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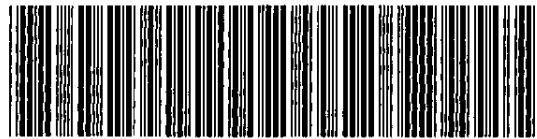
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## COVER LETTER

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

SUBJECT: Laomai 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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Filing Fee &  
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☒ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: Claudia King  
Name (Printed or typed)

P.O. Box 1911  
Address

Tallahassee, FL 32370  
City, State & Zip

(941) 301-6260  
Daytime Telephone number

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

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**Article I**  
**Name**

The name of this corporation shall be: *Laomai Ministries, Inc*

**Article II**  
**Principle Office**

The principal place of business and mailing addresses of this corporation shall be:  
The corporation's principal office is located at: 1326 13<sup>th</sup> Street, Sarasota, FL 34236.  
The corporation's mailing address is P.O. Box 1911, Tallevast, FL 34270.

**Article III**  
**Purpose**

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that also qualify as Section 501(c) (3) exempt organizations. To this end, the corporation shall provide support, resources, and referrals for economically disadvantaged adults and youth in society. All funds, whether income or principal, and whether acquired by gift or contribution or otherwise, shall be devoted to said purposes.

**Article IV**  
**Limitations**

At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the corporation:

1. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to any member of the corporation not qualifying as exempt under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, not to any director or officer of the corporation, nor to any other private persons, excepting solely such reasonable compensation that the corporation shall pay for services actually rendered to the corporation, or allowed by the corporation as reasonable allowance for authorized expenditures incurred on behalf of the corporation;
2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or any initiative

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or referendum before the public, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publication for distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office; and

3. 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 of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended;
4. The corporation shall not lend any of its assets to any officer or director of this corporation [unless such loan program is regularly conducted as part of the activities of the organization and the qualification of the individual to participate in same is determined by a panel comprised solely of non-board members], or guarantee to any person that the payment of a loan by an officer or director of this corporation.

**Article V**  
**Initial Directors/Members**

The corporation shall have no voting member. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of a Board of Directors, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by statute and by the corporation's by-laws. No director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation. The Initial Board of Directors is as follows:

Judith Harvin, Chair  
3041 Gillespie Avenue  
Sarasota, FL

Kathleen Davenport, Vice-Chair  
2585 Yuma Avenue  
North Port, FL

Particia Massalene, Secretary  
3600 W. Columbia Avenue  
Orlando, FL

NiChele S. Brown, Treasurer  
6509 Magellan Court  
Sarasota, FL

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**Article VI**  
**Debt/Obligations and Personal Liability**

No member, officer or director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the members, officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

**Article VII**  
**Dissolution**

Upon the time of dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed by the Board of Directors, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all debts, obligations, liabilities, costs and expenses of the corporation, 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 to a 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 organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

**Article VIII**  
**Initial Registered Agent**

The Registered Agent of this corporation is:

Judith Harvin  
3041 Gillespie Avenue  
Sarasota, Florida 34234

**Article XI**  
**Incorporator**

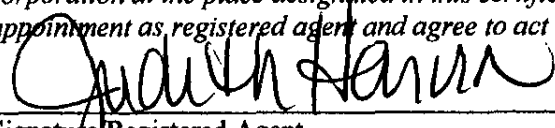
The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Claudia King  
3201 N. Orange Avenue  
Sarasota, Florida 34234

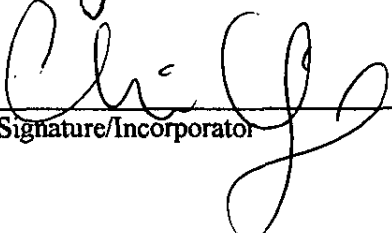
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*Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.*

  
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Signature/Registered Agent

3/1/09  
Date

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Incorporator

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