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#### **COVER LETTER**

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

SUBJECT: Gianna	Molla Pregnancy C	enter, Inc. ENAME- <u>MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX</u> )		
	(PROPOSED CORPORATE	NAME – <u>MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX</u> )		
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 & Certificate  **ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**		
FROM:	Jan G. Halisky, P			
Name (Printed or typed)				
507 South Prospect Avenue Address				
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freedomlady222@yahoo.com

Clearwater, FL

727/461-4234

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

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September 24, A.D. 2012

Secretary of State Division of Corporations Clifton Building 2661 Executive Center Circle Tallahassee, FL 32301

Re: Gianna Molla Pregnancy Center, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find Articles of Incorporation for Gianna Molla Pregnancy Center, Inc., for filing, together with a check in the amount of \$78.75 for the filing fee and certified copy. The certified copy may be mailed to my attention.

Should there be any questions, please contact me. Thank you very much.

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J. G. Halisky

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF GIANNA MOLLA PREGNANCY CENTER, INC.

I, the undersigned incorporator, desiring to form a non-profit corporation for charitable purposes under the provisions of Chapter 617 Florida Statutes, do hereby execute and adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### **ARTICLE I - NAME**

The name of this corporation is Gianna Molla Pregnancy Center, Inc.

#### **ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The address of the principal office of the corporation is 1201 7th Avenue South, St.

Petersburg, FL, 33705.

#### **ARTICLE III - DURATION**

The term of existence of the corporation is perpetual.

#### **ARTICLE IV - PURPOSES**

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational 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, and is not formed for any pecuniary profit or financial gain. In particular the corporation will operate a crisis pregnancy center which will (a) encourage distraught pregnant women to bear their babies, and provide help in finding the financial and medical assistance to do so; (b) offer counseling, aid, guidance, and a sympathetic ear to distressed pregnant women and, where necessary, refer them to existing agencies or professionals for help; (c) help such women to find temporary or permanent employment; (d) provide adoption assistance or

guidance if the pregnant woman chooses to place her child for adoption, or, if the woman wishes to keep her child, to provide baby clothes, baby foods, and other forms of material assistance, in addition to that available from welfare agencies; (e) educate the clients of the center on responsible living and on the moral dimension of human sexuality. The corporation is also authorized to perform any lawful act or activity for which corporations not-for-profit may be formed under the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act.

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#### **ARTICLE V - DIRECTORS**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be as stated in the bylaws of the corporation. The number of directors shall not be less than three. The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as initial directors until the first annual meeting of the corporation, or until their successors are elected, are:

Address
4339 6th Street South
St. Petersburg, FL 33705
11983 106th Court
Largo, FL 33778
150 62nd Avenue North
St. Petersburg, FL 33702
311 112th Avenue Northeast
St. Petersburg, FL 33716
226 7th Avenue North, Apt. 2
St. Petersburg, FL 33701

#### **ARTICLE VI - OFFICERS**

The affairs of the corporation are to be managed by a President, one or more Vice-

Presidents, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. Such officers will be elected in accordance with procedures set out in the bylaws. The names of the persons who are to serve as officers of the corporation until the first meeting of the Board of Directors, or until their successors are elected, are as follows:

President:

Sharon Russ

Vice-President:

Robert King, M.Div., Th.M.

Secretary:

Ray Kerker

Treasurer:

Richard Carlson

#### **ARTICLE VII- MEMBERS**

The membership of this corporation shall be the directors named herein, and all those in the future who may take their place as successor or additional directors.

#### **ARTICLE VIII - BYLAWS**

The bylaws of the corporation are to be made, altered, or rescinded by the directors of the corporation.

#### **ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES**

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended by a majority vote of the Board of Directors of this corporation.

#### **ARTICLE X - INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the subscriber of these Articles of Incorporation are:

Sharon Russ 4339 6th Street South St. Petersburg, FL 33705 

#### **ARTICLE XI - POWERS**

The corporation shall be empowered to perform all acts allowed by the laws of the State of Florida to a corporation not-for-profit under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

#### **ARTICLE XII - LIMITATION OF PURPOSES AND ACTIVITIES**

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this corporation will not have any purposes nor carry on any 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. 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 IV 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.

#### **ARTICLE XIII - DISSOLUTION**

In the event of the dissolution of the corporation, its 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.

#### **ARTICLE XIV - REGISTERED AGENT**

The registered agent of this corporation will be:

Jan G. Halisky, Attorney-at-Law 507 South Prospect Avenue Clearwater, FL 33756

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the undersigned subscribing incorporator, have hereunto set my hand and seal this 22 nd day of September, A.D. 2012, for the purpose of forming this corporation not-for-profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

Sharon Russ

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the abovestated 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.

Date: Systemore 24, 201