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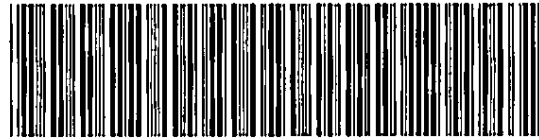
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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** HOPE HOUSE MINISTRIES FLORIDA, 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 &  
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☐ \$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50  
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**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

FROM: SERGIO SOUZA  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Printed or typed)

6735 CONROY RD # 319  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

ORLANDO, FL 32835  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State & Zip

321-310-2415  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Telephone number

J3161SERVICESFL@GMAIL.COM  
\_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

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Responded  
4/28/2021*

April 21, 2021

SERGIO SOUZA  
6735 CONROY RD #319  
ORLANDO, FL 32835

SUBJECT: HOPE MINISTRIES FLORIDA, INC.  
Ref. Number: W21000054573

We have received your document for HOPE MINISTRIES FLORIDA, INC. 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 document must contain written acceptance by the registered agent, (i.e. "I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for said corporation/limited liability company"); and the registered agent's signature.

The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

Pursuant to section 605.0207, F.S., the effective date must be specific, cannot be more than five business days prior to the date of filing or more than 90 days after the date of filing. Our office received your document on . Please amend your document accordingly.

Please return 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.

Tim Burch  
Senior Section Administrator

Letter Number: 721A00008270

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

May 11, 2021

SERGIO SOUZA  
6735 CONROY RD #319  
ORLANDO, FL 32835

SUBJECT: HOPE HOUSE MINISTRIES FLORIDA, INC.  
Ref. Number: W21000064557

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We have received your document for HOPE HOUSE MINISTRIES FLORIDA, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Please accept our apology for failing to mention this in our previous letter.

The effective date is not acceptable since it is not within five working days of the date of receipt.

Please return 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.

Tim Burch  
Senior Section Administrator

Letter Number: 221A00009836

*We are sending the  
entire Articles, in case  
that was needed.*

*Regards.*

# NONPROFIT CORPORATION ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

## ARTICLE 1

### Name

The name of the corporation is HOPE HOUSE MINISTRIES FLORIDA, INC. (the "Corporation"), a Florida Corporation, located in Orlando, Orange County, Florida.

## ARTICLE 2

### Existence

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

## ARTICLE 3

### Effective Date

The effective date of incorporation shall be May 20, 2021.

## ARTICLE 4

### Membership

The corporation will have no members.

## ARTICLE 5

### Organization

The corporation is organized as A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION

## ARTICLE 6

### Registered Agent and Office

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

J316 SERVICES LLC  
7204 ALSTON CT - ORLANDO, FL 32835  
The name of the initial registered agent is:  
J316 SERVICES, LLC

## ARTICLE 7

### Principal Office

The corporation has a principal office. The street address of the principal office is:

1824 Torrey Pines Ct  
Orlando, FL. 32826  
ORANGE COUNTY

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## ARTICLE 8

### **Mailing Address**

1824 Torrey Pines Ct  
Orlando, FL. 32826  
ORANGE COUNTY

## ARTICLE 9

### **Officers**

The Corporation shall be managed by the Board in conjunction with its officers pursuant to the Bylaws. The officers of the Corporation shall consist of Board members and shall include a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, and directors as prescribed by the Bylaws. The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed shall be at the Corporation's annual meeting. Such other positions may be designated pursuant to Board approval as prescribed by procedures in the Bylaws.

The Corporation's initial officers and directors are as follows:

#### **Nelio C. daSilva – President**

1824 Torrey Pines Ct  
Orlando, FL. 32826

#### **Tereza M. daSilva – Vice President**

1824 Torrey Pines Ct  
Orlando, FL. 32826

## ARTICLE 10

### **Indemnification**

The corporation does indemnify any directors, officers, employees, incorporators, and members of the corporation from any liability regarding the corporation and the affairs of the corporation, unless the person fraudulently and intentionally violated the law and/or maliciously conducted acts to damage and/or defraud the corporation, or as otherwise provided under applicable statute.

## ARTICLE 11

### **Purpose**

The purpose of the corporation is 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 and herein stated and in the Corporation's Bylaws.

To adopt and establish by-laws and make all rules, regulations, and policies deemed necessary and expedient for the proper management of this corporation's affairs in accordance with the law and not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation.

The character and essence of the corporation is the same as the purpose.

## ARTICLE 12

### Prohibited Activities

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 purposes set forth in Article 11. 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, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

## ARTICLE 13

### Distributions Upon Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the legal liabilities 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 14

### Conflict of Interest

The Corporation will have a Conflict-of-Interest policy in place at all times. The purpose of the conflict-of-interest policy is to protect the Corporation's interest when it is contemplating entering into a transaction or arrangement that might benefit the private interest of an officer or director of the Corporation. This policy is intended to supplement but not replace any applicable state laws governing conflicts of interest applicable to nonprofit and charitable corporations.

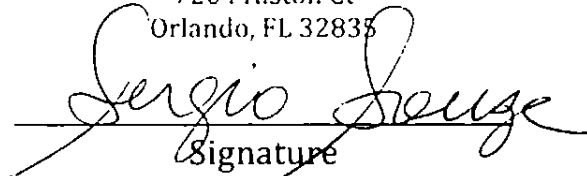
## ARTICLE 15

### Incorporator

ARTICLE 15  
Incorporator

I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as a registered agent for said corporation.

Sergio Souza  
7204 Alston Ct  
Orlando, FL 32835

  
Signature

Incorporator/Registered Agent  
Monday, April 26, 2021.

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