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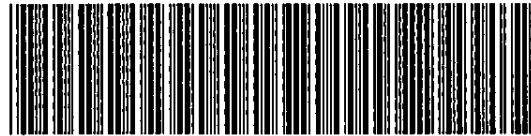
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Bridge Ministries 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 &
Certificate of
Status

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Bart Malone
Name (Printed or typed)

273 Bellagio Circle
Address

Sanford, FL 32771
City, State & Zip

(407) 599-1190
Telephone number

accounting@bridgechurches.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
In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

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ARTICLE I NAME Bridge Ministries International, Inc
The name of the corporation shall be:

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal street address
273 Bellagio Circle
Sanford, FL 32771

Mailing address, if different is:

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The Corporation is exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:

See attached documentation for Article IV - Manner of Election

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

Name and Title: <u>See attached documentation</u>	Name and Title: _____
Address: <u>for all Officer & Director Information</u>	Address: _____
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ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

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

Name: Bart Malone
Address: 273 Bellagio Circle
Sanford, FL 32771

ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: Bart Malone
Address: 273 Bellagio Circle
Sanford, FL 32771

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

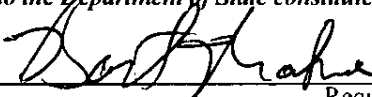


Required Signature of Registered Agent

12/08/2011

Date

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.



Required Signature of Incorporator

12/08/2011

Date

Bridge Ministries International, Inc.

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Article IV – Manner of Election

The initial directors shall be those persons elected as directors by a majority of the incorporators. The Board of Directors may elect additional directors and fill vacancies on the Board of Directors by a two-thirds vote of directors then in office. Each director shall hold office for three years or until his or her successor has been duly elected and qualified, or until he or she resigns or is removed in the manner hereinafter provided. Directors may succeed themselves in office. The Board of Directors shall establish a procedure so that, as nearly as possible, one-third of the membership of the Board of Directors is elected each year. The Board of Directors shall elect a Chairperson of the Board, from among the directors, who shall preside and be responsible for the conduct of all board of Director Meetings.

Article V – Initial Officers and/or Directors

John Paul Jackson, Founder and Chairman
Emeritus
1420 Lakeside Pkwy Suite 100
Flower Mound, TX 75028

Bart Malone, President and Chairman
The Bridge Orlando
273 Bellagio Circle
Sanford, FL 32771

Michael French, Secretary and Treasurer
The Bridge Birmingham
4445 Crescent Road
Irondale, AL 35210

Sam Biggar, Director
The Bridge Keeseville
PO Box 412
1724 Front Street
Keeseville, NY 12944

Scott Evelyn, Director
The Bridge Pinnacle Mountain
33 Baker Hill Rd
Bradford, NH 03221

Wade Hankins, Director
The Bridge Kansas City
4230 NE Park Springs Drive
Lees Summit, MO 64064

Brian Kinne, Director
273 Bellagio Circle
Sanford, FL 32771

Article VIII – Effective Date

The effective date for Bridge Ministries International, Inc. shall be January 1, 2012

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Article IX – Net Earnings of the Corporation

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Article X – Dissolution of the Corporation

Upon the 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 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.