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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Department of State
Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: *Shepherd of God Christian Academy, Corp.*
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for

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☒ \$78.75
Filing Fee
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☐ \$87.50
Filing Fee
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\$ Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: *Ms. Annie Bethel-Ford*
Name (printed or typed)

11230 SW 138th Terrace
Address

South Miami, Florida 33176
City, State, Zip

Telephone: *(786) 234-8238*



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

May 10, 2012

ANNIE BETHEL-FORD
111230 SW 138TH TERRACE
SOUTH MIAMI, FL 33176

SUBJECT: SHEPHERD OF GOD CHRISTIAN ACADEMY, CORP.
Ref. Number: W12000026094

We have received your document for SHEPHERD OF GOD CHRISTIAN ACADEMY, CORP. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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Please select a new name and make the correction in all appropriate places. One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

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Please return the corrected original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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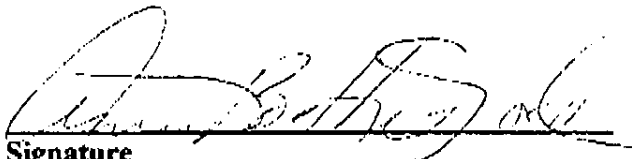
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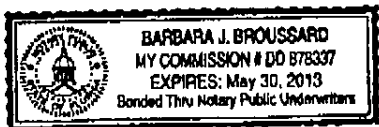
COMES NOW, Annie Bethel-Ford to state factually that she is one in the same person to have filed two separate documents as charter with the State of Florida. One of them being **Shepherd of God Christian Academy, LLC** first filed in the Division of Corporations on 03/16/2012 with the Document # L12000037419. The second filing is Document # W12000026094 known as **Shepherd of God Christian Academy, Corp.** on 05/09/2012. That the names and addresses recorded are noted as the same as well as its Principal Officer, Annie Bethel-Ford.


Signature

State of Florida)
 :
County of Dade)

Before me the undersigned authority personally appeared: Annie Bethel-Ford who is to me well known to be the person(s) described in and who subscribes the foregoing Affidavit and he did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to law that he made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and affixed my official seal in the State and County aforesaid this 15th day of July, 2012.



(Official Seal)


Notary Public, State of Florida-At-Large

Articles of Incorporation of

Shepherd of God Christian Academy, Corp.

The undersigned subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation, desiring to form a Not-For-Profit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, do hereby accept all of the rights and privileges, benefits and obligations conferred and imposed by said laws and hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation as the Charter of the Corporation hereby organized.

Article I. Corporate Name

The name(s) of this Corporation shall be:

Shepherd of God Christian Academy, Corp.

Principle Address: 11230 SW 138th Terrace
South Miami, Florida 33176

Article II. Terms of Existence

This corporation shall have perpetual existence

Article III. Purposes and Powers

Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, health, and educational, religious or scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code To present a set of programs, projects, services, seminars, lectures pertaining to early childhood education and welfare. To provide early childhood education in preparation for elementary education and beyond. To instill the necessary skills for the learning experience. To prepare each child for the challenges of a technological world by teaching them the basic skills. Imparting learning experiences in every thing that they do within the course of a day at school. To expose the youngsters to a multiple of indoor and outdoor activities, cultural enrichment, sports enrichment, field trips and other activities. To provide quality education for children of low to moderate income status.

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall insure to the benefit of, or be distributed to its members, trustees, directors, officers and other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distribution in furtherance of Section 501(c)(3) purposes. 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 the 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 corresponding section of any future Federal tax code.)

Upon dissolution of this corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes with the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or 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.

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Article IV. Capital Stock

There will be no capital stock in this corporation.

Article V. Initial Capital

The amount of capital with which this corporation may be in business shall not be less than **One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)**.

Article VI. Directors

This corporation shall have one Executive Director initially and five other respective Directors who were elected through parliamentary procedure. The number of directors may be increased or diminished from time to time by the Bylaws of the Corporation.

The name and mailing address of the initial director who shall hold office until his successor or successors are elected and have qualified is as follows:

*Annie Bethel-Ford, Executive Director
11230 SW 138th Terrace
South Miami, Florida 33176*

Article VII. Officers

The names, addresses and offices of the Officers who will serve until the first election or appointment under these Articles of Incorporation are:

| <i>Name</i> | <i>Street Address</i> | <i>Office</i> |
|------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| <i>Ms. Annie Bethel-Ford</i> | <i>11230 SW 138th Terrace, So. Miami, Fl</i> | <i>Executive Director</i> |
| <i>Ms. Sandy Thomas</i> | <i>11230 SW 138th Terrace, So. Miami, Fl</i> | <i>Director</i> |
| <i>Mr. Eric Thomas, Jr.</i> | <i>11230 SW 138th Terrace, So. Miami, Fl</i> | <i>Deputy Director</i> |
| <i>Mr. Issiah Thomas</i> | <i>11230 SW 138th Terrace, So. Miami, Fl</i> | <i>2nd Deputy Director</i> |
| <i>Ms. Wendy Mays</i> | <i>11230 SW 138th Terrace, So. Miami, Fl</i> | <i>Secretary Director</i> |
| <i>Ms. Tasha Gates</i> | <i>11230 SW 138th Terrace, So. Miami, Fl</i> | <i>Treasurer Director</i> |

Article VIII. Registered Agent and Registered Office

The Corporation's Registered Agent for services in the state of Florida shall be:

Ms. Annie Bethel-Ford, Executive Director

The address of the registered office of this corporation shall be:

*Annie Bethel-Ford, Executive Director
11230 SW 138th Terrace
South Miami, Florida 33176*

Article IX. Amendments

This Corporation reserves the rights to amend, alter, modify, or repeal any provision or provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, any amendment hereto in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by the Statutes of the State of Florida, and any rights and powers conferred upon the Directors and Board of Advisors herein are granted subject to this reservation.

Article X. Incorporator

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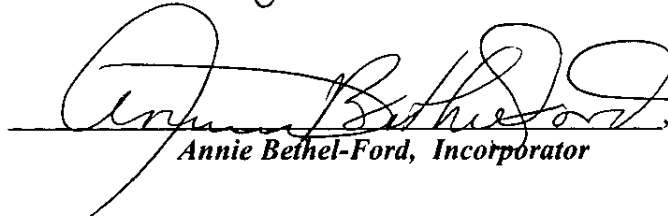
The name and mailing address of the Incorporator is as follows:

***Annie Bethel-Ford, Executive Director
11230 SW 138th Terrace
South Miami, Florida 33176***

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above named Incorporator, Director, Registered Agent has hereunder subscribed his name, this 07 day of May, 2012.

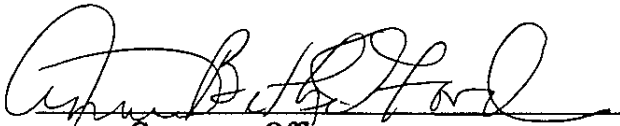

_____, Signed
Annie Bethel-Ford, Incorporator

Certificate of Designation Registered Agent/Registered Office

PURSUANT to the provisions of Section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered office/registered agent, in the state of Florida:

1. The name of the Corporation is:
Shepherd of God Christian Academy, Corp.
2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:
Annie Bethel-Ford, Executive Director
11230 SW 138th Terrace
South Miami, Florida 33176

Signature:


Corporate Officer

Title:

Executive Director

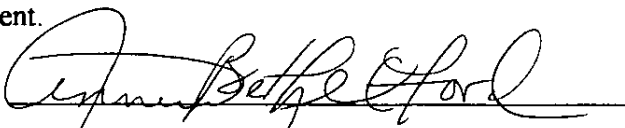
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Having been named as Registered Agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate. I hereby accept the appointment as Registered Agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my positions as Registered Agent.

Signature:



Dated:

05/07/2012