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ARTICLES of INCORPORATION
for
The Father's House
Ministries, Inc.

(NON - PROFIT CORPORATION)

Pursuant to the provisions of the Non-Profit Corporation Act of the State of Alabama , the undersigned hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation :

ARTICLE I : The name of this corporation is *The Father's House Ministries, Inc.* hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation "

ARTICLE II : The duration of the corporation is *perpetual* , unless otherwise stated .

ARTICLE III . Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable , religious , educational , 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 Internal Revenue Service , or the corresponding section of any future tax code . *The specific purpose of the corporation is to establish and provide nonprofit community social services for low income families residing in rural and urban areas . The organization's nonprofit social services are designed to provide low income populations assistance and avenues in the areas of employment training services , financial education and other nonprofit program services that will led this special population to a greater degree of self -sufficiency . Therefore ,we will deal in and with the establishment of nonprofit social service programs for low income populations , whenever and wherever situated .*

ARTICLE IV : *The address of said corporation is 58 – Hillsdale Dr. Columbiana , AL. 35051 . The name of the registered agent is Carol Lacey and the address of the registered agent is P.O. Box 1761 – Columbiana , AL. 35051*

ARTICLE V: The corporation will initially have (5) directors . The initial directors' name(s) and address(es) are :

Carol Lacey	P.O. Box 1761 - Columbiana , AL. 35051
Teresa Whiting	646 - Hwy. 47 Columbiana , AL. 35051
Cynthia Warren	19085 - River Dr. Shelby , AL. 35143
Dora Haith	1065 - Independence Court Alabaster , AL. 35007
Jimmy Fields	1628 - 18 TH Street SW Birmingham , AL. 35211

ARTICLE VI : The name and addresses of the Incorporators are as follows

Carol Lacey	P.O. Box 1761 Columbiana , AL. 35051
Teresa Whiting	646 - Hwy 47 Columbiana , AL. 35051
Cynthia Warren	19085 - River Dr. Shelby , AL. 35143

ARTICLE VII : No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members , trustees , officers , or other private persons , 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 the purposes set forth in Article III hereof . 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 or in opposition to any candidate for public office . Notwithstanding any other provision of the articles , this corporation shall not , except to an insubstantial degree , engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of the corporation . Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles , this corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501-c 3 of the Internal Revenue Code or by a corporation , contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 c 2 of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE VIII : Upon the dissolution of the corporation , assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code , or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code ,or shall be distributed to the federal government , or to a state or local government , for a public purpose . Any such assets not so disposed shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located , exclusively for such purposes or to such organizations , as said Court shall determine , which are operated exclusively for such purposes

ARTICLE IX : The Corporation will not have members.

In witness whereof , we have hereunto subscribed our names as incorporators of said non-profit corporation on this 13th day of May , 2004

Carol Lacey
Carol Lacey

Teresa Whiting
Teresa Whiting

Cynthia Warren
Cynthia Warren

The undersigned , being the registered agent listed in these Articles of Incorporation hereby accepts the position as such and agrees to act in such capacity . The undersigned further represents that she / he is familiar with the obligations of the position and agrees to comply with them.

Carol Lacey
Carol Lacey , Registered Agent

ATTESTATION

In WITNESS thereof to the above signatures , I, Charles Fields a notary public for the State of Alabama , have entered my hand and seal this 13th day of May 2004

Charles L. Fields
Notary Public
Charles L. Fields
Notary Public Alabama State at Large
My Commission Expires March 08, 2007



State of Alabama Shelby County

Certificate of Incorporation

Of

The Father's House Ministries, Inc.

The undersigned, as Judge of Probate of Shelby County, State of Alabama, hereby certifies that duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation of The Father's House Ministries, Inc. of Shelby County, Inc., duly signed and verified pursuant to the provisions of Section Non Profit of the Alabama Business Corporation Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY the undersigned, as such Judge of Probate, and by virtue of the authority vested in her by law, hereby issues this Certificate of Incorporation of The Father's House Ministries, Inc., and attaches hereto a duplicate original of the Articles of Incorporation.

Given under my hand and Official Seal on
this the **13th** day of May, 2004

Patricia Yeager Fuhrmeister

Patricia Yeager Fuhrmeister
Judge of Probate

