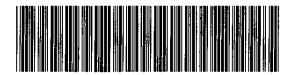
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# **COVER LETTER**

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

SUBJECT:				INC.		
	(PRO	POSED CO	RPORATE N	AME - MUST INCL	UDE SUFFIX)	

Enclosed is an original and one(1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for:

\$70.00 Filing Fee \$78.75 Filing Fee &

Certificate of Status

\$78.75

Filing Fee & Certified Copy \$87.50

Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

239-731- 1868 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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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

In Compliance with Chapter, F.S., (Not for Profit)

### Article I Name

Hope for Ghana Inc.

# Article II Principal Office

15474 Crystal Lake Drive

N. Ft. Myers Fl. 33917

## Article III

To collect funds to build a school in Ghana Africa and provide charitable financial assistance for global humanitarian projects.

### Article IV Manner of Election

The board of directors will be appointed consisting of not less than three and no more than seven members. The term of office will be three years at which time the board can be retained as is. Vacancies on the board can be filled as needed by the present board members.

### Article V Initial Directors and/or Officers

Christine Stotz 6240 Industry Ave. Ft. Myers Fl. 33905 President

Jacqueline Vaughn 15474 Crystal Lake Dr. N. Ft. Myers Fl. 33917 Treasurer

Rev. Stephen Asante Bakor 13031 Palm Beach Blvd. Ft. Myers Fl. 33905 Secretary

Nancy Johnston 1442 Argyle Drive Ft. Myers Fl. 33919 Board Member

# Article VI Board Members and/or Officers

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall insure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees or 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 purpose set forth in Article III hereof. 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 any political campaign on behalf or in opposition to 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 by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

### Article VII Dissolution Provision

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction 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 Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

### Article VIII Initial registered Agent and Street Address

Jacqueline Vaughn

15474 Crystal Lake Drive

N. Ft. Myers Fl. 33917

### Article IX Incorporator

Jacqueline Vaughn

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15474 Crystal Lake Dr.

N. Ft. Myers Fl. 33917

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.

Signature/Registered Agent

Date

Signature/Incorporator

Date