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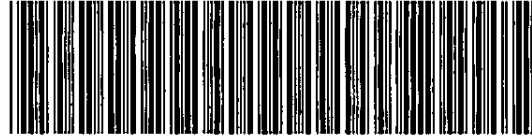
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March 29, 2016

RENEL JEAN BAPTISTE
6479 ROLLING TREE STREET
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32222

SUBJECT: SAREPTA BAPTIST CHURCH, INC
Ref. Number: N11000002840

We have received your document for SAREPTA BAPTIST CHURCH, INC and your check(s) totaling \$52.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

THE PENDING REINSTATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO CHANGING THE NAME

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) 245-6050.

Cathy A Carrothers
Regulatory Specialist

Letter Number: 816A00006336

Articles of Amendment
to
Articles of Incorporation
of

SAREPTA BAPTIST Church, Inc.

(Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

N 11000002840

(Document Number of Corporation (if known))

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this *Florida Not For Profit Corporation* adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation:

MISSION SAREPTA INTERNATIONALE, INC.

The new name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or "Inc." "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name.

B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable:

(Principal office address MUST BE A STREET ADDRESS)

7410 PARK CITY DRIVE
JACKSONVILLE FL 32244

C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable:

(Mailing address MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX)

6479 Rolling Tree Street
JACKSONVILLE FL 32222

D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered office address in Florida, enter the name of the new registered agent and/or the new registered office address:

Name of New Registered Agent:

Renel Jean-Baptiste

6479 Rolling Tree St Jacksonville FL
(Florida street address) 32222

New Registered Office Address:

7410 Park City Drive Jacksonville
(City) Florida (Zip Code) 32244

New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registered Agent:

I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of the position.

Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing

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If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added:

(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

Please note the officer/director title by the first letter of the office title:

P = President; V = Vice President; T = Treasurer; S = Secretary; D = Director; TR = Trustee; C = Chairman or Clerk; CEO = Chief Executive Officer; CFO = Chief Financial Officer. If an officer/director holds more than one title, list the first letter of each office held. President, Treasurer, Director would be PTD.

Changes should be noted in the following manner. Currently John Doe is listed as the PST and Mike Jones is listed as the V. There is a change, Mike Jones leaves the corporation, Sally Smith is named the V and S. These should be noted as John Doe, PT as a Change, Mike Jones, V as Remove, and Sally Smith, SV as an Add.

Example:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change	<u>PT</u>	<u>John Doe</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>V</u>	<u>Mike Jones</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add	<u>SV</u>	<u>Sally Smith</u>

Type of Action (Check One)	Title	Name	Address
1) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>S</u>	<u>RAOUL POTT-FRERE</u>	<u>3840 WESTRIDGE DR.</u> <u>ORANGE PARK, FL 32065</u>
2) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>S</u>	<u>Gedeon FERME</u>	<u>6500 LAKE GRAY</u> <u>BLVD, Apt 614</u> <u>JACKSONVILLE FL 32244</u>
3) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	_____	_____	_____
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5) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	_____	_____	_____
6) <input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Add <input type="checkbox"/> Remove	_____	_____	_____

E. If amending or adding additional Articles, enter change(s) here:
(attach additional sheets, if necessary). (Be specific)

see attachment A

The date of each amendment(s) adoption: March 14, 2016, if other than the date this document was signed.

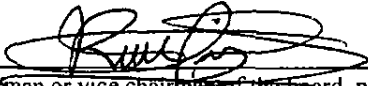
Effective date if applicable: March 15, 2016
(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)

Note: If the date inserted in this block does not meet the applicable statutory filing requirements, this date will not be listed as the document's effective date on the Department of State's records.

Adoption of Amendment(s) (CHECK ONE)

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

Dated March 14, 2016

Signature 
(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator - if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)

Rene L Jean-Baptiste
(Typed or printed name of person signing)

Pastor
(Title of person signing)

Following is ADF's (Alliance for Defending Freedom, a religious liberty legal organization), suggested language on marriage and sexuality for church bylaws (which is different from the church's Constitution):

"We believe that the term 'marriage' has only one meaning and that is marriage sanctioned by God which joins one man and one woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in Scripture."

"We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to only occur between a man and a woman who are married to each other. We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of a marriage between a man and a woman."

"We believe that any form of sexual immorality, such as adultery, fornication, homosexuality, bisexual conduct, bestiality, incest, pornography or any attempt to change one's sex, or disagreement with one's biological sex, is sinful and offensive to God."

" We believe that in order to preserve the function and integrity of the church as the local Body of Christ, and to provide a biblical role model to the church members and the community, it is imperative that all persons employed by the church in any capacity, or who serve as volunteers, should abide by and agree to the Statement on Marriage and Sexuality and conduct themselves accordingly."

" We believe that God offers redemption and restoration to all who confess and forsake their sin, seeking His mercy and forgiveness through Jesus Christ."

"We believe that every person must be afforded compassion, love, kindness, respect, and dignity. Hateful and harassing behavior or attitudes directed toward any individual are to be repudiated and are not in accord with scripture nor the doctrines of the church."