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April 1, 1996

REV. IMALES PREVILON P.O. BOX 612733 N. MIAMI, FL 33261-2733

SUBJECT: EGLISE EVANGELIQUE BAPTISTE BEREE Ref. Number: W96000006944

We have received your document for EGLISE EVANGELIQUE BAPTISTE BEREE and your check(s) totaling \$131.25. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name of the corporation must contain a corporate suffix. This suffix may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

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 (904) 487-6928.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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SECULIARY OF STATE TALL AHASSEL FEORIDA

The undersigned, acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation pursuant to chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the corporation shall be: EGLISE EVANGELIQUE BAPTISTE BEREE, INC.

BEREA EVANGELICAL BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

ARTICLE II: PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal place of business and the mailing address of this corporation shall be:

Place of Business: 8011 N.E. MIAMI COURT MIAMI, FL 33138

Mailing Address:

P.O. BOX 612733 N. Miami, F1 33261-2733

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE(S)

The specific purpose(s) for which the corporation is organized is (are): to solicit, collect, accumulate, administer, receive and maintain real and personal property, or both, in whatever form, including cash funds from public and private sources, 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 religious, charitable, literary, scientific, or educational purposes either directly or by contributions to organizations that qualify as exemption organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and the Regulations issued pursuant thereto as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended

ARTICLE IV: MANNER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is as follows:

All directors must be members of <u>EGLISE EVANGELIQUE BAPTISTE BEREE</u>, INC. Their election shall take place at a meeting called for that purpose, of which at least one week's public notice has been given. An affirmative vote of three fourths of those members present will validate the choice. The Directors shall be replaced or elected for a new term at the annual election of officers of the corporation.

ARTICLE V: LIMITATION OF CORPORATE POWERS

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, unless limited as follows:

The corporation shall be empowered to enter into contracts, hold and convey title to real and personal property, and exercise all powers permitted a corporation not for profit and the other laws of the state of Florida, not inconsistent with the general objectives enumerated herein. All funds of the Corporation and any moneys from its operation shall be used in the furtherance of the purposes set forth hereinabove.

No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall insure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, 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 furtherance of one or more of its purpose(s), 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 in, or intervene in (including the publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt from taxation under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and the Regulations issued pursuant thereto as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended, or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 107 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code and said Regulations as they now exist or as may hereafter be amended.

ARTICLE VI: DISSOLUTION OF THE ORGANIZATION

Upon the dissolution of the Church, the Trustees shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all the liabilities of the Church, dispose of all the assets of the Church to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Trustees shall determine. Assets may be distributed only to the Miami Baptist Association or other organizations which agree with the Church's Statement of Faith.

ARTICLE VII: INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and the street address of the initial registered agent is

REV.IMALES PREVILON 630 NW 107 Street Miami, F1 33168

ARTICLE VIII: INCORPORATORS

The name(s) and street address(es) of the incorporator(s) for these Articles of Incorporation is(are).

REV. IMALES PREVILON: 630 NW 107th STREET, MIAMI, FL 33168
MISSEROSE ARISTIDE: 1025 NE 135 STREET, N.MIAMI, FL 33161
USIE MONDESTIN : 759 NE 126th STREET, N. MIAMI, FL 33161

The undersigned incorporator(s) has(have) executed these Articles of Incorporation this 15 day of March . 1996.

Signature(s) of the Incorporator(s)-

REV. IMALES PREVILON, PRESIDENT Typed name of incorporator signing

LMISSEROSE ARISTIDE, TREASURER
Typed name of incorporator signing

MONDESTIN_USIE,_SECRETARY_ Typed name of incorporator signing

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CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

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Pursuant to the provisions of section 607 0501 Florida Statutes, the undersigned borporation AIE organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the FRIDA registered office/registered agent, in the State of Florida

1 The name of the corporation is

EGLISE EVANGELIQUE BAPTISTE BEREE, INC. BEREA EVANGELICAL BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is

REV. IMALES PREVILON 630 NW 107 STREET MIAMI, FL 33168

HAVING BEEN NAMED AS REGISTERED AGENT AND TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY ACCEPT THE APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY. I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATING TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES, AND I AM FAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE OBLIGATIONS OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

Signature

Date

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This must be signed before a Notary.

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