

Department of State
Division of Corporations
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SUBJECT: Allen Family and Community Services
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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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
& Certificate

☐ \$122.50
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$131.25
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Rev. Dr. George L. Champion, Sr.
Name (Printed or typed)

1522 W. Washington Street
Address

Orlando, FL 32805
City, State & Zip

407-999-0100
Daytime Telephone number

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Sandra B. Mortham
Secretary of State

June 18, 1998

DR. GEORGE L. CHAMPION, SR.
1522 W. WASHINGTON STREET
ORLANDO, FL 32805

SUBJECT: ALLEN FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.
Ref. Number: W98000014014

We have received your document for ALLEN FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.78. 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.")

The registered agent must sign accepting the designation.

Please return the original and one copy of 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) 487-6929.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
of
ALLEN FAMILY AND COMMUNITY
SERVICES, INC.**

**ARTICLE I
CORPORATE NAME, PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS**

The name of this corporation is THE

**ALLEN FAMILY AND COMMUNITY
SERVICES, INC.**

The principal office of this corporation is 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, Florida 32805

The mailing address of this corporation is
1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, Florida 32805

**ARTICLE II
CORPORATE NATURE**

This is a nonprofit corporation, organized solely for general charitable purposes pursuant to the Florida Corporations Not for Profit Law set forth in Section 617 of the Florida Statutes.

**ARTICLE III
DURATION**

The term of existence of the corporation is perpetual.

**ARTICLE IV
GENERAL AND SPECIFIC PURPOSES**

The specific and primary purposes for which this corporation is formed are:

A. For the advancement of THE MINORITY COMMUNITIES OF FLORIDA, and all other communities in the United States and the Nations of the continent of Africa TO PROMOTE HARMONY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, UNITY, JUSTICE, SPIRITUAL, charity, education, and any other related or corresponding charitable purposes by the distribution of its funds for such purposes.

B. To inform the public of the Social Services needs of families and individual who do not have financial support to become self-sufficient.

C. To operate exclusively in any other manner for such charitable and educational purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, or under any corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, covering the distributions to organizations qualified as tax exempt organizations under the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, including private foundations and private operating foundations.

ARTICLE V MANAGEMENT OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

A. Board of Directors. The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by a Board of Directors, consisting of a minimum of one (1) Board of Director. The number of Directors of the corporation shall be 7, providing however, that such number maybe changed by a By-Law duly adopted by the members.

The Directors named herein as the first Board of Directors shall hold office until the first meeting of members at which time an election of Directors shall be held.

Directors elected at the first annual meeting, and at times thereafter shall serve for a term of one (1) year until the annual meeting of the members following the election of Directors and until the qualification of the successors in office. Annual meetings shall be held at 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, Florida 32805 on May 1st of each year at 07:00 PM, or at such other place or places as the Board of Directors may designate from time to time by resolution.

Any action required or permitted to be taken by one Board of Directors under any provision of law may be taken without a meeting, if all members of the Board shall individually or collectively consent in writing to such action. Such written consent or consents shall be filed with the minutes of the proceedings of the Board, and any such action by written consent shall have the same force and effect as if taken by unanimous vote of the Directors.

Any certificate or other document filed under any provision of law which relates to actin so taken shall state the action was taken by unanimous written consent of the Board of Directors without a meeting, and that the Articles of Incorporation and the By-Laws of this corporation authorize the Directors to so act. Such a statement shall be prima facie evidence of such authority.

The names and address of such initial members of the Board of Directors is as follows:

Rev. Dr. George L. Champion, Sr. 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

Mrs. Bettie Champion 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

Rev. Grandville Anderson 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

Tim Lucas Adams 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

Dr. Leenette Pennington, 252 Saldon Lane, Cocoa, FL 32926

Rev. James Wade, 1109 Emerson Street, Evanston, IL 60201

Rev. Gillard Glover, 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

B. Corporate Officers. The Board of Directors shall elect the following officers: President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, and such other officers as the By-Laws of this corporation may authorize the Directors to elect from time to time. Initially, such officers shall be elected at the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VI EARNINGS AND ACTIVITIES OF CORPORATION

A. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, 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 distribution in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article IV hereof.

B. 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 any candidate for public office.

C. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carry on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

D. 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.

ARTICLES VII DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS

Upon dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, education, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizing under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed

of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the corporations then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as such court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VIII MEMBERSHIP

The qualification for members and the manner of their admission shall be regulated by the bylaws for this corporation.

ARTICLE IX SUBSCRIBERS

The names and residence addresses of the Subscribers of this corporation are as follows:

Rev. Dr. George L. Champion, Sr. 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

Mrs. Bettie Champion 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

Rev. Grandville Anderson 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

Rev. Gilliard Glover 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

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ARTICLE X AMENDMENT OF BY-LAWS

Subject to the limitations set forth in the Corporations Not for Profit Laws of the State of Florida, concerning corporate action that must be authorized or approved by the members of the corporation, By-Laws of this corporation may be made, altered, rescinded, added to, or new By-Laws may be adopted, either by a resolution of the Board of Directors, or by following the procedure set forth thereof in the By-Laws.

ARTICLE XI DEDICATION OF ASSETS

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to educational, spiritual, charitable purposes, and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof to the benefit of any private individual.

ARTICLE XII
REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE

The address of the corporation's registered office shall be and the name of its registered agent at said address shall be Rev. Dr. George Champion, Sr., 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, Florida 32805.

ARTICLE XIII
AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors and presented to a quorum of members for their vote in the manner set forth in the By-Laws of this corporation.

We,
the undersigned, being the Subscriber and Incorporator of this corporation, for the purpose of forming this nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, have executed these Articles of Incorporation, this ___ day of January, 1998.

S. Rev. Dr. George L. Champion Sr.

Rev. Dr. George L. Champion, Sr. 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

S. Mrs. Bettie Champion

Mrs. Bettie Champion 1522 W. Washington Street, Orlando, FL 32805

S. Rev. Grandville Anderson

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S. Rev. Gilliard S. Glover

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S. Rev. James Wade

Rev. James Wade, 1109 Emerson Street, Evanston, IL 60201

WITNESSED BY:

Henry L. Postell, II S. H. Postell

APRIL JOHNSON S. April Johnson

Reverend Doctor George Lovelace Champion Senior
Subscriber and Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF Orange

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Dr. G. L. + Subscriber
Champion Orlando, Florida 32805, who produced their Florida Drivers Licenses as identification,
to me known to be the persons who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and they
acknowledged to and before me that they executed such instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 9th day of June, 1998.

H. Postell
Notary Public II

My Commission Expires:



HENRY L. POSTELL, II
COMMISSION # CC 556107
EXPIRES MAY 20, 2000
BONDED THRU
ATLANTIC BONDING CO., INC.

Notice of Appointment and Acceptance of Resident agent
§ 617.0501 FLORIDA STATUTES ANNOTATED TITLE XXXVI.
ORGANIZATIONS CHAPTER 617. CORPORATIONS NOT FOR PROFIT

617.0501. Registered office and registered agent

(a) Notice of Designation of registered office and designation of Resident agent Appointment:

This corporation registered office is the same as its principal office; and (b) The designated registered agent, is: Rev. Dr. George L. Champion of 1522 West Washington Street, Orlando, Florida 32805.

1. The above stated resident agent resides in this state, and his business office is identical with such registered office;

2. This corporation not for profit, is authorized to transact business or conduct its affairs in this state, having a business office identical with the registered office.

(3) This registered agent is appointed pursuant to this section and is appointed pursuant to s. 617.0502 on whom process may be served hereby files this statement in writing with the Department of State, accepting the appointment as a registered agent simultaneously with his or her being designated.

Acceptance of registered agent:

This is to certify that I, Rev. George L. Champion, senior, of 1522 West Washington Street, Orlando, Florida, after reading the duties of the resident agent and becoming familiar with the duties; do hereby accept the duties of the resident agent for this corporation after being duly appointed by the President of the corporation.

Such statement of acceptance shall state that the registered agent is familiar with, and accepts, the obligations of that position.

s. / *Rev. George L. Champion 6/26/98*

Signed: Rev. George L. Champion, Senior Resident agent Acceptance

s. / *Rev. George L. Champion 6/26/98*

Signed Rev. George L. Champion, Senior as President of the Corporation

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