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SUBJECT: The Fort Lauderdale District of The African Methodist Episcopal Church,
Incorporated (Proposed corporate name - must include suffix)

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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& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: Rev. Elvin J. Parker Sr.
Name (Printed or typed)

18003 S.W. 87th Place
Address

Miami, Florida 33157
City, State & Zip

(305) 255-8111
Daytime Telephone number

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Katherine Harris
Secretary of State

January 7, 1999

REV. ELVIN J. PARKER, SR.
18003 S.W. 87TH PL.
MIAMI, FL 33157

SUBJECT: THE FORT LAUDERDALE DISTRICT OF THE AFRICAN
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, INCORPORATED
Ref. Number: W99000000441

We have received your document for THE FORT LAUDERDALE DISTRICT OF THE AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, INCORPORATED 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 entity must be identical throughout the document.

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.

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Alan Crum
Document Specialist

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**Articles of Incorporation for The Fort Lauderdale
District, African Methodist Episcopal Church,
Incorporated
(A Florida Nonprofit Corporation)**

**Article I
Nomenclature**

1.01 NOMENCLATURE: The name of the corporation shall be called The Fort Lauderdale District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated.

**Article II
Offices**

2.01 PRINCIPAL OFFICE: The principal office of the corporation shall be at such place within the state of Florida as the Board of Directors shall determine from time to time.

2.02 OTHER OFFICES: The corporation may also have other offices at such other places as the Board of Directors from time to time determine or the business of the corporation requires.

**Article III
Purpose**

3.01 The purpose(s) for which the corporation is formed are as follows:

A. The purpose of the corporation shall be to address the physical, spiritual, educational, social and economic welfare of its members and the surrounding community. It operates under the 11th Episcopal District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated.

B. The actions of this corporation shall in no wise conflict with the laws governing the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated.

**Article IV
Board of Directors**

4.01 GENERAL POWERS: The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by its Board of Directors.

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4.02 **BOARD CHAIRMAN:** The Presiding Elder of The Fort Lauderdale District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated -- as appointed by the Bishop of The Eleventh Episcopal District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated -- will serve as the Chairman of the organization's Board of Directors.

4.03 **NUMBER, TENURE, AND SELECTION OF OTHER BOARD MEMBERS:** The number of directors shall be not less than three (3) but not more than eleven (11). Directors must hold membership in The Fort Lauderdale District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated. Members of the Board of Directors are appointed annually by the Presiding Elder of The Fort Lauderdale District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated.

Article V

Registered Agent

5.01 **REGISTERED AGENT:** The name and Florida street address of the initial registered agent are:

The Reverend Elvin J. Parker, Sr.
18003 Southwest 87th Place
Miami, Florida 33157

Article VI

Incorporator

6.01 **INCORPORATOR:** The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are as follows:

Dr. Ginger A. Parker
18003 Southwest 87th Place
Miami, Florida 33157

Article VII

Effective Date

7.01 The effective date for these Articles of Incorporation is January 6, 1999.

Dr. Ginger A. Parker
Signature/Incorporator

12-29-98
Date

(An additional article must be added if an effective date is requested)

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.

Rev. Elvin J. Parker Sr.
Signature/Registered Agent

12-29-98
Date

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The Fort Lauderdale District of The African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated

District Office:
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Facsimile: (305) 969-8091

Bishop Frank C. Cummings, 11th Episcopal District Presiding Prelate
Mrs. Martha C. Cummings, Episcopal Supervisor of Missions

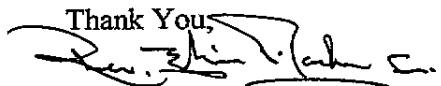

The Reverend Elvin J. Parker, Sr., Presiding Elder
The Fort Lauderdale District of the
African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated

January 2, 1999

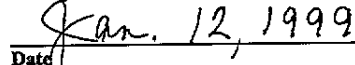
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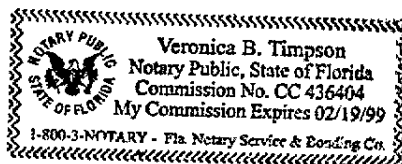
This is to certify that The Fort Lauderdale District of The African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated is a duly authorized district of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated. It is recognized as a regional district of the 11th Episcopal District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated and it is empowered to transact business on behalf of and to oversee operations of matters pertaining to those churches placed under its jurisdiction.

Thank You,



The Reverend Elvin J. Parker, Sr., Presiding Elder
The Fort Lauderdale District of The
African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated


Notary Public


Date Jan. 12, 1999



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The Reverend Elvin J. Parker, Sr., Presiding Elder
The Fort Lauderdale District of the
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December 28, 1998

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P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, Fl 32314

Dear Sirs:

The following churches are on The Fort Lauderdale District of The African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated:

Mount Hermon A.M.E. Church
401 N. W. 7th Terrace
Ft. Lauderdale, Fl 33311

St. James A. M. E. Church
1845 N. W. 65th Street
Miami, Florida 33147

Mount Hermon A.M.E. Church
2245 West Bunch Park Drive
Opa Locka, Fl 33054

Ward Chapel A.M.E. Church
900 N. W. 6th Street
Hallandale, Florida 33009

Mount Zion A.M.E. Church
2261 N. W. 152nd Terrace
Opa Locka, Fl 33054

Mount Pleasant A.M.E. Church
2341 Forrest Street
Hollywood, Florida 33020

Metropolitan A.M.E. Church
1778 N. W. 69th Street
Miami, Fl 33147

Greater Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church
5020 S. W. 18th Street
West Hollywood, Fl 33023

Mount Zion A.M.E. Church
215 N. W. 5th Avenue
Dania, Florida 33004

Mount Zion A.M.E. Church
3431 N. E. 5th Court
Oakland Park, Fl 33311

Allen Chapel A.M.E. Church
1201 N. W. 11th Street
Miami, Florida 33168

St. Stephens A.M.E. Church
3400 N. W/ 215th Street
Carol City, Fl 33056

St. James A.M.E. Church
2713 N. W. 12th Court
Ft. Lauderdale, Fl 33311

Gibbs Chapel A.M.E. Church
1538 N. E. 152nd Street
North Miami, Fl 33162

S. A. Cousin Memorial Temple A.M.E. Church
17325 N. W. 27th Avenue
Miami, Florida 33056

Christian Hill A.M.E. Church
4910 N. W. 181st Terrace
Carol City, Fl 33055

S. L. Gay A. M. E. Church
2946 N. W. 62nd Street
Miami, Florida 33142

Trinity Allen A. M. E. Church
5705 Hallandale Beach Boulevard
Hollywood, Florida 33023

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rev. Elvin J. Parker, Sr.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

The Rev. Elvin J. Parker, Sr., Presiding Elder
The Fort Lauderdale District of The
African Methodist Episcopal Church, Incorporated