legislation; nor shall it participate or intervene (by publication or distribution of any statements of otherwise) in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated for the purposes specified in Article III above. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, Directors, Officers or other private persons. However, 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 Article III hereof. The corporation shall not carry on any activity not permitted to be carried on by: (a) A corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under section 501 (C) (3) or 501 (C) (4) or both of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended (of the corresponding provisions of any United States Internal Revenue Law); or (b) a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (C) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

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#### **ARTICLE V - DISSOLUTION**

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, no member, Director, or private person, corporate or individual, or other private interest shall be entitled to any distribution of its remaining funds and other property. The balance of such funds and property shall, after the payment of all debt, and liabilities of the corporation be distributed to an organization operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has qualified under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended (or the corresponding provision of any United States Internal Revenue Law), as shall be provided by the Board of Directors.

#### **ARTICLE VI - DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME**

This corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended (of the corresponding provisions of any United States Internal Revenue Law). This corporation shall not:

- (a) Engage in any act of self dealing as defined in section 4941 (D) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended (or the corresponding provisions of any United States Internal Revenue Law);
- (b) Retain any excess business holdings as defined in section 4943 (C) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended (or the corresponding provisions of any United States Internal Revenue Law);
- (c) Make any investments in such manner as to subject the corporation to tax under section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended (or the corresponding provisions of any United States Internal Revenue Law); or
- (d) Make any taxable expenditures as defined in section 4945 (D) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended (or the corresponding provisions of any United States Internal Revenue Law).

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**ARTICLE VII - INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE  
AND RESIDENT AGENT**

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:  
4626 Grove Crest Dr.  
Lakeland, Fl. 33813

The name of the initial registered agent and address is:  
Stellene Taylor  
4626 Grove Crest Dr.  
Lakeland, Fl. 33813

**ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATOR**

The name(s) and address of the incorporator(s) of the corporation are:  
Stellene Taylor  
4626 Grove Crest Dr.  
Lakeland, Fl. 33813

**ARTICLE IX - MEMBERS**

The qualifications for members of the corporation and the manner of their admission shall be as regulated by the bylaws of the corporation. The initial members shall be the initial Board of Directors.

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#### **ARTICLE X - INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The management of the corporation shall be vested in it's Board of Directors. The election of Directors shall be by the members as provided in the Bylaws of the Corporation. There shall be eight (8) initial Directors. The number of Directors may be increased from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws, but shall never be less than three (3). Directors of this corporation shall not be personally liable for the debts, liabilities, or obligations of the corporation and shall not be subject to any assessments. The name and address of each initial Director of the corporation is as follows:

Stellene Taylor, 4626 Grove Crest Dr., Lakeland, Fl. 33813

Douglas Bailey, 2601 Sleepy Hollow Lane, Lakeland, Fl. 33810

Rosemary Bailey, 2601 Sleepy Hollow Lane, Lakeland, Fl. 33810

David White, 3935 Pelican Ct., Lakeland, Fl. 33813

Deborah White, 3935 Pelican Ct., Lakeland, Fl. 33813

Tom Kimmel, 2225 Club Hill St., Lakeland, Fl. 33812

Janice Kimmel, 2225 Club Hill St., Lakeland, Fl. 33812

Debbie G. Taylor, P. O. Box 90423, Lakeland, Fl. 33804

#### **ARTICLE XI - BYLAWS**

The Bylaws of the corporation shall be adopted by the Board of Directors, and may be altered, amended, or rescinded by the Board of Directors.

#### **ARTICLE XII - AMENDMENTS**

The corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these articles or any amendment to them. Amendments to the articles of incorporation may be proposed by any Director and may be adopted by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Board of Directors.

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In witness whereof, the undersigned incorporator(s) have executed these articles of incorporation this 4 day of Dec, 2008.

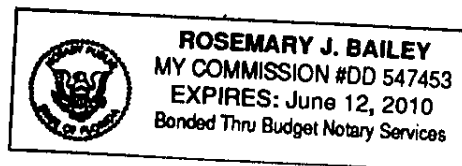
Stellene Taylor  
Stellene Taylor

State of Florida  
County of Polk

I hereby certify that on this day, before me, an officer duly authorized in the state and county aforesaid to take acknowledgments, personally appeared Stellene Taylor to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and the acknowledged before me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal in the county and state named above this

4 day of Dec, 2008  
Rosemary J. Bailey  
Notary Public  
My commission expires: 6-12-10



#### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as registered agent of Taylor International Ministries, Inc. which is contained in the foregoing articles of incorporation:

Stellene Taylor  
Stellene Taylor

Dated this 4 day of Dec, 2008

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