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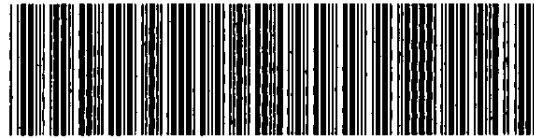
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Department of State  
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SUBJECT: FAZENDA DA ESPERANCA, INC.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: JOSE DARWIN DE ALMEIDA  
Name (Printed or typed)

651 NE 23 PL  
Address

POMPAVO BEACH, FL 33064  
City, State & Zip

(954) 270-9367  
Daytime Telephone number

JE@BCHOICETAX.COM  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
FAZENDA DA ESPERANÇA**

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**A FLORIDA "NOT FOR PROFIT" CORPORATION**

The undersigned citizens of the United States, desiring to form a not for profit corporation under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, certify and acknowledge the following:

**ARTICLE I  
NAME**

The name of the Corporation shall be Fazenda da Esperança, Inc.

**ARTICLE II  
PRINCIPAL OFFICE & MAILING ADDRESS**

The principal street address and mailing address is:

651 NE 23 PL  
Pompano Beach, FL 33064

**ARTICLE III  
PURPOSE**

The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. To this end, the Corporation shall support young people with drug and alcohol addictions in their rehabilitation. Fazenda da Esperança, Inc. promotes:

- Spiritual life – facilitating prayer and meditation on the gospel to allow God to change lives through His words;
- Community life – providing family-like living arrangements for residents, who reside in small groups and share experiences with one another;
- Working life – work together on the farm to earn a living.

All funds, whether income or principal, and whether acquired by gift or contribution or otherwise, shall be devoted to said purposes. Fazenda da Esperança, Inc. is run by non-professionals and volunteers and does not treat psychosis or other types of mental illness.

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#### **ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is provided in the bylaws of the Corporation.

#### **ARTICLE V DIRECTORS**

The Corporation shall have no voting members. 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. 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. The incorporating board of directors includes the following individuals:

President/Director  
Jose Joaquim De Almeida  
651 NE 23 PL  
Pompano Beach, FL 33064

Vice President/Director  
Claudinei Senhoreti  
6484 NW 63rd Way  
Parkland, FL 33067

Treasurer/Director  
Jose Eduardo Jaccoud  
4119 NW 5<sup>th</sup> DR.  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33442

Director  
Joseph Rauenhorst  
P.O. Box 1508  
Boca Raton, FL 33429

Director  
Hans Heinrich Stapel  
Rua Tupinambas, 520 - Bairro Pedregulho  
Guaratingueta, Sao Paulo, Brazil 12515-190

Director  
Nelson Giovanelli Rosendo Dos Santos  
Rua Tupinambas, 520 - Bairro Pedregulho  
Guaratingueta, Sao Paulo, Brazil 12515-190

Director  
Iraci Da Silva Leite  
Rua Nina Ferreira Leite 403, Bairro Sao Manoel  
Guaratingueta, Sao Paulo, Brazil 12512-330

Director  
Lucilene Rosendos Dos Santos  
Rua Nina Ferreira Leite 403, Bairro Sao Manoel  
Guaratingueta, Sao Paulo, Brazil 12512-330

## **ARTICLE VI POWERS & LIMITATIONS**

The powers of the Corporation shall be provided in the bylaws of the Corporation in accordance with Chapter 617, Florida Statutes with the following limitations within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as may be amended:

1. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to its members, directors, officers or other private interests. However, the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay a reasonable salary for services rendered by its employees and to make payments and other distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III.
2. Only an insubstantial amount of the activities of the Corporation shall be in furtherance of a purpose not set forth in Article III.
3. Only an insubstantial amount of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as may be amended, unless the Corporation elects the provisions of Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code, as may amended.
4. In no event shall the Corporation have the power to participate in, or intervene in, including the publishing or distributing of statements, any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office, all within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as may be amended.
5. In the event the Corporation chooses to litigate, using its own staff attorneys on behalf of its members or other clients, the Corporation shall comply with the guidelines provided within Revenue Procedure 92-59, 1992-2 C.B. 411-12, as may be amended, superseded or modified. The bylaws of the Corporation shall adopt these provisions accordingly.

**ARTICLE VII  
DISSOLUTION**

Upon the dissolution, termination, or winding up 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 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 organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

**ARTICLE VIII  
INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT & OFFICE**

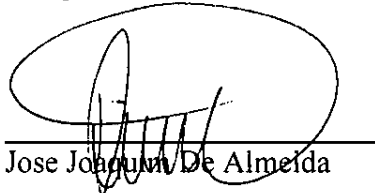
The name and Florida street address of the Registered Agent is:

Jose Joaquim De Almeida  
651 NE 23 PL  
Pompano Beach, FL 33064

**ARTICLE IX  
INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

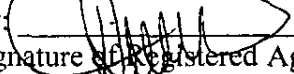
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Jose Joaquim De Almeida

### ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been appointed the Registered Agent of Fazenda da Esperança, Inc., and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Dated this 13 day of APRIL 2010.

By:   
Signature of Registered Agent

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