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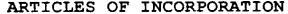
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# **COVER LETTER**

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

<sub>SUBJECT:</sub> OPEF	RATION MARY	MINISTRIES, IN	1C.
	(PROPOSED CORPOR	RATE NAME – <u>MUST INCL</u>	<u>UDE SUFFIX</u> )
Enclosed is an original a	\$78.75  \$78.75  Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy  ADDITIONAL C	\$87.50 Filing Fee.
FROM:	REBECCA GRI	TTON (Printed or typed)	_
1653 S.E. TRUMPET LANE			
PORT SAINT LUCIE, FL 34983  City. State & Zip			
1772 - 3 42 - 3 7 4 9  Daytime Telephone number			

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In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (not for profit)

### ARTICLE I

The name of the Corporation is:

OPERATION MARY MINISTRIES, INC.

### ARTICLE II

The corporation principal office location will be: 1653 S.E. Trumpet Lane, Port Saint Lucie, Saint Lucie County, Florida 34983

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### ARTICLE III

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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 federal tax code.

### ARTICLE IV

The purposes for which the corporation is formed is:

- a. To provide orphaned children, mentally and/or physically handicapped children, who are housed in institutions and/or orphanages, with team members who will hold, comfort, rock, feed, hug, and play with the children.
- b. To provide funds to purchase medicines and other supplies needed by these children. To give the children gifts.
- c. To share the story of Jesus, to sing and laugh with the children thereby showing the children the love of Jesus.
- d. To do any and all lawful things for all objectives which are religious, charitable, scientific, literary or educational, for the betterment of these children.

## ARTICLE V

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(c) of the Internal Revenue Code, or to the Federal, State or Local government for exclusive public purpose.

### ARTICLE VI

The names and places of residence of the persons who shall serve as initial officers until the first annual meeting are:

President:

REBECCA GRITTON

1653 S.E. Trumpet Lane

Port Saint Lucie, Florida 34983

Treasurer:

JOSEPH H. ROBERTS

10800 S.W. 57th Place

Davie, Florida 33328

Secretary:

REBECCA GRITTON

1653 S.E. Trumpet Lane

Port Saint Lucie, Florida 34983

### ARTICLE VII

The registered agent of this corporation is REBECCA GRITTON, whose address is 1653 S.E. Trumpet Lane, Port Saint Lucie, Florida 34983

### ARTICLE VIII

The incorporator of this corporations is REBECCA GRITTON, whose address is 1653 S.E. Trumpet Lane, Port Saint Lucie, Florida 34983

### ARTICLE IX

The effective date of this corporation shall be the date of filing.

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

REBECCA GRITTON, REGISTERED AGENT DATE

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I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated the herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third of degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

REBECCA GRITTON, INCORPORATOR

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