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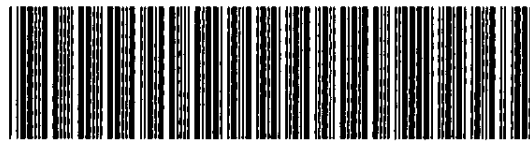
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Robert Andrew Griffin
102 Nordberg Avenue
Valparaiso, FL 32580
850-865-9163

Date: 09/30/14

Florida Department of State
Division of Corporations
PO Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE: HOPE GLOBAL INITIATIVE, INC.

Dear Sir or Madam:

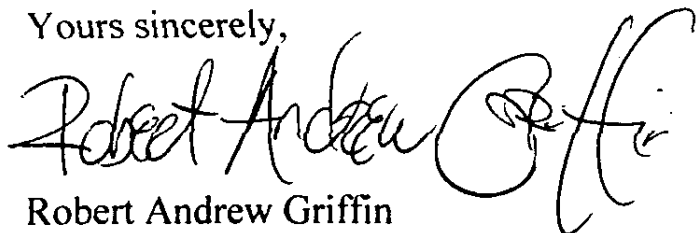
Enclosed please find one original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above-named corporation and payment in the amount of \$78.75 for filing. Also please find enclosed the Acceptance of Appointment as Registered Agent.

The amount above also includes \$8.75 for a certified copy to be returned to us.

Please return the appropriate document(s) to me at the above address.

Thank you for kind and courteous attention.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert Andrew Griffin". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "G" at the end.

Robert Andrew Griffin

Email address: agriffin@foce.org

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
HOPE GLOBAL INITIATIVE, INC.**

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Not for Profit Corporation Act, hereby adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

1. The name of the Corporation is **HOPE GLOBAL INITIATIVE, INC.**
2. The principal street address of the principal office and place of business is:

102 Nordberg Avenue
Valparaiso, FL 32580.
3. The specific purpose for which the corporation is organized is to aid orphans and the poor, and other various forms of religious ministry.
4. The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed is that the directors are appointed by the incorporator and thereafter the directors are elected pursuant to the Bylaws of the corporation.
5. The name and Florida address of the initial registered agent are:

Alice Murray
102 Nordberg Avenue
Valparaiso, FL 32580.
6. This organization is a nonprofit religious organization and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized exclusively for religious 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 Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
7. No substantial part of the activities of this organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code, and the organization shall not participate in or

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intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

8. The property of this organization is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes. No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its directors, officers, members, or other private persons, except that the organization 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 hereof.
9. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles of incorporation, this organization shall not engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this organization, and the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
10. Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this organization, 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 a nonprofit fund, foundation or organization which is organized and operated for religious purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the organization 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.

The name and address of the Incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation are:
Robert Andrew Griffin

102 Nordberg Avenue
Valparaiso, FL 32580.

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature/Incorporator

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Date

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**ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AS
REGISTERED AGENT**

I, Alice Murray, hereby accept the Appointment as Registered Agent for HOPE GLOBAL INITIATIVE, INC.:

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 am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Alice H. Murray
Signature/Registered Agent

9/29/14
Date

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**APPOINTMENT OF INITIAL DIRECTORS OF
HOPE GLOBAL INITIATIVE, INC.**

A Nonprofit Corporation of the State of Florida

The undersigned appoints the following initial directors of the above corporation, with full power to take whatever action is needed to perfect the formation of that corporation:

Robert Andrew Griffin
Marielos Griffin
Alice Murray
Brice Early
Lisa Lewis.

Date:

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Division of Corporations

October 8, 2014

ROBERT ANDREW GRIFFIN
102 NORDBERG AVENUE
VALPARAISO, FL 32580

SUBJECT: HOPE GLOBAL INITIATIVE, INC.
Ref. Number: W14000061375

We have received your document for HOPE GLOBAL INITIATIVE, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Section 617.0803, Florida Statutes, requires that the board of directors never have fewer than three directors.

Please return the corrected 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) 245-6052.

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