ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

SEEDS OF RESTORATION, INC.

A NONPROFIT CORPORATION

STATE OF ALABAMA

**COUNTY OF SHELBY** 

These articles of incorporation are signed and acknowledged by the incorporators for the

purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation under the provisions of Chapter 3A of Title 10, Code

of Alabama (1975) known as the Alabama Nonprofit Corporation Act and to comply with

Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code as follows:

**ARTICLE I** 

The name of the Corporation is SEEDS OF RESTORATION, INC.

**ARTICLE II** 

The objects or purposes of this corporation are as follows:

(a) To educate individuals using the Word of God into an understanding of the

knowledge of who they are in Christ.

(b) To foster, develop and promote the spreading of the Gospel and activities pertaining

to evangelism in the State of Alabama and elsewhere, as the directors may see fit.

(c) To do all things necessary and incident to promote the general social, benevolent and

charitable work in whatever manner and through whatever medium may seem appropriate to the

Board of Directors.

(d) The purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively religious,

charitable, scientific, literary and educational within the meaning of section 501(C)(3) of the

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### **ARTICLE III**

The corporation shall have all the general powers enumerated in Article 20, Chapter 3A of Title 10, Code of Alabama (1975).

This corporation is organized under the Alabama Nonprofit Corporation Act, and while it may receive contributions and dues, such contributions and dues as it may receive shall be used to further the purposes for which this corporation is organized and its income shall be used in keeping the statutory requirements of the Alabama Nonprofit Corporation Act.

# **ARTICLE IV**

The names and places of residence, or business of each of the incorporators are as follows:

<u>NAMES</u>

<u>ADDRESSES</u>

CHRIS WARREN SEEDS

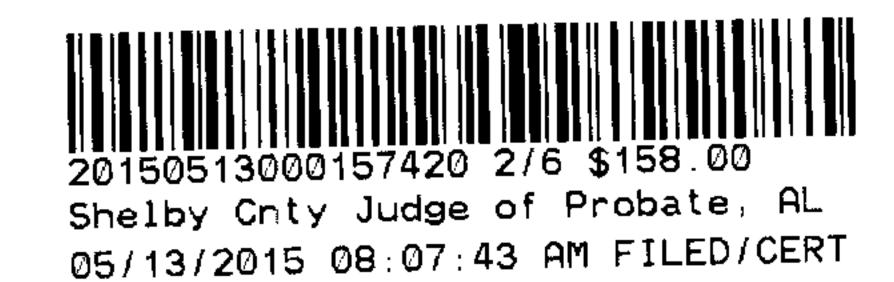
2101 1st Avenue West, Apt. 30, Maylene, AL 35114

# **ARTICLE V**

The membership shall be open to all persons or organizations interested in furthering the aims of the corporation. No person, firm, associations, or corporation shall be entitled to membership in the corporation unless dues or financial contributions, as prescribed in the By-Laws of the corporation, shall be paid to the corporation at least annually. Members of the corporation shall be one class and membership shall be limited to natural persons.

### **ARTICLE VI**

The officers of SEEDS OF RESTORATION, INC., shall consist of the President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The Board of Directors of SEEDS OF RESTORATION,



INC., shall consist of not less than three (3) persons, not related by blood or marriage, elected as provided in the Corporations By-Laws. Directors and officers of the corporation shall serve for a period of one (1) year, or until such time as their successors shall be duly elected and qualified. The number of directors and terms of their service may be hereafter modified by the By-Laws.

## **ARTICLE VII**

The Board of Directors may adopt by-laws for the governance of the Corporation.

# **ARTICLE VIII**

The location and address of the corporation's initial registered office is 2101 1st Avenue West, Apt. 30, Maylene, AL 35114. The address of the registered agent is 2101 1st Avenue West, Apt. 30, Maylene, AL 35114. The name of the registered agent is CHRIS WARREN SEEDS.

# **ARTICLE IX**

This being a benevolent corporation, its term is unlimited and in perpetuity.

### **ARTICLE X**

The names of the officers of the corporation shall be:

<u>OFFICES</u> <u>NAMES</u>

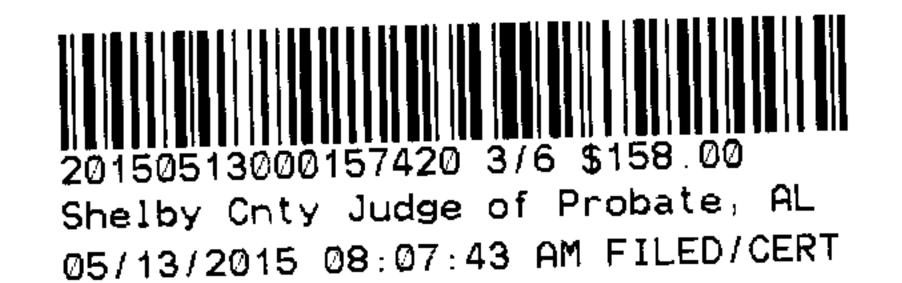
President CHRIS WARREN SEEDS
Secretary/Treasurer DANNA GRADY TAYLOR

### **ARTICLE XI**

The names of the Board of Directors of the Corporation chosen for the first year or until their respective successors are elected and qualified are as follows:

NAMES ADDRESSES

CHRIS WARREN SEEDS 2101 1st Avenue West, Apt. 30, Maylene, AL 35114
DANNA GRADY TAYLOR 111 Brook Circle, Pelham, AL 35124



2110 Baker Drive, Tarrant, AL 35217

JEFF MICHAEL JONES

**ARTICLE XII** 

In the event of an election to dissolve the Corporation, the assets thereof, in the process of

dissolution, shall be applied and distributed as follows:

All liabilities and obligations of the Corporation shall be paid, satisfied, and

discharged, or adequate provision shall be made therefor;

(b) In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over

to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in

Sections 501 (C)(3) and 170 (C)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or the Federal, State,

or Local government for exclusive public purpose.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not carry

on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (1) a corporation exempt from Federal

income tax under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or the corresponding

provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law or (2) a corporation, contributions to

which are deductible under Section 170(C)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, or any

other corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

**ARTICLE XIII** 

It shall not be necessary to amend the Articles of Incorporation in order to change the

number, the designations, the terms, or the method of selection of the officers and directors of

this corporation, and any such changes may be made by proper amendment to the by-laws of the

corporation.

We, the undersigned, each being over nineteen (19) years of age constitute all of the

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members of SEEDS OF RESTORATION, INC. and hereby certify that we are duly constituted members of SEEDS OF RESTORATION, INC. and constitute all of its members and desire to become incorporated as set forth above.

In Witness Whereof the incorporators have signed the Articles of Incorporation on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2015.

CHRIS WARREN SEEDS

# STATE OF ALABAMA SHELBY COUNTY

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said State and County, personally appeared CHRIS WARREN SEEDS who each being by me first duly sworn, states that they are the persons named as the Incorporators of SEEDS OF RESTORATION, INC. and that they, as such Incorporators are bona fide members and each are over the age of nineteen (19) years of age and make this affidavit to comply with the Statutes and Laws of Alabama relative to the incorporation of a Nonprofit Organization, under Chapter 3A of Title 10, Alabama Code as Amended.

This the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2015.

Notary Public

ELISAT FRENCH
Notary Public, State of Alabama
Alabama State At Large
My Commission Expires

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<del>July 23,</del> 2016

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John H. Merrill Secretary of State P.O. Box 5616 Montgomery, AL 36103-5616

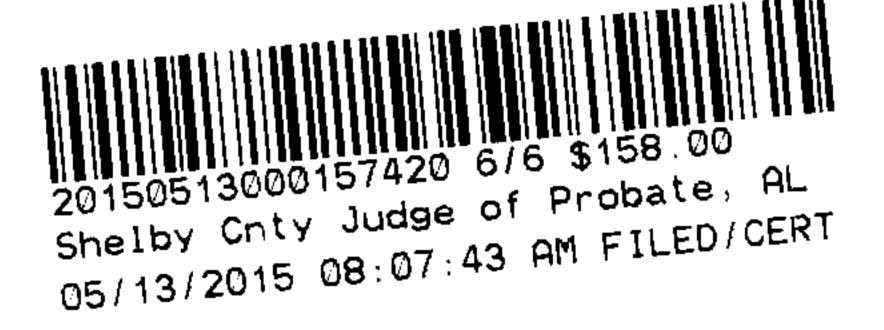
# STATE OF ALABAMA

I, John H. Merrill, Secretary of State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that

pursuant to the provisions of Title 10A, Chapter 1, Article 5, Code of Alabama 1975, and upon an examination of the entity records on file in this office, the following entity name is reserved as available:

SEEDS OF RESTORATION, INC.

This name reservation is for the exclusive use of Michael French, 4445 Crescent Road, Irondale, AL 35210 for a period of one year beginning April 30, 2015 and expiring April 30, 2016





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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this day.

April 30, 2015

Date

J.W.M.

John H. Merrill

**Secretary of State**