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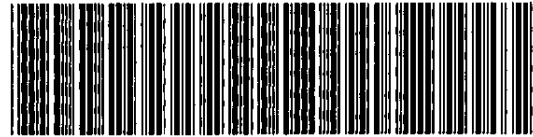
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS  
P.O. BOX 6327  
Tallahassee, Florida 32314  
**Attn: Corporate Filings**

Date: June 8, 2010  
RE: TITUS CHAPEL FREEWILL  
FLA. BAR NO: 539376

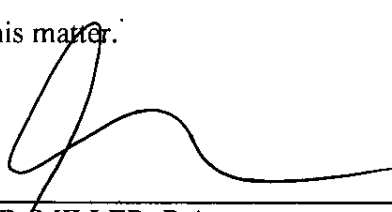
TO WHOM THIS MAY CONCERN:

Enclosed please find original and one (1) copy of Articles of Incorporation for Titus Chapel Freewill Baptist Church, Inc. (A Nonprofit Corporation).

X Will you please file and return certified copy of the enclosed articles at the earliest possible date.

X Check in the amount of \$78.75 is enclosed to cover costs.

Thanking you for your cooperation in this matter.



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GLENN R. MILLER, P.A.  
Attorney for Titus Chapel, et al  
67 N.E. 168<sup>th</sup> Street  
North Miami Beach, Florida 33162  
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
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**TITUS CHAPEL FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.**  
**(A Non-Profit Corporation)**

**ARTICLE I**

**NAME.** The name of this corporation is **TITUS CHAPEL FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.**, located at 1952 N.W. 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, in the City of Miami, and in the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE II**

**PURPOSE.** The general nature and purpose of this corporation is to take charge and manage all the temporal affairs of a Freewill Baptist (F.W.B.) Church; to promote the spiritual, educational and other interest of the F.W.B. Church, including all the charitable, benevolent, and eleemosynary work of the said church; to promote the teaching, preaching and the doctrine of Christianity and to support wold mission in expousing the gospel to the world; to promote the spirit of brotherhood and a closer association between the members of the organization. to take charge of, hold and manage all properties real and personal, that may at any time or in any manner come to or vest in this corporation whether by purchase, gift, grant, devise, or otherwise and to mortgage the same, if necessary or dispose of it as the necessities of this corporation may require, but not for profit.

**ARTICLE III**

**QUALIFICATIONS OF MEMBERS.** All persons coming to this corporation with a desire to flee from the wrath who have been baptized after confession in Jesus Christ as the Son

of God, according to the doctrine of the F.W.B. Church, and who pledge obedience to the government of the corporation, may become a member of this corporation and shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges as other members similarly situated.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

**DURATION.** This corporation shall have perpetual existence commencing on the date of this filing of these Amended Articles of Incorporation with the Department of State.

#### **ARTICLE V**

**OFFICERS.** This corporation shall consist of the following Officers who shall manage the affairs of this corporation:

1. **Pastor**
2. **General Secretary**
3. **Trustee Board**
4. **Steward Board (Deacon Board)**

#### **ARTICLE VI**

**DUTIES AND POWERS OF OFFICERS.** The duties and powers of the Officers of this corporation shall consist of the following:

1. **Pastor.** The Pastor shall be the head of the Church. He shall be a member ex officio of the Trustee Board, Steward Board and all other organizations of the Church. The Pastor shall counter-sign all check, contracts, bonds, certificates of indebtedness, and all other legal documents of this Church. To teach, preach and conduct the religious service of this corporation in accordance with the doctrine and discipline of the Freewill Baptist Church. The Pastor shall perform all other duties and the office of the Pastor in the F.W.B. Church.

2. **General Secretary.** The General Secretary shall be the custodian of all

corporate records and the corporate seal, verify all instruments executed on behalf of the corporation, keep records of all church proceedings and accounts and shall perform such other duties as may be delegated to him by by-laws, resolutions or other acts of the corporation.

3. **Trustee Board.** The Pastor shall be the head of the Church. He shall be a member ex officio of the Trustee Board. The Trustee Board shall manage all the temporal concerns of this corporation not otherwise provided for and shall have a Treasurer of the Board elected by the Body. The Trustee Board shall manage all of the real estate, parsonage, school house, church and other property owned by this corporation. They shall make improvements upon said property or real estate when authorized to do so by a majority of the legal members of this corporation in a meeting called for said purpose. The Trustee Board or any authorized member of the Trustee Board shall sign all certificates of indebtedness with the Pastor including notes, mortgages, contracts, etc. in the name of the corporation and in behalf of the corporation. A majority of members shall mean the majority of the members present at any meeting call for that purpose. The Trustee Board shall perform all other duties and exercise all other powers in accordance with the doctrine and discipline of the F.W.B. Church.

4. **Steward Board.** The Steward Board and all Trustees shall make an exact account of all the money or other provisions collected for the support of the Church. The Board shall make an accurate return of every expenditure of money, whether to the pastor, church, sick or poor. The Board shall seek out the needy and distressed in order to relieve them and comfort them; to attend the quarterly conferences of the Circuit Station; to give advice, if asked, in planning the Circuit or Station. They shall register the marriages and baptisms and be subject to the Bishops, elders, Deacons and Traveling Preachers of their Circuit and Stations. This corporation may from time to time create and establish other boards, and committees as the

members of this corporation may deem proper by resolutions or by-laws.

## **ARTICLE VII**

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS.** All Officers, except the Pastor and Steward Board shall be elected by the members of this Corporation at an annual meeting to be held at a time and place designated by the Pastor. The Pastor shall appoint the Steward Board. All Officers may succeed themselves. Vacancies occurring shall be filled by an election held for such purposes by members of the corporation, after the place and time of such election has been publicly announced at least two (2) weeks proceeding said election.

**Pastor:** The Pastor shall be called or employed by this corporation strictly in accordance with the rules and regulations as provided in the doctrine and discipline of the General Church of the Freewill Baptist Church.

## **ARTICLE VIII**

**TERMINATION OF MEMBERS.** A member may be expelled from said Church and Corporation upon his or her failure to attend Church regularly; or upon committing any immoral, vicious, vile, or wicked act or acts and repent not. Before any member may be expelled, he or she must be given a hearing in defense of himself or herself if he or she so desires and the expulsion of said member must be recommended by the Pastor and concurred there in by the Steward Board and the majority of the members present at any regular meeting.

## **ARTICLE IX**

**AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES.** All amendments to this article of incorporation shall be proposed and approved by the majority of the Trustee board, upon approval of any amendment by the Trustee Board the same shall be submitted to the Secretary of the corporation or Pastor who shall announce and read said proposal at the next regular business meeting of said

corporation. The Pastor may call a special meeting of said corporation to vote on said amendment otherwise said amendment shall be voted upon by the corporation at the regular meeting following the first reading. A two-third (2/3) majority of the members shall be necessary to approve said proposed amendment.

**AMENDMENT TO BY-LAWS.** The By-Laws of this corporation may be altered, amended or rescinded by a two-third (2/3) majority vote of the membership present at any regular meeting of this corporation.

**QUORUM.** Nine (9) members shall constitute a quorum.

#### **ARTICLE X**

**INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT.** The principle address of corporation and the street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is **1952 N.W. 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33142**, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is **WILLIAM A. BRINGIER, D. MIN.**

#### **ARTICLE XI**

**INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS.** The names and addresses of the initial Board of Directors of the corporation are:

**Rev. William A. Bringier - President**  
1952 N.W. 52<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33142

**Beverly White - Director/Board Member**  
1205 N.W. 103<sup>rd</sup> Street, Unit 104  
Miami, Florida 33147

**Gennie M. Bringier - Director/Board Member**  
1952 N.W. 52<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33142

**Vivian Huston - Director/Executive Sec.**  
12601 N.W. 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Unit T214  
Miami, Florida 33167

**Brenda Boatswain- Director/Assistant Sec.**  
2381 N.W. 99<sup>th</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33147

## ARTICLE XII

**INCORPORATORS.** The names and addresses of the Incorporators signing these

Articles of Incorporation are:

**Rev. William A. Bringer**  
1952 N.W. 52<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33142

**Beverly White.**  
1205 N.W. 103<sup>rd</sup> Street, Unit 104  
Miami, Florida 33147

**Gennie M. Bringier**  
1952 N.W. 52<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33142

**Vivian Huston**  
12601 N.W. 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Unit T214  
Miami, Florida 33176

**Brenda Boatswain**  
2381 N.W. 99<sup>th</sup> Street  
Miami, Florida 33147

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned Incorporators have executed these

Articles of Incorporation on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2010.

BY William A. Bringer  
REV. WILLIAM A. BRINGER, Incorporator

BY Beverly White  
BEVERLY WHITE., Incorporator

BY Gennie M. Bringier  
GENNIE M. BRINGER, Incorporator

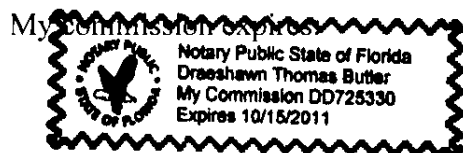
BY Vivian Huston  
VIVIAN HUSTON, Incorporator

BY Brenda Boatswain  
BRENDA BOATSWAIN, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA                     )  
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE         )

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared **REV. WILLIAM A. BRINGER, BEVERLY WHITE, GENNIE M. BRINGER, VIVIAN HUSTON, and BRENDA BOATSWAIN**, to me known to be the persons described as the incorporators in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they acknowledged before me that they executed those Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and seal this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2010.



Draeshawn Thomas Butler  
NOTARY PUBLIC

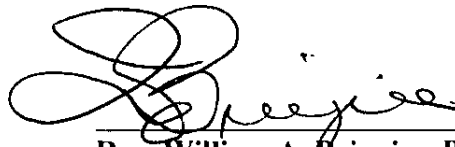


**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS  
OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN  
FLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED**

In compliance with Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

First - That **TITUS CHAPEL FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.** desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 1952 N.W. 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, in the City of Miami, and in the State of Florida, has named **William A. Bringier**, located at **1952 N.W. 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, Miami, Florida 33142**, as its Agent to accept service of process within Florida.

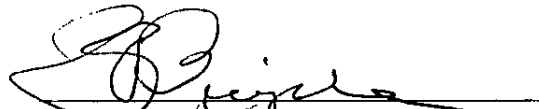
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Rev. William A. Bringier, President

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all Statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

DATE: 2-26-10



Rev. William A. Bringier, Resident Agent

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