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

| SUBJECT: D.E.B.O.R.A.H | , Inc. | |
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| | (Proposed corporate name - must include suffix) | • |

Developing, Enriching and Building Others Thru Reconciliation and Hope.

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

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December 23, 1998

RHONDA D. NALL P.O. BOX 63024 PENSACOLA, FL 32526

SUBJECT: D.E.B.O.R.A.H., INC. Ref. Number: W98000028641

We have received your document for D.E.B.O.R.A.H., INC. and your check(s) totaling \$131.25. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

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We, the undersigned natural persons of the age of twenty-one (21) years or more, at least two of whom are citizens of the State of Florida, acting as incorporators of a corporation under the Florida Non-Profit Corporation Act, do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

Article I

The name of the corporation is D.E.B.O.R.A.H. Ministries, Inc.

Article II

The corporation is a non-profit corporation.

Article III

The period of its duration is perpetual.

Article IV

The primary purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

- (a) This corporation is formed specifically and exclusively for the following charitable, religious, educational and scientific purposes:
- (1) To promote and perpetuate the doctrines of Christianity as a religion by going into all the world and preaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ, according to the Biblical mandate given in Matthew 28:19-20, teaching them to obey all of the teachings of Jesus Christ as found in the Holy Bible, and engaging in those activities necessary and expedient thereto, including but not limited to the effectuation and conducting of a non-denominational Christian church;
- (2) To promote and advance spiritual, emotional and physical well-being through giving instruction, reproof, correction and encouragement by means of literature, seminars, music, counseling, teaching, education and preaching;
- (3) To promote better health by engaging in research, investigation, methods of prevention and dissemination of information to increase public understanding

as to the causes of personal alienation and delinquency in family interrelations and all manifestations thereof, including but not limited to physical, sexual, mental and emotional abuse and neglect;

- (4) To establish, maintain and operate appropriate facilities and other services, including but not limited to libraries, spiritual care, orphan care, retirement care, medical care, room and board care, rehabilitation vocational training and placement care, health care and hospitalization, mental health care, physical fitness and personal hygiene care, sexual health care, financial care;
- (5) To establish, maintain and operate schools for the education of spiritually, physically and mentally needy persons, their families and all other members of the general public wishing to attend such schools and to operate facilities and services for the dissemination of information relative to the primary purpose of this corporation, and such other facilities as may reasonably be necessary to effectuate the primary purpose of this corporation;
- (6) To increase public understanding and awareness of the Christian religion and salvation in Jesus Christ through many different forms of mass media including but not limited to the publishing of books and other literature, recording music, television and radio, etc. all relative to the primary purposes of this corporation;
- (b) The general purposes and powers for which this corporation is formed are as follows:
- (1) To solicit, collect, receive, acquire, hold and invest money in property, both real and personal, including money and property received by gift, contribution, bequest, or devise; to sell and convert property, both real and personal, into cash; and to use the funds of this corporation and the proceeds, income rents, issues and

profits derived from any property of this corporation for any of the purposes for which this corporation is formed;

- (2) To purchase, acquire, own, hold, sell, assign, transfer, dispose of, mortgage, pledge, hypothecate, or encumber, and to deal in shares, bonds, notes, debentures, or other securities or evidences of indebtedness of any person, firm, corporation, or association and, while the owner or holder of them, to exercise all rights, and privileges of ownership;
- (3) To purchase or acquire, own, hold, use, lease (either as lessor or lessee), sell exchange, assign, convey, dispose of, mortgage, hypothecate, or encumber real and personal property;
- (4) To enter into, make, perform and carry out contracts of every kind for any lawful purpose without limit on amount with any person firm, association or corporation, municipality, country, parish, state, territory government (foreign or domestic), or other municipal or governmental subdivisions;
- (5) To have and to exercise all of the powers conferred by the Florida Non-profit Corporation Act on non-profit corporations as that law is now in effect or may at any time hereafter be amended; and
- (6) To do all things necessary, expedient, or appropriate to the accomplishment of any of the objects and purpose for which this corporation is formed;

Notwithstanding any of the above statements of purposes and powers, this corporation shall not engage in activities or exercise any powers that (i) are prohibited or forbidden by said Florida Non-profit Corporation Act, and all other applicable laws or regulations of the State of Florida and (ii) in themselves are not a furtherance of the purposes set forth in paragraph (a) of this Article IV.

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distributing of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.

Article V

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 316 South Baylen Street, Pensacola, Florida 32501, and the name of the initial registered agent at such address is Robert M. Blanchard.

Article VI

The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the corporation is seven (7) and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial Board of Directors are:

| Name | Address |
|---------------------|--|
| Rhonda D. Nall | 9911 Bridlewood Road Pensacola, FL 32526 |
| Janice F. Wolf | 9911 Bridlewood Road Pensacola, FL 32526 |
| Mary Paulette Brown | 7055 Bridlewood Circle Pensacola, FL 32526 |
| Rev. Richard Crisco | 4629 Pebble Creek Drive Pensacola, FL 32526 |
| Brenda Kilpatrick | PO Box 63115 Pensacola, FL 32526 |
| Rev. Bob Phillips | 2070 Towning Drive Pensacola, FL 32505 |

Mike Berry

1921 Broyhill Lane Pensacola, FL 32526

The Directors named in these Articles of Incorporation as the first Board of Directors shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the board, at which an election of Directors shall be held. Except as provided below for the initial terms of first Directors, the term of office of each Director of this corporation shall be three (3) years or until his successor is elected. Successors for Directors whose terms of office are then expiring shall be elected at the annual meeting of the members in the year such terms expire. At the organizational meeting of the first Directors of this corporation, the Directors shall, by lot, classify themselves into three (3) groups. The first group shall consist of two (2) Directors whose initial term of office shall be one (1) year. The second group shall consist of two (2) Directors whose initial term of office shall be two years. The third group shall consist of three (3) Directors whose term shall be three (3) years.

Article VII

The name and street addresses of each incorporator is:

| Name | Address | |
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| Rhonda D. Nall | 9911 Bridlewood Road Pensacola, Florida 32526 | |
| Janice F. Wolf | 9911 Bridlewood Road Pensacola, Florida 32526 | |
| Mary Paulette Brown | 7055 Bridlewood Circle Pensacola, Florida 32526 | |

Article VIII

The property, assets, profits, and net income of this corporation are irrevocably dedicated to religious, charitable, scientific and educational purposes and no part of the

monies or net income of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any Director, officer or member thereof, of to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual. On the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation or corporation that is organized and operated exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific and educational purposes and that has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the undersigned, being the persons named above as the first Directors, have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 3rd day of December, 1998.

Rhonda D. Nall-President

Janice F. Wolf-Vice President

Mary Paulette Brown-Secretary

Richard Crisco-Treasurer

STATEMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

I, M. Robert Blanchard, Attorney at Law, agree to act as Registered Agent for D.E.B.O.R.A.H., Inc. (Developing, Enriching and Building Others Thru Reconciliation and Hope). My mailing address is: 316 South Baylen Street, 5te. 600 Pensacola, Florida 32501.

Signature

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