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# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

September 7, 2016

JEAN-MICHEL DURAND 13327 S.W. 46TH LN. MIAMI, FL 33175

SUBJECT: VICTORY IN THE WILDERNESS MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

Ref. Number: W16000061206

We have received your document for VICTORY IN THE WILDERNESS MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. 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 name of the entity must be identical throughout the document.

You must list at least one incorporator with a complete business street address.

Section 607.0120(6)(b), or 617.0120(6)(b), Florida Statutes, requires that articles of incorporation be executed by an incorporator.

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.

Thomas Chang Regulatory Specialist II New Filing Section

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# **COVER LETTER**

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

\$70.00 \$\sum\_{878.75}\$ \$\sum\_{\$87.50}\$\$

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ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

ASTOR: JEAN-MICHEL DURAND
Name (Printed or typed)

13327 SW 46 LAWE

Address

MIAMI FL 33175

(City, State & Zip)

561-358-2065

Daytime Telephone number

URYEVERBLESSEDONE 777 Q YAHOO, CON E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF VICTORY IN THE WILDERNESS MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned incorporators all being of full age, have associated themselves together for the purpose of forming a Corporation not for profit, without capital stock, under the provisions of Chapters 617, Florida Statutes and do hereby accept all of the rights, privilege, benefits and obligations confirmed and imposed by such law, and we do hereby make, subscribe, acknowledge and file these Articles of Incorporation.

# **ARTICLE I- NAME**

The name of this Corporation shall be Victory in the Wilderness Ministries International, Inc.

# **ARTICLE II - Principle Place of Business and Mailing Address**

The principle office address and mailing address of the Corporation shall be 13227 SW 46th Lane, Miami, Florida 33175.

# **ARTICLE III - Purpose(s)**

- (a) The purpose of which this corporation is organized is youth ministries, Christian worship, administering to the needs of the members of the community spiritually, physically and mentally and contributing to the support of both foreign and home missions, etc.
- (b) The general nature and purpose of this Corporation shall be exclusively for religious, literacy and education and purposes within the meaning of section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (c) This Corporation shall have and exercise all powers conferred upon for not profit corporations under the laws of the State of Florida generally, and specifically as provided in Section 617.021 of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, provided however, that this corporation has no power to engage in any activity that is itself is not in furtherance of its purpose as set forth in subparagraphs (a) of this Article III.
- (d) This Corporation shall generally possess all of the power, rights, privileges capacities and immunities which non-profit corporation are authorized, and may hereafter be authorized according to the law of the State of Florida, to borrow money, collect, to sue, be sued, to receive, take hold lease purchase improve sell mortgage or otherwise dispose of personal, real or mixed property in any such manner permitted by law to the end that the purposed herein set out may be properly accomplished, and to receive by donation or otherwise sums of money, good or real property which any person, firm or corporation should see fit to donate to this Corporation.

# **ARTICLE IV - Duration**

This Corporation is to have perpetual duration. However, shall this Corporation for any reason be dissolved, then in that event the assets of the Corporation may only be used for charitable and education purposes within the meaning of Section5019c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of the United States of America.

# **ARTICLE V - Management of Corporate Affairs**

Section 1, The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by the Board of Directors, which may also be referred to as Council or other designation. The Board of Directors shall consist of not less than three (3) and not more than seven (7) Directors can be elected or removed at the annual quarterly meeting of the members which shall be three months from the date of these Articles of Incorporation and in accordance with procedure provided by the By-Laws.

Section 2. The Officers of the Corporation shall be President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. These officers shall be elected every year and shall hold office in a manner provided by the By-Law of the Corporation.

Section 3. The names(s) and street address of the initial Board of Directors who shall hold office for the first year, or until successors are chosen, shall be:

Jean-Michel Durand 13227 SW 46th Lane, Miami, Florida 33175

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# **ARTICE VII**

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## **ARTICLES VIII**

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# **ARTICLES IX- Dedication of Assets**

- a. Said organization is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, 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 corresponding section of any future tax code.
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#### CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

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Pursuant to the provisions of section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida submits the statement in designating the registered office/registered agent in the state of Florida.

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNAED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AS AGREED TO ACTG IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO

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Jean Michel DrmD 9/26/2016

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Date:

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