

N090000/1963

(Requestor's Name)

(Address)

(Address)

(City/State/Zip/Phone #)

☐

PICK-UP

☐

WAIT

☐

MAIL

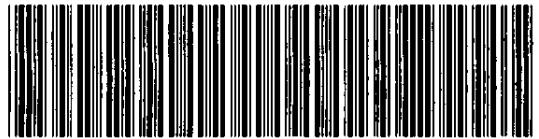
(Business Entity Name)

(Document Number)

Certified Copies _____ Certificates of Status _____

Special Instructions to Filing Officer:

Office Use Only



100166352691

01/25/10--01055--012 **35.00

FILED
10 FEB 15 AM 9:56
SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

Ameud
C.COULLIETTE

FEB 15 2010

EXAMINER

COVER LETTER

TO: Amendment Section
Division of Corporations

NAME OF CORPORATION: Bishop Decena Ministries, Inc.

DOCUMENT NUMBER: N09000011963

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Jose Decena

(Name of Contact Person)

(Firm/ Company)

5544 Pembroke Road

(Address)

Hollywood, Florida 33021

(City/ State and Zip Code)

jose@bishopdecenaministries.org

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Jose Decena

(Name of Contact Person)

at (786) 712-4963

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

Enclosed is a check for the following amount made payable to the Florida Department of State:

☒ \$35 Filing Fee

☐ \$43.75 Filing Fee &
Certificate of Status

☐ \$43.75 Filing Fee &
Certified Copy
(Additional copy is
enclosed)

☐ \$52.50 Filing Fee
Certificate of Status
Certified Copy
(Additional Copy
is enclosed)

Mailing Address

Amendment Section
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

Street Address

Amendment Section
Division of Corporations
Clifton Building
2661 Executive Center Circle
Tallahassee, FL 32301



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

January 28, 2010

JOSE DECENA
5544 PEMBROKE RD
HOLLYWOOD, FL 33021

SUBJECT: BISHOP DECENA MINISTRIES INC
Ref. Number: N09000011963

We have received your document for BISHOP DECENA MINISTRIES INC and check(s) totaling \$35.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

You failed to check one of the boxes to indicate the manner of adoption, it is either done by the directors or by the members, choose one. I tried to call and obtain this information by phone but the mailbox for the phone number listed was full.

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

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6903.

Cheryl Coulliette
Regulatory Specialist II

Letter Number: 610A00002267

RECEIVED
2010 FEB 12 AM 8:00
SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

Articles of Amendment
to
Articles of Incorporation
of
BISHOP DECENA MINISTRIES, INC.

N09000011963

(Document Number of Corporation)

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following Articles of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation.

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted:

Article III (AMENDED)
Purpose and Objectives

This Corporation is a non-profit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. This corporation is organized exclusively for any lawful purpose to retain non-profit status as set forth in the most current Internal Revenue Code, and to act and operate exclusively as a non-profit corporation pursuant to the laws of the state of Florida, its municipalities, county governments, and the United States.

The primary objectives and purpose of Bishop Decena Ministries, Inc. shall include, but not be limited to the following:

To transform the lives of children and families in need by developing feeding programs that edifies the body, soul, and spirit. To provide resources to faith-based organizations that are struggling to continue the services they provide to their communities.

FILED
10 FEB 15 AM 9:56
SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

Article VII (AMENDED)
Initial Directors/Officers

The name, address, and title of the initial Board of Directors of this corporation are:

Name	Address	Position
Jose Decena	5544 Pembroke Road Hollywood, Florida 33021	President
Jose Reyes	5544 Pembroke Road Hollywood, Florida 33021	Secretary/ Treasurer
Keith Robinson	17409 South Dixie Highway Palmeto Bay, Florida 33170	Director
Carlos Tapigliani	3139 SW 27 th Avenue Miami, Florida 33133	Director

Article IX (Added)
Nonprofit Capitalization

No part of the income of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, officer or director of the Corporation, or any private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation in connection with furtherance of its purposes and no member trustee, director or officer of the Corporation or any private person shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the Corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation.

Article X (Added)
Member Liability

The private property of this Corporation's members, directors or officers shall not be subject to the payment of Corporation debts to any extent whatsoever. No director or officer shall be liable for relying in good faith upon the books or account or reports made to the Corporation by any of its officials, members or by an independent accountant selected by the Board of Directors or by any committee so designated by the Corporation, or in relying in good faith upon any other records of the Corporation.

Article XI (Added)
Activities Prohibited

No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of 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 (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or corresponding section of any future federal tax code) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or corresponding section of any future federal tax code).

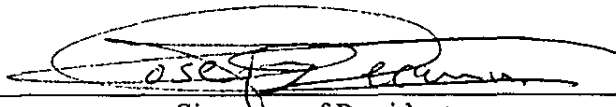
Article XII (Added)
Dissolution

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, the Corporation shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of the debts and obligations of the Corporation, distribute the remaining assets and property (after necessary expenses thereof) to such organizations as shall qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as named. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the Corporation is located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organizations as said Court shall determine, which are organized for such purposes as qualify them as exempt organizations.

SECOND: The date of adoption of the amendment(s) was: 01-20-10

THIRD: Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)

- ☒ The amendment(s) was (were) adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment was sufficient for approval.
- ☐ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment. The amendment(s) was (were) adopted by the board of directors.



Signature of President

Jose Decena

Typed or printed name

Pres. elect

Title

01-20-10

Date