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**NOT FOR PROFIT  
CERTIFICATE OF DOMESTICATION**

The undersigned Kristen Kellett, Director  
 of A Door of Hope Inc. a foreign Corporation  
 (Name) (Title)  
 (Corporation Name)

in accordance with section 617.1803, Florida Statutes, does hereby certify:

1. The date on which corporation was first formed was May 23, 2012
2. The jurisdiction where the above named corporation was first formed, incorporated, or otherwise came into being was Denham Springs, La. 70726
3. The name of the corporation immediately prior to the filing of this Certificate of Domestication was A Door of Hope Inc.
4. The name of the corporation, as set forth in its articles of incorporation, to be filed pursuant to s. 617.01201 and 617.0202 with this certificate is A Door of Hope International, Inc.
5. The jurisdiction that constituted the seat, siege social, or principal place of business or central administration of the corporation, or any other equivalent jurisdiction under applicable law, immediately before the filing of the Certificate of Domestication was Livingston, La. 70754
6. Attached are Florida articles of incorporation to complete the domestication requirements pursuant to s. 617.1803.

I am Director of A Door of Hope Inc.

and am authorized to sign this Certificate of Domestication on behalf of the corporation and have done so this the 3 day of June, 2022.

K. Kellett

(Authorized Signature)

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Certificate of Domestication	\$50.00
Articles of Incorporation and Certified Copy	\$78.75
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
 OF  
 A DOOR OF HOPE INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

The undersigned incorporator, KRISTEN KELLETT, a natural person competent to contract, hereby presents these Articles of Incorporation as the Articles of Incorporation of A Door of Hope International, Inc. (the "Articles") for formation of a corporation not for profit under the provisions of Chapter 617, *Florida Statutes*.

**ARTICLE I – NAME AND PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The name of the corporation is A DOOR OF HOPE INTERNATIONAL, INC. (the "Corporation"). The initial principal office of the Corporation is 171 Byrd Drive, Panama City, Florida 32404, and the initial mailing address of the Corporation is PO Box 37095, Panama City, Florida 32412.

**ARTICLE II – PURPOSE**

The general purposes for which the Corporation is organized shall be as follows:

(a) To support, promote, and enhance the spiritual lives of women. To restore hope, healing, and freedom through the love and power of Jesus Christ, enabling them to discover their purpose and to fulfill their destiny. To raise awareness, teach, train, and equip people working with trauma survivors by providing resources for issues—such as addiction, abuse (sexual, physical, emotional), post-abortion, depression, and self harm—through trainings that promote healing for survivors of trauma.

(b) To receive and maintain a fund or funds of real or personal property, or both, and, subject to the restrictions and limitations hereinafter set forth, to use and apply the whole or any part of the income therefrom and the principal thereof exclusively for charitable, religious, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, either directly or by contributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the applicable Treasury Regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended.

(c) No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any Director or officer of the Corporation, or any private individual (except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services rendered to or for the Corporation in effecting one or more of its purposes), and no Director or officer of the Corporation, or any private individual, shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation. 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 or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and its regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended, or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code and its regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended.

### **ARTICLE III – PRIVATE FOUNDATION CLASSIFICATION**

In the event that the Corporation is classified as a private foundation as described in Section 509 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, then the following paragraphs shall apply:

(a) The Corporation shall distribute or apply its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

(b) The Corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing, as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

(c) The Corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings, as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

(d) The Corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

(e) The Corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures, as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

### **ARTICLE IV – MEMBERSHIP**

The membership of the Corporation shall consist of the individuals who are Directors of the Corporation as provided for herein and their successors. Additional classes of membership may be created upon approval of a majority vote of the Board of Directors.

### **ARTICLE V – TERM OF EXISTENCE**

The term of existence of the Corporation shall be perpetual until terminated pursuant to these Articles, the bylaws of the Corporation, and applicable law.

### **ARTICLE VI – INCORPORATOR**

The name of the incorporator is Kristen Kellett, whose address is 171 Byrd Street, Panama City, Florida 32404.

### **ARTICLE VII – OFFICERS**

The Corporation shall have such officers consisting of a President, Vice President (optional), Secretary, Treasurer, and such other officers as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall in its discretion determine necessary or appropriate for accomplishing the objectives of the Corporation. The officers shall be elected by the Board of Directors at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors or as otherwise provided in the bylaws of the Corporation. The names and address of the initial officers of the Corporation are:

*President*

Kristen Kellett  
171 Byrd Drive  
Panama City, Florida 32404

*Vice President*

Louise Cook  
31272 N. Cafeline Rd  
Tickfaw, La. 70466

*Secretary/Treasurer*

Lydia Lovett  
790 Woodbine Drive  
Pensacola, Florida 32503

**ARTICLE VIII – BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The Directors shall be elected, removed and/or re-elected as provided in the bylaws of the Corporation. The initial Directors shall include the President, Vice President, and Secretary/Treasurer of the Corporation, plus six (6) additional Directors. The number of Directors may be either increased or diminished from time to time as provided in the bylaws of the Corporation, but there shall never be less than three (3) Directors. The names and addresses of the initial members of the Board of Directors are:

Kristen Kellett  
(as President)  
171 Byrd Drive  
Panama City, Florida 32404

Louise Cook  
(as Vice President)  
31272 N. Cafeline Rd  
Tickfaw, La. 70466

Lydia Lovett  
(as Secretary/Treasurer)  
790 Woodbine Drive  
Pensacola, Florida 32503

James Kellett  
171 Byrd Drive  
Panama City, Florida 32404

Richard (Drew) Hood  
355 Whispering Lake Dr.  
Santa Rosa Beach, Fl. 32459

Cathy Sullivan  
2631 Glen Eden Dr.  
Raleigh, NC 27612

Tom Sullivan  
2631 Glen Eden Dr.  
Raleigh, NC 27612

Kim Hood  
355 Whispering Lake Dr.  
Santa Rosa Beach, Fl. 32459

Kathryn Hoyt  
13137 Hwy 442 West  
Tickfaw, La. 70466

**ARTICLE IX – AMENDMENT**

The Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles or any amendment to them and all rights and privileges conferred upon the Board of Directors and officers of the Corporation are subject to this reservation.

**ARTICLE X – BYLAWS**

Unless otherwise provided in the bylaws of the Corporation, the bylaws of the Corporation are to be made, altered, amended, or repealed by a majority vote of the Directors then in office at a regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors called for that purpose.

**ARTICLE XI – DISTRIBUTION ON DISSOLUTION**

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, or the winding up of its affairs, the assets of the Corporation shall be distributed, in the manner determined by the Board of Directors of the Corporation, solely to charitable, religious, scientific, literary, or educational organizations which would then qualify under the provisions of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its regulations as they now exist or may hereinafter be amended.

No Director or officer of the Corporation, nor any private individual, shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation.

**ARTICLE XII – REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The street address of the registered office of the Corporation is 171 Boyd Street, Panama City, Florida 32404, and the name of the registered agent at that address is Kristen Kellett.

**ARTICLE XIII – EFFECTIVE DATE**

The effective date of these Articles shall be the date these Articles are filed with the office of the Department of State of the State of Florida.

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles on the date set forth below.

INCORPORATOR:

K. Kellett  
KRISTEN KELLETT  
Date: 6/3/22

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**REGISTERED AGENT ACCEPTANCE**

I do hereby accept the foregoing designation as registered agent of A Door of Hope International, Inc. Further, I am familiar with and accept the duties and obligations of such designation.

K. Kellett  
KRISTEN KELLETT  
Date: 6/3/22