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SUBJECT: Vine Congregation of Jchovah witness
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NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.



October 8, 2013

SANTOS RODRIGUEZ 807 W. MAGNOLIA STREET KISSIMMEE, FL 34741

SUBJECT: VINE SPANISH CONGREGATION OF JEHOVA WITNESS

Ref. Number: W13000055879

We have received your document for VINE SPANISH CONGREGATION OF JEHOVA WITNESS and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name must contain a word that will clearly indicate that it is a corporation. This word may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

The purpose contained in your articles of incorporation should be more specific. Please correct your articles to reflect the specific purpose for which the non profit corporation is being organized.

The title(s) in the officer/director field(s) is/are not acceptable. Please refer to the following link for acceptable officer/director titleinformation. http://www.sunbiz.org/titledef.html.

If your business entity does not intend to transact business until January 1st of the upcoming calendar year, you may wish to revise your document to include an effective date of January 1st. If you do not list an effective date of January 1st, your business entity will become effective this calendar year and it will be required to file an annual report and pay the required annual report fee for the upcoming calendar year this coming January, which is merely weeks away. By listing an effective date of January 1st, the entity's existence will not begin until January 1st of the upcoming year and will, therefore, postpone the entity's requirement to file an annual report and pay the required annual report filing fee until the following calendar year.

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.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6052.

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October 20, 2013

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

Subject: Vine Spanish Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, Inc.

Ref. Number: W13000055879

Please find the Corrected Not for Profit Corporation Articles of Incorporation for Vine Spanish Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, Inc. along with the original Articles that were mailed October 3, 2013.

Thank you,

Santos R Rodriguez

Incorporator and Registered Agent

State of Florida Not for Profit Corporation Articles of Incorporation for Vine Spanish Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, Inc.

Executed by the undersigned for the purpose of forming a not for profit corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act.

ARTICLE I

The name of this Corporation is VINE SPANISH CONGREGATION OF **JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, INC**. The principal place of business is <u>3419 West Vine Street, Kissimmee. Florida</u>, <u>34741</u> and mailing address of the corporation is <u>3507 Stonefield Parkway</u>, <u>Kissimmee</u>, <u>Florida</u>, <u>34741</u>.

ARTICLE II

The duration of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III

The purposes for which the Corporation is formed are religious and specifically to provide and maintain a proper place of worship for the benefit of Jehovah's Witnesses in and around the State of Florida and those who desire to attend such worship conducted by Jehovah's Witnesses in order to learn the truths of the faith and beliefs of Jehovah's Witnesses, which are based upon the Bible, the written word of Almighty God, Jehovah; and to acquire by gift, legacy, bequest, purchase, or lease; hold and manage; and/or mortgage, sell, convey, or otherwise dispose of real estate and personal property in any lawful manner that may seem proper and best to provide and maintain such place of worship.

ARTICLE IV

The Corporation shall have members. The number of members, members' qualifications, and other matters pertaining to members shall be as provided in the bylaws.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed: A.5 provided

for in the bylaws.

ARTICLE V

The property of this Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes, and no part of the net earnings or assets of this Corporation shall inure to the benefit of a director, officer, or member of the Corporation or any private individual. No substantial part of the activities or this Corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, nor shall this Corporation participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements), any political campaign on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for public office. This Corporation is organized exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code Section 501 (c)(3). Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States tax code) or by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States tax code).

ARTICLE VI

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any member, trustee, director, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual having a personal and private interest in the Corporation (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation), and no member, trustee, officer of the Corporation, or any private individual shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation. The property of this Corporation is irrevocable dedicated to religious purposes.

ARTICLE VII

Upon the winding up and dissolution of this Corporation, after paying or adequately providing for debts and obligations of the Corporation, the remaining assets shall be distributed to Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York, Inc. No assets will be deemed to be received by Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York, Inc., until such acceptance is evidenced in writing. If Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York, Inc., is not then in existence and exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States tax code), then said assets shall be distributed to any organization designated by the ecclesiastical Governing Body of Jehovah's Witnesses

that is organized and operated for religious purposes and is a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding section of any future United States tax code).

ARTICLE VIII

The street address of the initial registered office of the Corporation shall be <u>807</u> West Magnolia Street, Kissimmee, Florida, <u>34741</u> and the name of the initial registered agent of the Corporation at that address is SANTOS R. RODRIGUEZ.

ARTICLE IX

The number of Directors shall be four (4). The names and addresses of the DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, and SUBSCRIBERS are:

Title: President Abisai D. Morales 3507 Stonefield Parkway Kissimmee, Florida 34741

Title: Vice President Santos R. Rodriguez 807 West Magnolia Street Kissimmee, Florida 34741

Title: Secretary
Juan Moreno
1545 Caloosa Street
Intercession City, Florida 33848

Title: Treasurer Jerry Castaneda 4915 Sausalito Lane Kissimmee, Florida 34746

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

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.

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