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## PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATES, INC. 1214 WEST BEARSS AVENUE TAMPA, FLORIDA 33613 813-964-1111

October 27, 2011

Secretary of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Dear Sirs:

Please file these Not-For-Profit
Corporation Articles of incorporation with the
Secretary of the State of Florida on behalf of
LIVING FREE CHURCH, INC. Please date the articles
of the corporation to begin as of October 27,
2011. Please mail a copy of the acceptance and
the articles to:

Professional Accounting Associates, Inc. 1214 West Bearss Avenue Tampa, Florida 33613

Thank You.

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

#### **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

OF

#### LIVING FREE CHURCH, INC.

A Corporation Not for Profit

#### **ARTICLE I**

The name of the not for profit Corporation is **LIVING FREE CHURCH, INC.** 

#### **ARTICLE II**

The general nature and the object and purpose of this corporation shall be a nondenominational forum for Christian people to provide Christian fellowship and religious worship as a church of the Christian faith. The church shall be open to all people. The purpose of the church is to provide discipleship and spiritual parenting to the members of the church, visitors and the interested public at large. THIS CORPORATION SHALL FUNCTION AS A RELIGIOUS AND CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION AND SHALL FUNCTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH AND UNDER THE RESTRICTIONS AND PROVISIONS OF SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CODE. This corporation shall further be empowered to purchase, improve, rent, lease, own, mortgage, hold, enjoy, maintain, sell and develop real estate and deal in real property of every description; to borrow money and contract debts, and to issue bonds, promissory notes or other obligations and evidences of indebtedness; and to do all and everything necessary and proper for the accomplishment of the objects enumerated herein or necessary or incidental to the specific powers and privileges which are, can be or may be granted to corporations under the laws of the State of Florida.

#### **ARTICLE III**

This corporation shall have perpetual existence unless sooner dissolved by law.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

The principal office of this corporation shall be located at 11444 Cypress Park Street, Tampa, Florida 33624. The board of Directors and the membership may from time to time move the principal office to any other address and may establish branch churches and other places of worship as may be deemed expedient.

#### **ARTICLE V**

Its Board of Directors shall conduct the business of the corporation. This corporation shall have a minimum of three (3) directors and no more than seven (7) directors. Each director shall hold office until his successor shall be elected and qualified. The duties, powers and functions of the Board of Directors shall be as usually devolve upon such director unless otherwise provided by the By-Laws.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

The qualifications of the members of this corporation shall be as provided by the By-Laws of this corporation.

#### ARTICLE VII

The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are as follows:

Reverend Paul J. Hollis, Director 11444 Cypress Park Street Tampa, Florida 33624

Mrs. Claire A. Hollis, Director 11444 Cypress Park Street Tampa, Florida 33624 Mr. Joshua R. Campbell, Director 10311 Pennytree Place Tampa, Florida 33624

#### **ARTICLE VIII**

The name and address of the subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is as follows:

Reverend Paul J. Hollis, Executive Director 11444 Cypress Park Street Tampa, Florida 33624

#### **ARTICLE IX**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law. The Board of Directors shall approve every amendment, unless all directors sign a written statement manifesting their intention that a certain amendment of these Articles of Incorporation be made.

#### ARTICLE X

The Registered Agent for the corporation shall be Paul R. Short, whose address is 1214 West Bearss Avenue, Tampa, Florida 33613.

#### **ARTICLE XI**

The names of the directors who are to serve until the first election or appointment under the Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

Reverend Paul J. Hollis, Executive Director Mrs. Claire A. Hollis, Director Mr. Joshua R. Campbell, Director

The directors shall manage the affairs of the corporation and they shall be elected as provided in the By-Laws of this corporation.

#### ARTICLE XII

In the event of the dissolution of this corporation, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or to the Federal, State or Local government for exclusive public purpose.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, this corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by

- (a) a corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law, or
- (b) a corporation, contributions to which, are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code or any other corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Code.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the Subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation has hereunto executed the foregoing instrument, on this twenty seventh day of October in the year 2011.

Reverend Paul J. Hollis, Incorporator

### 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 Living Free Church, Inc., desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at 11444 Cypress Park Street, Tampa, Florida 33624 has named Paul R. Short whose business address is 1214 West Bearss Avenue, Tampa, Florida 33613 as its agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida.

Reverend Paul J. Hollis Corporate Officer

Dated: October 27, 2011

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.

Paul R. Short Registered Agent

Dated: October 27, 2011