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## Ocean City Christian School



Education with a Biblical Worldview  
428 NE Racetrack Road Ft. Walton Beach, FL 32547  
(850) 862-6227



April 30, 1998

Florida Department of State  
Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee FL 32314

Our check #2154 in the amount of \$87.50 is attached to cover the filing fee for the articles of amendment and one certified copy.

*Phyllis K. Thirsk*

PHYLLIS K. THIRSK  
Administrator

3 Attachments:

1. Check
2. Article of Amendment Form
3. Articles of Incorporation for Heritage Academy

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May 13, 1998

Phyllis K. Thirsk  
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SUBJECT: OCEAN CITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL INC.  
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We have received your document for OCEAN CITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The current name of the entity is as referenced above. Please correct your document accordingly.

The word "initial" or "first" should be removed from the article regarding directors, officers, and/or registered agent, unless these are the individuals originally designated at the time of incorporation.

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.

Please entitle your document Articles of Amendment.

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) 487-6910.

Louise Flemming-Jackson  
Corporate Specialist Supervisor

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**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT**  
**to**  
**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**of**

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Ocean City Christian School, Inc.

*Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation.*

**FIRST:** Amendment(s) adopted: (INDICATE ARTICLE NUMBER(S) BEING AMENDED, ADDED OR DELETED.)

- I - Amended
- II - Was III, No II
- III - Was IV
- IV - Was V - Amended
- V - Was VI
- VI - Was VII - Amended
- VII - Was VIII - Amended
- VIII - Was IX
- IX - Was X
- X - Was XI
- XI - Was XII
- XII - Agent Name Added
- XIII - Amended

**SECOND:** The date of adoption of the amendment(s) was: April 1, 1998

**THIRD:** Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)

- ☐ The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment was sufficient for approval.
- ☒ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment. The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the board of directors.

Heritage Academy of Fort Walton Beach, Inc.

Corporation Name

  
Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, President or other officer

CHARLES SANSOM, JR.

Typed or printed name

Chairman

April 14, 1998

Date

Title

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT  
TO  
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
OCEAN CITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, INC.

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We, the undersigned, acting as incorporators of a nonprofit corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation, for such corporation.

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation will be and is Heritage Academy of Fort Walton Beach, Inc. The principal address of this corporation will be 428 Racetrack Road, Fort Walton Beach, FL 32547.

ARTICLE II

This corporation is organized for educational, charitable, religious, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations and/or individuals as allowable by the laws of this state and Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law). The following specific purposes generally define the nature of the ministry or activities to be transacted by this corporation.

1. To glorify our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ by serving as His instruments in declaring and spreading His truth. Principles included in God's truth are:

a. The Holy Scriptures, consisting of the sixty-six books of the Old and New Testaments, are the verbally inspired Word of God, inerrant in the original writings

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concerning historical and scientific facts, and infallible in moral and spiritual teachings. (2 Tim 3:14-17; 2 Pet 1:20-21)

b. There is but one Triune God, eternally subsisting in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (Deut. 6:4; John 1:1,14; Acts 5:3-4)

c. The Lord Jesus Christ, the eternal Son of God, became man without ceasing to be God. He was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary that He might reveal God and redeem sinful men. Believers are redeemed by the blood of Christ, who died on the cross as a representative, vicarious, substitutionary sacrifice. Justification is made sure by His resurrection from the dead. He ascended into heaven and now fulfills the ministry of representative, intercessor, and advocate. (John 1:1-18; Eph. 1:3-7, Heb 7:24-27; 1 Pet 1:3-5; 1 John 2:1)

d. The Holy Spirit convicts the world of sin, righteousness, and judgment. He is the supernatural agent in regeneration and sanctification. He baptizes all believers into the body of Christ, indwells them equally and permanently, and seals them unto the day of redemption. He is the Divine Teacher who guides believers into all truth. He empowers the believers to be witnesses unto Jesus and supernaturally enables them to do the work of the ministry (John 16:8-15; 1 Cor. 12; 13; Eph. 1:13,14; 4:11-13; Acts 1:8; Mk 16:17-18)

e. Man was created in the image of God, but in Adam's sin, the entire race fell, inherited a sinful nature, became alienated from God, and is utterly unable to remedy his lost condition. (Gen. 1:25,27; Rom. 3:10-12, 23; 5:12; Eph 2:1-3)

f. Salvation is the gift of God brought to sinful man by grace and received solely by personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ who accomplished complete redemption by His

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precious blood. No repentance, no feeling, no good resolution, no sincere efforts, no submission to rules and regulations, no degree of reformation, however great, no attainments in morality, however high, no culture, however attractive, no baptism or other ordinance, however administered, nor any or all of these together can add in the very least degree to the merit of the finished work of the Lord Jesus Christ upon the cross. (John 3:5, 18; Eph. 1:7; 2:8-10, Phil 3:4-9; Titus 3:3-8; 1 Pet 1:18-23)

g. Because of the eternal purpose of God, the nature of the Word and promise of God, and the immutability of the covenants of God, all believers, once saved (i.e., elected called, redeemed, baptized into Christ by the Spirit, justified, regenerated, adopted, sanctified and already looked upon by God as glorified), are kept by God's power, indwelt and sealed by the Holy Spirit, and interceded for by Jesus Christ, and therefore, are secure in Christ forever. (John 6:37-40; 10:27-30; Rom. 8:1; 29-30, 38-39; 1 Cor. 1:4-8; 1 Pet 1:5)

h. Every believer possesses a new nature, with provision made for victory over the flesh, satan, and the world through the power of the indwelling Holy Spirit. Every believer should be filled with the Holy Spirit and allow the Holy Spirit to manifest the gifts of the Spirit through them. Every believer possesses at least one spiritual gift for the edification of the body of Christ, and should be a faithful steward of all God has entrusted to him. (Rom. 6:13-14; 7:18; 1 Cor. 12:2, 7-11; 2 Cor. 5:17; 9:5-9; Gal 5:16-25; Eph. 4:22-24; 5:18; 1 John 1:10)

i. The education of children is the responsibility of parents, rather than the state. God commands parents to teach their children to love God and do all things to His glory.

This school will be an instrument designed to enable the parents to faithfully discharge their responsibility. (Deut. 6:5-7; Prov. 4; 22:6; Eph. 6:1-4; 2 John 6-11)

j. The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge. All wisdom and knowledge must be consistent with Scripture. Man must learn to discover God's truth. Heritage Academy of Fort Walton Beach, Inc. will assist in this by providing a curriculum that maintains the Judeo-Christian ethic and biblical morals and by encouraging academic excellence in our students and school. (Prov. 1:7; 23:23, Rom. 1:16-25; 1 Cor. 1:18-25; 2 Tim 2:15)

2. To engage in and promote Christian discipleship as commanded by Jesus Christ in the Great Commission. (Matt 28:18-20)

3. To provide programs and services to educate children and adults that they might understand how biblical principles apply to every area of life, be aware of contemporary facts relevant to Christian living, and become better prepared to live Christ like in their home, church, schools, community, and vocational environments.

4. To act as agent or representative of corporations, firms, or individuals organized, located, or residing in any part of the world.

5. To purchase or otherwise receive the assets of any other corporation or ministry organized for similar purposes.

6. To enter into, make, perform, and to carry out contracts and agreements of every kind for any lawful purpose, without a limit as to amount, with any person, firm, association, or corporation and to carry out any additional transactions necessarily connected with the purpose of this corporation or calculated to facilitate the same.

7. To carry on any or all, of its operations and ministries and to promote its objectives within the State of Florida or elsewhere, without restriction as to place or amount, and to use, exercise, and enjoy all of the general powers of like corporations.

8. To do any or all of the things herein set forth to the same extent as natural persons might or could do in any part of the world as principals, agents, contractors, or otherwise alone or in company with others, and to do and perform all such other things and acts as may be necessary, profitable or expedient in carrying on any of the ministry or acts above named.

### ARTICLE III

The qualifications for members and the manner of their admission are specified in the bylaws.

### ARTICLE IV

The names and Post Office addresses of the four persons constituting the board of directors of the corporation are:

Charles Sansom, Jr. (Chairman)  
206 South St. SE  
Ft. Walton Beach FL 32547

Jules Dubuisson (Treasurer)  
117 Moriarty St.  
Ft. Walton Beach FL 32548

Phyllis K. Thirsk (Secretary)  
113 Thornhill Rd..  
Ft. Walton Beach FL 32547

Louis Ned Brande  
206 Amelia Pl.  
Crestview, FL 32536

### ARTICLE V

The corporation is organized under a non-stock basis.

### ARTICLE VI

In the event of a dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to Ocean City Baptist Church (or their successor) which itself is an exempt organization

described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or corresponding sections of any future Internal Revenue Code), as the Board of Directors will determine.

#### ARTICLE VII

The affairs of this corporation will be managed by the Chairman and the Board of Directors, who, subject to the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws and the laws of the State of Florida, will hold office until their successors are elected and have qualified. The chairman and the directors of the corporation will be the entire voting power of the corporation as stated in the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE VIII

These Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws may be made, altered, or rescinded by the Board of Directors by a 2/3 majority vote, but may be vetoed by the Chairman of the Board who will provide a written explanation of his veto.

#### ARTICLE IX

Subject to the provisions of the Statutes of the State of Florida, Board of Directors meetings may be held at any time or place designated by the directors, either within or without the State of Florida, and this corporation may have an office or offices to keep the books of the corporation outside the State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE X

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributed to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation will 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 II hereof. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation, its assets or earnings, will be used for any political campaign or on behalf of any candidate for public office.

#### ARTICLE XI

Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation will not carry on any activities prohibited to a nonprofit corporation under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law).

#### ARTICLE XII

The name and address of the registered agent is:

Charles Sansom, Jr.  
428 Racetrack Road, NE  
Ft. Walton Beach FL 32547

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



Charles Sansom Jr.

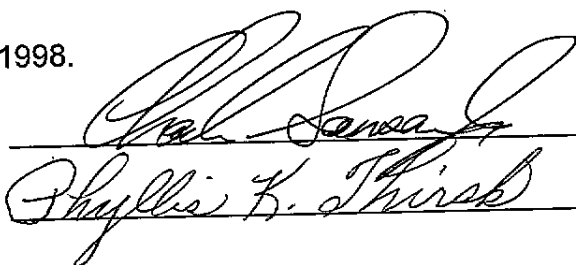
#### ARTICLE XIII

The names and addresses of the Incorporators for these Articles of Incorporation are:

Charles Sansom, Jr. (Chairman)  
206 South St. SE  
Ft. Walton Beach FL 32547

Phyllis K. Thirsk (Secretary)  
113 Thornhill Rd..  
Ft. Walton Beach FL 32547

The undersigned incorporators have executed these Articles of Incorporation this first day of April, 1998.



Charles Sansom Jr.

Phyllis K. Thirsk