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#### Articles

<u>of</u>

#### **Incorporation**

of

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### Church of Christ International, Inc.

#### ARTICLE I

#### NAME

The name of the Corporation is Church of Christ International,
Inc..

#### ARTICLE II

#### **DURATION**

This corporation shall have perpetual existence commencing on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ date of this filing of these Articles with the Department of State.\_\_\_\_\_\_

#### ARTICLE III

#### **PURPOSE**

The corporation is not organized for pecuniary gain or profit and is organized under the Florida Corporations Not for Profit Code for the specific and primary purpose of operating for the advancement of faith under Christian principles which shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following:

(A) To conduct worship services in the manner prescribed in ... the New Testament;

- (B) To edify Christians with teachings of the Scriptures;
- (C) To preach the gospel of Jesus Christ;
- (D) To seek universal fellowship with Christians for the testimony of God;
- (E) To minister spiritual and temporal needs of the poor, sick, orphans and widows according to brotherly love inspired by God;
- (F) To engage in home and foreign missionary activities in cooperation with affiliated local churches in furtherance of the herein described purposes; and
- (G) To perform an operation and to conduct any affairs authorized by the Florida Corporations Not For Profit Code and to conduct and perform any and all activities that may be related, no matter how remote, to any of the foregoing.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

#### QUALIFICATIONS OF MEMBERS

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

#### ARTICLE V

#### INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 2655 College Street Jacksonville, Florida 32204 and

the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at that address is Nathaniel Byrd.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have three (3) Director constituting the initial Board of Directors. The Bylaws shall provide the method of election of all Directors, and the number of Directors may be raised or lowered by amendment of the bylaws but shall in no case be less than three (3). The name and address of the initial Board of Directors of the corporation is:

Nathaniel Byrd 2655 College Street Jacksonville, Florida 32204

Ann Martin 2655 College Street Jacksonville, Florida 32204

Madelon A. Walton 2655 College Street Jacksonville, Florida 32204

#### ARTICLE VII

#### INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the Incorporator signing these articles is:

Nathaniel Byrd 2655 College Street Jacksonville, Florida 32204

#### **ARTICLE VIII**

#### INDEMNIFICATION

The Corporation shall, to the fullest extent permitted by the Florida Corporation Act, as the same may be amended and supplemented, indemnify any and all persons whom it shall have power to indemnify under the said provisions from and against any and all the expenses, liabilities, or other matters referred to in or covered by said provisions, and the indemnification provided for herein shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those indemnified may be entitled under any Bylaw, vote of stockholders, or disinterested directors, or otherwise, both as to action in his or her official capacity and as to action while holding such office, and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee, or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, and administrators of such a person.

#### ARTICLE IX

#### AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provision contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, by a majority vote of the Board of Directors, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

STATE OF FLORIDA

Incorporator

COUNTY OF DUVAL

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public authorized to take acknowledgments in

the State and County set forth above personally appeared Nathaniel

Byrd, known to be and known by me to be the person who executed the

foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and he acknowledged before me

that he executed those Articles of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and seal in the State and

unty above this 19 day of

1998.

STATE

OF TELORIDA V. WATERS

MY COMMISSION # CC 452261 EXPIRES: May 26, 1999

Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters

## CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING REGISTERED AGENT AND PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, AND ACCEPTANCE OF AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

In compliance with Sections 48.091 and 607.034, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted:

FIRST, that Church of Christ International, Inc. desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principle place of business at 2655 College Street Jacksonville, Florida 32204 has named Nathaniel Byrd as its agent to accept service or process within Florida. Dated this 19 day of

*Mathaniel* Byrd

Director

SECOND, that having been named to accept service of process for the above named corporation, at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper performance of my duties.

Nathaniel Byrd Registered Agent

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