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

GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT KENYA. INC

SUBJECT:

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

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

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□ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy

□ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certified Copy & Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

MICHAEL WRIGHT FROM:

Name (Printed or typed)

2816 FORT WILDERNESS TRAIL

Address

JACKSONVILLE, FL 32277

City, State & Zip

904-993-7894

Daytime Telephone number

gdp.kenya1991@gmail.com

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

IL HI BE 2. The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a Florida not-for-profit corporation. hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

I-NAME

A. The name of the corporation is Global Development Project Kenya, Inc.

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II – CORPORATE PURPOSE

A. Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under \$501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law). It is organized pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes (F. S.), with no stock issued or to be issued, in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

HI. – PRINCIPAL ADDRESS

A. The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is as follows: The initial Street address of the Religious-Charitable Corporation is listed as follows: 2816 Fort Wilderness Trail, Jacksonville, FL 32277

IV-ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

- A. This corporation is a religious corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Religious Corporation Law exclusively for religious and charitable purposes.
- B. The specific purposes for which the Religious-Charitable Corporation is organized are: (1) to impact our world with the Love of Jesus Christ by educating and empowering families, and by equipping, supporting, educating, and enabling others who will make a difference: (2)to impact our world with the Love and Hope of Jesus by not only caring for and education the orphaned, but by equipping and preparing them to live out successful and hope filled lives; (3) to engage in such religious activities as are permitted to be carried on by a Corporation exempt from federal income tax under 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law); (4) to accept donations and contributions for all the foregoing purposes; (5) to make distributions to corporations that qualify as exempt corporations under the §501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code; and (6) to do any and all other things necessary or incident to the above and foregoing purposes and powers and

including all of the rights, powers and authority incident to general nonprofit corporations organized under the laws of the State of Florida pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes (F. S.).

- C. No part of the net earnings of the Religious Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the Religious 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 these Articles of Incorporation. No substantial part of the activities of the Religious Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Religious Corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the Religious Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a Corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under §501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or the corresponding provision of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a Corporation.
- D. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of §501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or 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 disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is located, exclusively for such purposes or to such corporation or corporations, as said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

V- MANNER OF ELECTION

A. The manner of which the Directors are elected or appointed:

As provided for by the Bylaws.

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VI-DIRECTORS

A. The Initial Directors for the corporation are as follows:
Michael W. Wright - President
2618 Fort Wilderness Trail; Jacksonville, FL 32277

Jocelyne E. McLemore - Treasure 2866 Haven Ln. Decatur, GA 30030

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Erin N. Anthony, EdD - Secretary P.O. Box 77044; Jacksonville, FL 32226

Patricia A. Wright - Member 2618 Fort Wilderness Trail Jacksonville, FL 32277

VII- REGISTERED AGENT & ADDRESS

A. Acceptance of Appointment and Consent to Serve as Registered Agent:

I acknowledge, accept and consent to my designation or appointment as registered agent in Florida for Global Development Project Kenya, Inc., <u>2816 Fort</u> <u>Wilderness Trail, Jacksonville, FL 32277</u>

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for Global Development Project Kenya, Inc at the place designated I this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Signature of Registered Agent

Michael Wright Printed Name

<u> 4/7/2023</u>

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VIII- INCORPORATOR

A. The Incorporator for the corporation is as follows:

Michael W. Wright, 2618 Fort Wilderness Trail: Jacksonville, FL 32277

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

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4/7/2023 Date



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