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COVER LETTER

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

SUBJECT: Global Evangelism Initiative, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Jean Ronald Benoit
Name (Printed or typed)

100 NE 211th Street

Address

Miami, FL 33179

City, State & Zip

(786) 693-3953

Daytime Telephone number

jrbenoit11@yahoo.com

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

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

ARICLES OF INCORPORATION



- 1. The name of the Corporation is "Global Evangelism Initiative, Inc." which is located at 100 NE 211th Street Miami, FL 33179.
- 2. Global Evangelism Initiative, Inc. is a Religious Corporation and therefore a not for profit corporation as determined in chapter 617 of the 2013 Florida Statutes.
- 3. The purposes of the corporation's formation is to:
 - a. Strive to be excellent in the field of evangelization of the lost souls;
 - b. Share the Gospel everywhere and with all;
 - c. Engage in educational campaigns to facilitate a better understanding of the Holy Scriptures and the world;
 - d. Constantly teach with correctness the word of God in order to solidify Christian churches and urge Evangelical Christians to maintain the flame of salvation;
 - e. Provide assistance to the needy in the form of food assistance, meals, clothes, coupons, gift certificates and school supplies to enable them to meet their basic needs and live in dignity;
 - f. Establish a tutoring program where elementary and middle school kids will get assistance in Reading, Math and Writing;
 - g. Establish recreational, artistic, literary and cultural activities in the form of movies, theatre, musical concert, poem, poetry, choreography, book lecture, exposition of paintings and books for mental equilibrium to prevent crime, family destabilization, juvenile delinquency, teen and domestic violence;
 - h. Make public awareness campaigns to inform the public about federal and state statutes as well as all available programs they can benefit from, what can affect them and what's really going on in their communities to be a full integral part in the US society;
 - Own a location with enough space for evangelical TV and Radio shows studio recording, computer lab, cafeteria, canteen, biblical conference and movie theatre settings as well as a large biblical library place open to the Christian community and the general public;
 - j. Establish branches of the corporation in other states of the United States and in foreign countries;
 - k. Train evangelization leaders to make them able to prepare other evangelization leaders in their areas who will engage in the ministry of evangelization;
 - I. Make evangelical campaigns everywhere to announce the Good News to nonbelievers;
 - m. Spread and teach the word of God through mass media such as radio, television, internet as well as churches, healthcare facilities, detention centers and mass gatherings in order to strengthen Christian assemblies and proclaim the good news to nonbelievers and those who teach the gospel doctrine with errors;
 - n. Defend the Christian faith through mass media against all views contrary to the Holy Scriptures and alert or keep Christian communities posted on important religious news and events;

- o. Work with Evangelical missions and Christian churches sharing our declaration of faith to provide places of worship for new believers as a result of our evangelical campaigns where they do not exist;
- p. Establish social programs to assist new believers, Christians as well as nonbelievers to help them fulfill some of their basic needs;
- q. Organize evangelical missions in the United States and in foreign countries;
- r. Organize biblical conferences locally and internationally;
- s. Promote religious tolerance and harmony among all;
- t. Encourage high ethical and moral standards in men and women of all ages;
- u. Promote peace for a society free of violence;
- v. Minister to fulfill the spiritual, emotional, and social needs of the community;
- w. Lease and possess lands and buildings for religious, educational, social and recreational activities;
- x. Solicit grants, funds, donations and gifts privately and publicly to advance the agenda of the corporation;
- y. Accept grants, funds, donations and gifts of all forms conformed to the law for the benefit of the corporation;
- z. Exercise all the powers given by the law to religious corporations;
- aa. Perform all acts and enjoy all privileges religious corporations benefit.
- 4. "Global Evangelism Initiative, Inc." is a religious corporation and therefore a not for profit corporation as determined in chapter 617 of the 2013 Florida Statutes. The number of Board of Directors/Trustees is three.
- 5. The names and addresses of the Board of Directors/Trustees are:
 - a. Jean Ronald Benoit, 100 NE 211th Street, Miami FL, 33179
 - b. Vontz Benoit, 395 Maple Street Apt C10, Brooklyn, NY, 11225
 - c. Garry Pierre, 7611 SW 8th Court, North Lauderdale, FL 33068

6.

- a. The corporation will abide by the Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Therefore, it will not perform any activities prohibited by an organization exempt from Federal Income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or corresponding provisions of any subsequent tax
- b. No portion of the financial net earnings of the corporation will be used for the benefit of any member, trustee, director, officer of the corporation, or any private individual. However, rational compensation may be paid for services rendered on behalf of the corporation. In the event of the dissolution of the corporation, it will not be allowed to any member, trustee or officer of the corporation or any private individual to profit by distribution of any of the corporation's assets.
- c. The corporation is nonprofit and apolitical. Consequently, it will refrain from doing propaganda, involving in political campaigns, influencing political decisions or elections and attempting to get political clout of any sort. The only exception is in reference of the Section 501(h) of the Code.
- d. In the event of dissolution, the remaining assets and property of the corporation shall after payment of necessary expenses and satisfaction of all liabilities revert evenly to Gospel Tract Society, Inc. and Compassion

International, Inc. (which are two organizations exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code), or to one or more organizations described in Sections 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding sections of any prior or future Internal Revenue Code.

- e. The corporation shall dispense its income for any taxable year in which it operates as a private foundation as described in Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and not to subject it to tax under Section 4942. In addition, the corporation shall not (a) engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d); (b) retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943; (c) make any investments in such a manner as to subject the corporation to tax under Section 4944; or (d) make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent tax law.
- 7. The name and address of the Registered Agent are:

Jean Ronald Benoit, 100 NE 211th Street, Miami FL, 33179

- 8. The names and addresses of the Incorporators are:
 - a. Jean Ronald Benoit, 100 NE 211th Street, Miami FL, 33179
 - b. Vontz Benoit, 395 Maple Street Apt C10, Brooklyn, NY, 11225
 - c. Garry Pierre, 7611 SW 8th Court, North Lauderdale, FL 33068
- 9. The effective date of creation of this corporation is December 15, 2013

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

Te Rouled Signature of Registered Agent

12/05/13

Date

We submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. We are 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 Incorporators:

Jean Ronald Benoit, 100 NE 211th Street, Miami FL, 33179

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Vontz Benoit, 395 Maple Street Apt C10, Brooklyn, NY, 11225

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