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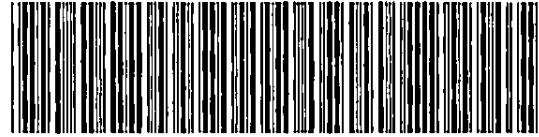
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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Encouraging Hearts Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

☐ \$70.00
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☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Angela Sampson

Name (Printed or typed)

2567 West 28th Street

Address

Jacksonville, Florida 32209

City, State & Zip

(904) 536-6592

Daytime Telephone number

angela_sampson@att.net

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

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

The undersigned, a majority of whom are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation Law of State of Florida, do hereby certify:

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Encouraging Hearts, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principle street address and mailing address, if different is:

2567 West 28th Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32209, USA

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The purpose of the corporation called Encouraging Hearts Inc. 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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The corporation is further formed a religious organization for community outreach to: empower, inspire and cultivate teachings to stand on one's faith to foster a sense of purpose and self-worth and help the needy in society. In addition, through Community Outreach, public gatherings, seminars, conduct church service and offer support to families in need of help.

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 purpose set forth in Article Third 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a

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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 the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, 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 IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner of in which the directors are elected and appointed:

The Directors shall be elected by a majority vote of the Members of this corporation.

ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICIERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

The names and addresses of the persons who are the initial trustees of the corporation are as follows:

Angela Sampson, Director	2567 West 28 th Street Jacksonville, Florida 32209
Renee Leonard, Program Coordinator	3091 Ribault Scenic Drive Jacksonville, Florida 32208
Lorna Pressley, Program Coordinator Asst	15722 Twin Creek Drive Jacksonville, Florida 32218

ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

The **name and Florida street address** (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Name: Angela Sampson
Address: 2567 West 28th Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32209

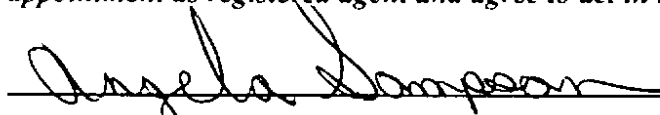
ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The **name and address** of the Incorporator is:

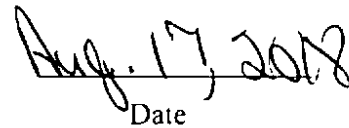
Name: Angela Sampson

Address: 2567 West 28th Street
Jacksonville, Florida 32209

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



Required Signature of Registered Agent

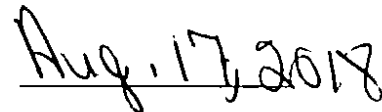


Date

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am 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 Incorporator



Date