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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
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SUBJECT: GREAT COMMISSION MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL Inc.
(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 :

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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: WALEED NASSAR
Name (Printed or typed)

4111 OLD VILLAGE WAY
Address

OLDSMAR, FL 34677
City, State & Zip

813-814-9468
Daytime Telephone number

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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Katherine Harris
Secretary of State

January 13, 1999

WALEED NASSAR
4111 OLD VILLAGE WAY
OLDSMAR, FL 34677

SUBJECT: GREAT COMMISSION MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL, INC.
Ref. Number: W99000000961

We have received your document for GREAT COMMISSION MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL, 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):

According to section 607.0202(1)(b) or 617.0202(1)(b), Florida Statutes, you must list the corporation's principal office, and if different, a mailing address in the document. If the principal address and the registered office address are the same, please indicate so in your document.

Section 617.0202(d), Florida Statutes, requires the manner in which directors are elected or appointed be contained in the articles of incorporation or a statement that the method of election of directors is as stated in the bylaws.

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) 487-6933.

Dana Calloway
Document Specialist

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*Roth corrected on page 2
in Articles VI & VII*

W.N.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
GREAT COMMISSION MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL, INC.

I, the undersigned natural person of the age of eighteen (18) years or more, acting as incorporator of a corporation under the Florida Non-Profit Corporation Act, do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I
NAME

The name of the corporation is Great Commission Ministries International, Inc.

ARTICLE II
POWERS

The corporation is a non-profit corporation and shall have all of the powers, duties, authorizations and responsibilities as provided in the Florida Non-Profit Corporation Act as may be necessary or appropriate to fulfilling the purposes for which the corporation is organized. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Incorporation, the corporation shall neither have nor exercise any power, nor shall it carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation that is exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law (hereinafter referred to as the "Code", or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Code.

ARTICLE III
PURPOSE

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, literary and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

The corporation shall not carry on or engage in, otherwise than as an insubstantial part of its activities, activities which in themselves are not in furtherance of its exempt purposes.

ARTICLE IV
DURATION

The period of the corporation's duration is perpetual.

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**ARTICLE V
NO MEMBERS**

The corporation shall have no members.

**ARTICLE VI
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENTS**

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 4111 Old Village Way, Oldsmar, Florida 34677. This is also the principal address of the corporation. The name of the registered agent at such address is Waleed Nassar. The mailing address of the corporation shall be P. O. Box 717 Safety Harbor, FL 34695.

**ARTICLE VII
DIRECTORS AND MANNER OF ELECTION**

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the corporation is four (4). The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

<u>Names</u>	<u>Addresses</u>
Waleed Nassar	4111 Old Village Way Oldsmar, Florida 34677
Mark Masso	6505 N. 35 th Street McAllen, Texas 78504
Dan Reidy	12508 Queensland Ln. Tampa, Florida 33625
Leila Nassar	4111 Old Village Way Oldsmar, Florida 34677

The full and complete management and control of the corporation shall be vested in its Board of Directors, the number of which shall be determined by the bylaws of the corporation. This number shall be subject to change from time to time as the bylaws may be amended by the Board of Directors; provided, however, that the number of directors shall never be less than three (3). The manner of election of directors shall be as stated in the Bylaws of the corporation.

**ARTICLE VIII
BYLAWS**

The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal the bylaws of the corporation shall be vested in its Board of Directors.

**ARTICLE IX
NO INUREMENT**

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its directors, officers or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay any person (whether or not such person is a director or officer of the corporation) or entity reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III hereof.

**ARTICLE X
PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES**

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.

**ARTICLE XI
DISSOLUTION**

Upon the 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, educational, religious, literary or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the District Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

**ARTICLE XII
INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Name

Address

Waleed V. Nassar

4111 Old Village Way Oldsmar, Florida 34677

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as of the 7th day of January, 1999.

Waleed V. Nassar

DESIGNATION AND ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Pursuant to the provisions of F.S. 607.0501, 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 Great Commission Ministries International, Inc.
2. The name of the registered agent is Waleed Nassar.
3. The address of the registered agent/registered office is 4111 Old Village Way, Oldsmar, Florida 34677.

ACCEPTANCE

Having been named as registered agent and designated to accept service of process for the above corporation, 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 the 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.

Waleed Nassar
Waleed Nassar

Dated this 7th day of January, 1999.

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