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Division of Corporation – Corporate Fillings
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find enclosed the Article of Incorporation for Word Power Church International, Inc. along with the fees of \$87.50. Please send a certified copy and certificate of status once the Articles of Incorporation have been filed.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (305) 205-7184.

Sincerely,

Rioz J. Razzi

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### **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

For

# Word Power Church International, Inc.

Pursuant to Chapter 617.0202 of The Florida Statutes, the undersigned, acting as incorporators of a Florida Not-For-Profit Organization, submits the following Articles of Incorporation in compliance with the guidelines of the aforementioned code for recognition as an authentic Florida-Not-For Profit Corporation:

# ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

### Word Power Church International, Inc.

### ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The Principal place of business for the Corporation will be in the city of Hialeah, Dade County, Florida.

The mailing address of this Corporation shall be:

Word Power Church International, Inc.

C/o Mr. Rioz J.Razzi

17245 N.W.72<sup>nd</sup> Ct.

Hialeah, FL 33015

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### ARTICLE III - MISSION AND PURPOSE

The mission and purpose for this Corporation is to:

Conduct and perform the business of a <u>Faith – Based /Religious/Spiritual 501 (c) (3)</u> organization and to do all things and exercise all powers and execute all functions that a <u>Faith – Based /Religious /Spiritual</u> organization is authorized or empowered to do, exercise, or perform under and by virtue of the laws of <u>Florida</u> in educating and declaring "Life in agreement with God's Word" as written in the Holy Bible throughout Miami, Florida and ultimately the world.

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

The manner in which the Director/Pastor is chosen is by appointment. The Pastor will remain in this position as long as the divine call of God remains on his life. The appointment of the Pastor dually empowers him to be the President of the Corporation. The Pastor/President through the guidance of the Holy Spirit shall appoint other officers and/or directors.

### ARTICLE V - LIMITATION OF CORPORATE POWERS

The Pastor/President will be responsible for managing the affairs of the Corporation. The Pastor/President along with those whom he designates for assistance shall establish the by-laws of the Corporation. Proposed by-laws will be introduced to corporate members for ratification at periodic business meetings. The by-laws may be amended, rescinded or ratified by a majority vote of the members present at the business meeting. Subsequent amendments to the by-laws may be proposed at any time to the Pastor/President or any board member. The amendment(s) will be voted upon at the next designated business meeting and will require a 2/3<sup>rd</sup> majority vote of the members present at the meeting. Board members will either be elected by corporate members or appointed by the Pastor/President. Board members are not limited to members of the Corporation.

### AND OFFICERS ARTICLE VI - INITIAL DIRECTORS

1. The initial directors and officers of Word Power Church International, Inc.

President/Pastor: Rioz J. Razzi

17245 N.W.72<sup>nd</sup> Ct,

Hialeah, FL 33015

Vice President: Angela R.Razzi

17245 N.W. 72<sup>nd</sup> Ct.

Hialeah, FL 33015

Director/Trustee: Valn

Valmarie Rhoden

17245 N.W.72<sup>nd</sup> Ct,

Hialeah, FL 33015

Director/Trustee:

Janet R. Alford

17245 N.W.72<sup>nd</sup> Ct,

Hialeah, FL 33015

### ARTICLE VI - INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS- Continued

These people will serve on the Board of Directors and act as fiduciary executives for the Corporation. As the membership increases additional individual may become a part of the Board of Directors as the governing body of the church.

- 2. Any person who has been spiritually "born again", through faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, is qualified to become a member of this organization. Provided they show genuine evidence of godly character. Person shall be accepted in any of the following ways:
  - (a) Baptism into the Body and/or Christian experience and/or letter of previous church membership.
  - (b) Any person who has been received as a member of this Christian body has the right and the privilege to participate in all activities and voting rights that pertains to the members.
  - (c) Participation in a lifestyle contrary to the principles of God as stated in the Bible, God's Holy Word, is reason for dismissal or expulsion from this body until such time as the disobedient life has been reconciled to the perfect will of God and thereby restored to the sweet fellowship.
  - (d) Members shall be free to transfer or relinquish their membership at their discretion.

Notwithstanding any provisions of these articles, this Corporation shall not engage in activities that cannot be conducted by:

- (1) A Corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or any corresponding provision of future United States Internal Revenue Law or
- (2) A Corporation whose contributions are deductible under section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or any other corresponding provision of future United States Internal Revenue Law.
- 3. There will be no limitations created because of divisions established by classes of people. All shall be equal in rank as established by the oracle Word of God. All members shall be obligated, first to God, then to fellow members, to walk circumspectly in the world. All members will walk worthy of the vocation of the calling to be sons and daughters of the most High God, separating them from involvement in the lust of the world.

### ARTICLE VI - INITIAL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS - Continued

- 4. The initial incorporators of Word Power Church International, Inc. are:
  - a) Rioz J. Razzi
  - b) Angela R. Razzi
  - C) Valmarie Rhoden
  - d) Janet R. Alford
- 5. The Corporation, while maintaining its inherited rights to sovereignty in the conduct of its own affairs, may voluntarily enter into spiritual fellowship with churches of like faith.
- In order to insure the discipline of order, the Corporation shall establish a constitution and by-laws.

### **ARTICLE VII – INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS**

The registered agent and address for Word Power Church International, Inc.

Rioz J. Razzi President/Pastor

17245 N.W. 72<sup>nd</sup> Ct

Hialeah, FL 33015

### **ARTICLE VIII - DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATION**

Upon the dissolution of the corporation assets shall be distributed to Eagle Mountain International Church located at 14355 Morris Dido Road, Newark, TX 76071. However, if the named recipient is not in existence and is either unwilling to accept the distribution, or is no longer a qualified distributee, then the assets of this corporation shall be distributed to a fund, foundation or Corporation that operates exclusively for the purposes specified in Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or corresponding of any future Federal tax code).

### ARTICLE IX - NO DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS

The Corporation is not organized for pecuniary profit. The Corporation shall not have any power to issue certificates of stock or declare dividends, and no part of its net earnings shall insure to the benefit of any director, or individual, The balance, if any, of all monies received by the Corporation from its operations, alter the payment in fill of all debts and obligations of the Corporation, of whatever kind of nature, shall be issued and distributed exclusively for religious purposes.

### <u>ARTICLE X - PROHIBITION AGAINST POLITICAL ACTIVITIES</u>

No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be devoted either to the promulgation of propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation; and shall not participate or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) political campaigns on behalf of any candidate for political office.

## ARTICLE XI - CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY

Any director, officer, or key employee who has an interest in a contract or other transaction presented to the Board or a committee thereof for authorization, approval, or ratification shall make a prompt and full disclosure of his interest to the Board or committee prior to acting upon such contract or transaction. Such disclosures shall include any relevant and material facts known to such person about the contract or transaction, which might reasonably be construed to be adverse to the conflict of interest.

The body to which such disclosure is made shall thereupon determine, by vote of seventy five percent (75%) of the voters entitles to vote, whether the disclosure shows that a conflict of interest exists or can reasonably be construed to exist. If a conflict exists, such person may not participate (other than to present factual information or respond to questions), vote or use his personal influence during the discussion or deliberations pertaining to the contract or transaction. Such person may be counted in determining whether a quorum is present but may not be counted when the Board of Directors or a committee of the Board takes action on the transaction. The minutes of the meeting shall reflect the disclosure made, the vote thereon, the abstention from voting and participation, and whether a quorum was present.

### **ARTICLE XII - INCORPORATORS**

The names and addresses of the Incorporators for these articles of incorporation are as follows:

Rioz J. Razzi 17245 N.W.72<sup>nd</sup> Ct Hialeah, FL 33015 Angela R.Razzi 17245 N.W.72<sup>nd</sup> Ct Hialeah, FL 33015

Valmarie Rhoden 17245 N.W.72nd Ct Hialeah, FL 33015 Janet R. Alford 17245 N.W.72nd Ct Hialeah, FL 33015

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.

Signature Registered Agent/Incorporator

Signature /incorporator

Signature / Incorporator

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31 day of Mully, 2012 by Rioz J & Angela R. Razzi / Valimarie

Rhoden and Janet R. Alford.

Notary Public State of Florida Myriam Ortiz My Commission DD 1000422 Expires 08/15/2014