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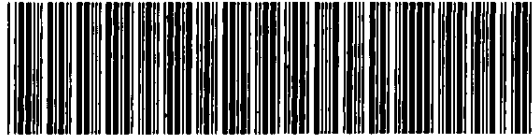
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Friends of Hope International, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE 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 &
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Jesus Batista

Name (Printed or typed)

8715 NW 39th St.

Address

Sunrise, FL 33351

City, State & Zip

Daytime Telephone number

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



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March 18, 2010

JESUS BATISTA
8715 NW 39 ST.
SUNRISE, FL 33351

SUBJECT: FRIENDS OF HOPE INTERNATIONAL, INC.
Ref. Number: W10000013583

We have received your document for FRIENDS OF HOPE INTERNATIONAL, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The purpose contained in your articles of incorporation should be more specific. Please correct your articles to reflect the specific purpose for which the non profit corporation is being organized.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

THERE WERE NO ATTACHMENTS TO DOCUMENT.

Please return the corrected original and one copy of 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) 245-6869.

Christine Haney
Senior Clerk
New Filing Section

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

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Friends of Hope International, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

8715 NW 39th St.
Sunrise, FL 33351

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

See Attached

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The method of selection of the Board of Directors and number of directors shall be stated in the bylaws.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

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

See Attached

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

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

Jesus Batista
8715 NW 39th St.
Sunrise, FL 33351

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Jesus Batista
8715 NW 39th St.
Sunrise, FL 33351

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.

Jesus Batista
Signature/Registered Agent

3/9/2010
Date

Jesus Batista
Signature/Incorporator

3/9/2010
Date

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ARTICLE III- PURPOSE

1. Friends of Hope International, Inc. exists to design and implement projects and programs to help individuals in foreign countries become self-sufficient. We work with international nonprofits to implement projects that address the needs of impoverished nations such as aquaculture, animal husbandry, agriculture, water wells, clinics, and community centers.
2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of 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 of any candidate for public office.
3. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE V – INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

Jesus Batista
President
8715 NW 39th St.
Sunrise, FL 33351

Luc A. Petit
Treasurer
3088 NW 123rd Terrace
Sunrise, FL 33313

Dr. Michael McGee
Secretary
Bo. La Plata
Rd. 117 Km. 9.9
Lajas, PR 00667

ARTICLE VIII- DISSOLUTION

1. The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.
2. The manner of distribution of assets in this Corporation's winding up is as follows: Upon 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

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government, or state or local government for public purpose. Any such asset not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purpose or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

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