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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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

SUBJECT: Compassionate Outreach Ministries¹ Inc. *Christian Academy*
(Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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****122.50 *****78.75

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

☐ \$70.00
Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certificate

☒ \$122.50
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☐ \$131.25
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: % Addie Davis
Name (Printed or typed)

1701 Lee Rd #360L
Address

Winter Park FL 32789
City, State & Zip

407-645-4379 or 407-296-5130
Daytime Telephone number

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

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Sandra B. Mortham
Secretary of State

October 14, 1998

ADDIE DAVIS

1701 LEE RD., #3601
WINTER PARK, FL 32789

SUBJECT: COMPASSIONATE OUTREACH MINISTRIES CHRISTIAN
ACADEMY INC.
Ref. Number: W98000023370

We have received your document for COMPASSIONATE OUTREACH MINISTRIES CHRISTIAN ACADEMY INC. and your check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The document must contain a registered agent with a Florida street address and a signed statement of acceptance. (i.e. I hereby am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities of Registered Agent.)

The effective date is not acceptable since it is not within five working days of the date of receipt.

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) 487-6995.

Wanda Sampson
Document Specialist

Letter Number: 698A00050971

*Please Send back ASAP in the express
Mail envelop. Thanks for your help.
Addie Davis*

**Articles of Incorporation
of
*Compassionate Outreach Ministries Christain Academy Inc.***

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the corporation shall be "*Compassionate Outreach Ministries Christain Academy Inc.*"

ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal office for the transaction of business of this corporation and the mailing address shall be *320 SE 43rd Street, Gainesville Florida, 32608.*

ARTICLE III - TERM OF EXISTENCE

The corporation shall exist perpetually, beginning *October 25, 1998.*

ARTICLE IV - PURPOSES

The corporation is organized pursuant to the provisions of the general non-profit corporation law of the State of Florida.

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and including, to the extent permitted by said Section 501 (c) (3), the following:

A. To raise economic, educational, and social levels of underprivileged residents of the low income communities *Florida* and other underprivileged groups, which have substantial employment or low income families, to foster and promote community wide interest and concern for the problems of such community to the end that discrimination may be eliminated, sickness, poverty, and crime may be lessened, and educational and economic opportunities may be expanded among the residents of such communities.

B. To expand the opportunities available to said residents and groups to own, manage, and operate business enterprises by furthering the development of locally owned or operated business enterprises in economically underprivileged or depressed areas; to assist said resident and groups in developing entrepreneurial and management skills necessary for the successful operation of business enterprises; to provide financial

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support for the successful operation of business enterprises by said residents and groups and to assist said residents and groups in obtaining such financial support from other sources.

C. To expand the opportunities available to said residents and groups to obtain adequate low-cost housing accommodations.

D. To aid, support, and assist by gifts, contributions or otherwise, other corporations, community chests, funds and foundations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, religious, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, and no substantial part of the activities of which is carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislations.

E. To exercise all rights and powers conferred on not for profit corporations under the laws of Florida, provided, however, that the corporation shall not engage in any activities or exercise any powers, that are not in furtherance of the specific and primary charitable and educational purposes of the corporation. All of the foregoing purposes and powers shall be exercised exclusively for those charitable and educational purposes and shall be exercised in such manner that the corporation shall qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 as it is currently or hereafter may be in force and effect.

The corporation shall not devote more than an insubstantial part of its activities to the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in, directly or indirectly, any political campaign on behalf of or, in apposition to, any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal and state income taxes under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 and Florida Statutes Chapter 617 as the same may be amended from time to time. The corporation shall not have objectives or engage in activities that characterize it as an "action" organization as defined in Treasury Regulation 1.501 (c) (3) - 1 (c) (3).

The corporation is and shall remain a corporation not for profit. The corporation shall not have nor issue shares of stock. The corporation is not organized, nor shall it be operated for the primary purpose of generating pecuniary gain or profit, and it will not distribute any gains, profits, or dividends to the members thereof, or to any individual, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of its specific and primary purposes. The property, assets, profits, and net income of the corporation are irrevocably dedicated to charitable and educational purposes, and no part of the profit or net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof or to the benefit of any individual or any private shareholder.

ARTICLE V - DIRECTORS

The method of election or appointment of the Board of Directors shall be stated in the By-laws. The number of directors shall be established by the By-laws, but shall never be less than three (3).

ARTICLE VI - DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS UPON DISSOLUTION

No persons, firm, or corporation shall ever receive any dividends or profits from the undertaking of the corporation. In the event of dissolution of the corporation, the residual assets of the corporation remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts and liabilities of the corporation, shall be distributed to one or more organizations, which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, exclusively to accomplish public purposes and none of the assets will be distributed to any member, director, officer, or trustee of this corporation.

ARTICLE VII

In the event that this corporation shall become a "private foundation" within the meaning of Section 509 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, the corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such matter as not to subject it to tax under Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954; shall not engage in any act of self dealing as defined in Section 4941 (d) of the Internal Revenue Code; shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code; shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to tax under section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954; and shall not make any taxable expenditure as defined in Section 4945 (d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

ARTICLE VIII - INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and the street address of the initial registered agent is: **Dr Larry Dennison 320 SE 43rd St. Gainesville, Florida, 32808.**

ARTICLE IX - INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator for these Articles of Incorporation is: **Dr Larry Dennison 320 SE 43rd Street Gainesville, Florida. 32808**

25th The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this day of **October 1998**.


Dr. Larry Dennison

**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF
REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE**

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 607.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE
UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF
FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE
REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.**

1. The name of the corporation is: COMPASSIONATE OUTREACH MINISTRIES
CHRISTIAN ACADEMY INC.

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

Dr. Larry Dennison 320 SE 43rd St. Gainseville, Florida, 32808

*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 statues 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)

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(DATE)

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