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## **ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

### **OF**

### **HURUMA INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES**

This is to certify that, for the purpose of forming a Corporation pursuant to the provisions of Sections 10-3A-1, *et seq.*, Code of Alabama (1975), as amended (the "Alabama Nonprofit Corporation Act"), the undersigned does hereby make, adopt and file the following Articles of Incorporation:

#### **ARTICLE I**

##### **Name**

The name of the Corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation") shall be Huruma International Ministries.

#### **ARTICLE II**

##### **Duration**

The duration and existence of the Corporation shall be perpetual.

#### **ARTICLE III**

##### **Purpose**

(a) This Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes, more specifically, to care for underprivileged children, using God's provision to help improve their physical well-being, enhance their education opportunities, encourage their spiritual growth through a personal relationship with God through Jesus Christ and to assist them in reaching their full potential in glorifying God in their lives.

(b) No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its incorporators, officers, benefactors or directors 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 the purpose clause herein. No incorporator, officer, benefactor or director or other private person shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation. 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. Notwithstanding any of the provisions of these Articles, the 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 of 1986, as amended, or its successor, or by a Corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or its successor.

## **ARTICLE IV**

### **Board of Directors**

(a) The property, business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall consist of not less than (3) directors. Members of the first Board of Directors are listed below in Article IV (b) and shall serve until the first annual meeting, at which their successors are duly elected and qualified, or removed as provided in the bylaws. Vacancies in the initial board shall be filled by the remaining directors to serve for the unexpired portion of the term relating to such vacancy.

(b) The names and addresses of the initial Board of Directors are as follows:

Wynn M. Shuford, 929 Highland Lakes Lane, Birmingham, AL 35242

Angela A. Shuford, 929 Highland Lakes Lane, Birmingham, AL 35242

Dr. Mark A. Hunter, 3201 Overton Manor Drive, Birmingham, AL 35243

## **ARTICLE V**

### **No Members**

The Corporation shall not have members.

## **ARTICLE VI**

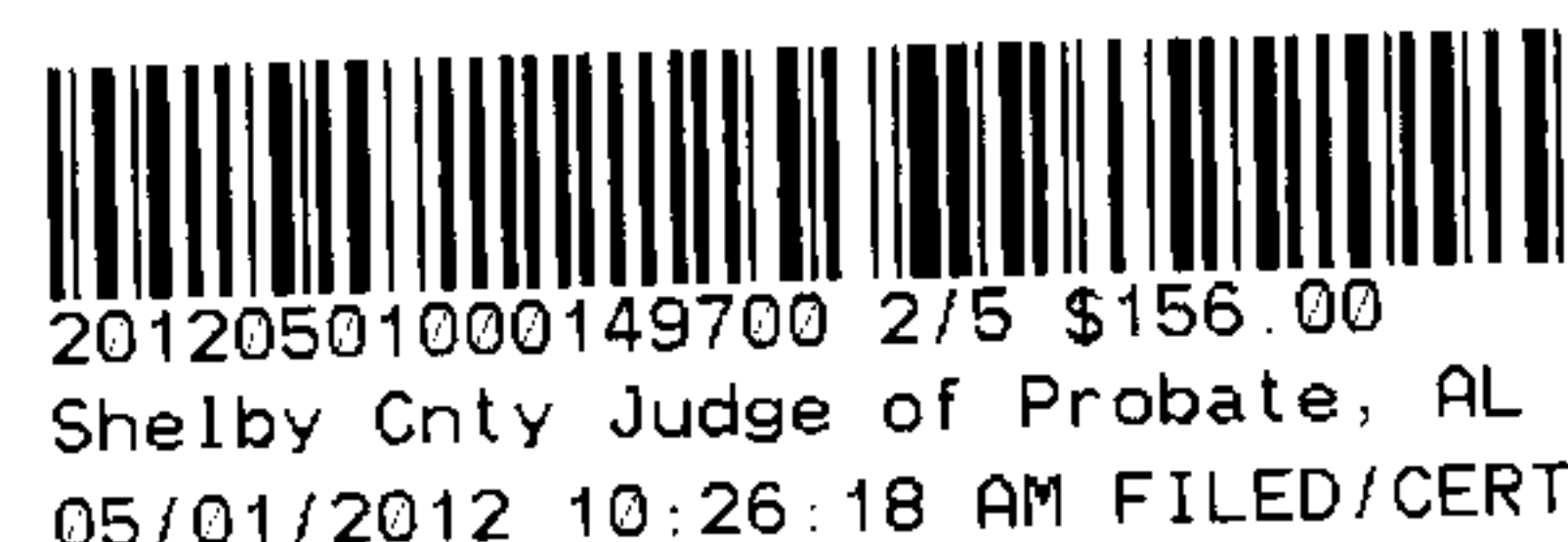
### **By-Laws**

The Board of Directors of the Corporation shall adopt by-laws governing the conduct of its affairs. Thereafter, the power to alter or repeal the by-laws of the Corporation shall be vested in the Board of Directors.

## **ARTICLE VII**

### **Initial Registered Office and Agent**

The initial registered office of the Corporation shall be 929 Highland Lakes Lane, Shelby County, Birmingham, AL 35242. The initial registered agent of the Corporation shall be Wynn M. Shuford who shall be located at the initial registered office of the Corporation.





## ARTICLE VIII

### Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator of the Corporation is as follows: Wynn M. Shuford, 929 Highland Lakes Lane, Birmingham, AL 35242.

## ARTICLE IX

### Personal Liability

No incorporator, officer, or director of this Corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this Corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the incorporator, officers, or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this Corporation.


Pursuant to Sections 10-11-1, *et seq.*, Code of Alabama (1975), all noncompensated officers of the Corporation shall be immune from suit and not subject to civil liability arising from the conduct of the affairs of the Corporation except when the act or omission of such officer, which gives rise to a cause of action, amounts to willful or wanton misconduct or fraud, or gross negligence. For purposes of this Article IX, the terms "officer" shall include the Corporation's officers, directors, and trustees, and the members of any other governing body of the Corporation.

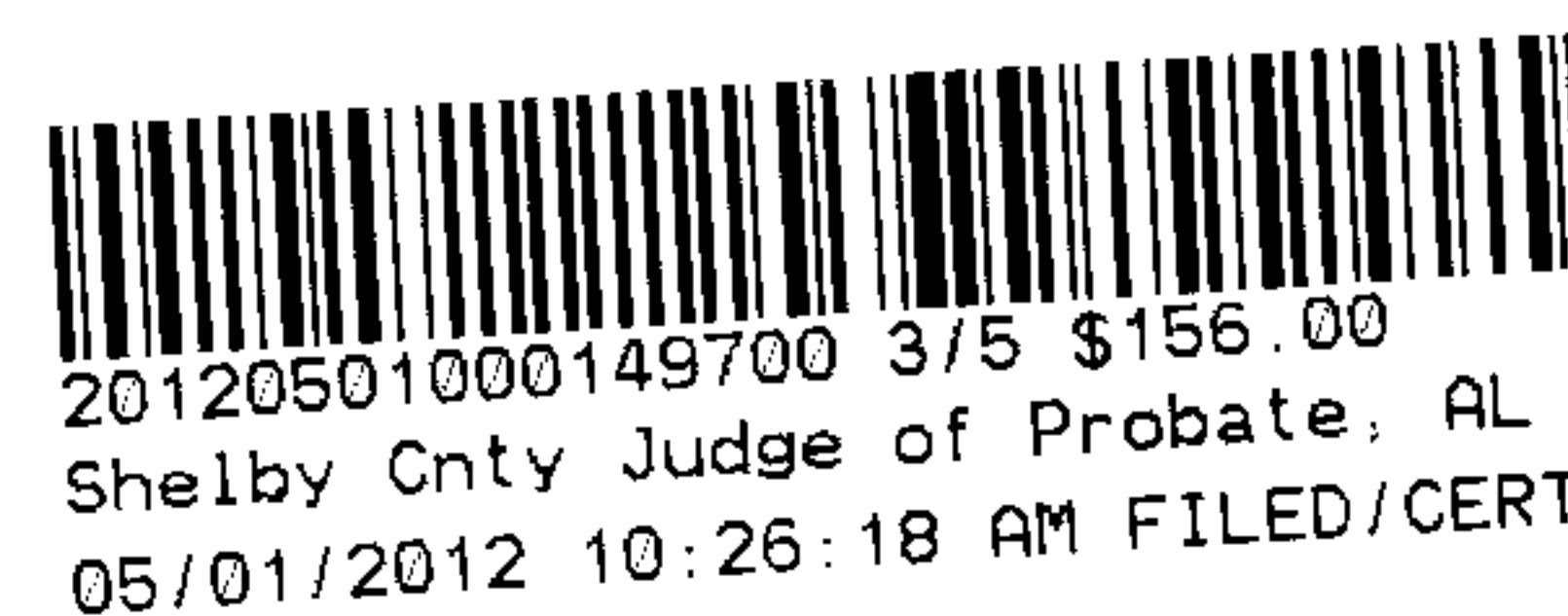
## ARTICLE X

### Dissolution

At the time of dissolution of the Corporation, the board of directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all debts, obligations, liabilities, costs and expenses of the Corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the Corporation exclusively for purposes of the Corporation in such manner or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, literary or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as such under Sections 501(c)(3) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, as the Board of Directors shall determine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the incorporator has hereunto set his hand on this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2012.

  
Wynn M. Shuford, Incorporator



STATE OF ALABAMA                    )  
  )  
JEFFERSON COUNTY                    )


I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said county in said state, hereby certify that Wynn M. Shuford, whose name is signed to the foregoing instrument and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the above and foregoing instrument, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal on this the 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2012.

Jessica Kay Taylor Brinkley  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 2/22/13

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Beth Chapman  
Secretary of State

P. O. Box 5616  
Montgomery, AL 36103-5616

# STATE OF ALABAMA

**I, Beth Chapman, 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:

**Huruma International Ministries**

This domestic nonprofit corporation is proposed to be formed in Alabama and is  
for the exclusive use of Wynn Shuford, 929 Highland Lakes Lane, Birmingham,  
AL 35242 for a period of one hundred twenty days beginning April 27, 2012 and  
expiring August 25, 2012.



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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 27, 2012

Date

*Beth Chapman*

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Secretary of State



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