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Articles of Amendment and Registered Agent/Office Statement of Change Re:

Dear Colleen:

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Enclosed herewith is copy of Articles of Amendment with Restated Articles of Incorporation and Registered Agent/Office Statement of Change as filed with the Secretary of State for your files.

With very $_{\!\scriptscriptstyle \rm g}$ kind personal regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Dorrance Aultman

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Enclosures

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The undersigned persons, pursuant to Section 79-4-10.06 (if a profit corporation) or Section 79-11-305 (if a nonprofit corporation) of the Mississippi Code of 1972, hereby execute the following document and set forth:

1. Type of Corp	ration	
Profit	Nonprofit	
2. Name of Corp	pration	
William Care	University	
3. The future effection (Complete if a		
5. If an amendm cancellation of is they are not cont	attached with Restated Articles Incorporation attached with Restated Articles Incorporation for a business corporation provides for an exchange, reclassification, or attached there to sued shares, set forth the provisions for implementing the amendment if ined in the amendment itself. (Attach page)	67 \
	t(s) was (were) adopted on	
٦	Jovember 9, 2006 Date(s)	
	PORATION (Check the appropriate box)	
Adopted by	the incorporators directors without shareholder action and shareholder action was not required.	
FOR NONPROFIT	CORPORATION (Check the appropriate box)	
Adopted by	the incorporators board of directors without member action and member action was not required.	
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Designation	No. of outstanding No. of votes entitled No. of votes shares to be cast indisputably represented	***

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(b) EITHER

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By: Signature	(Please keep writing within blocks)
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Printed Name	Tommy King Title Acting President

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WILLIAM CAREY UNIVERSITY

THERE came on for consideration of the Board the matter of Restated Articles of Incorporation of William Carey University, after notice of the consideration of Restated Articles of Incorporation was duly given, and the matter is before the Board of Trustees for consideration as required by the Articles of Incorporation and the ByLaws of William Carey University, and the laws and statutes of the State of Mississippi, and all twenty-four (24) members of the Board of Trustees of William Carey University having considered the matter, fully and by unanimous vote, it is:

RESOLVED that the Restated Articles of Incorporation of William Carey University as attached hereto be, and the same are hereby, adopted.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that legal counsel shall file with the Secretary of State for the State of Mississippi the necessary documents to effectuate approval of Restated Articles of Incorporation.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that Dr. Tommy King be, and he is hereby, designated as the Registered Agent for said corporation.

RESOLVED AND ADOPTED on this, the 4 day of Worksher A.D., 2006.

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF

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SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

WILLIAM CAREY UNIVERSITY

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 79, Chapter 11, Mississippi Nonprofit Corporation Act, the undersigned corporation adopts the following amended and restated charter which shall supersede the present charter and all amendments thereto.

- 1. The name of the corporation is William Carey University.
- 2. The corporation shall have perpetual duration.
- 3. The street address of the corporation's registered office is 498 Tuscan Avenue, Hattiesburg, Forrest County, Mississippi, and the name of the registered agent at the office is Dr. Tommy King.
- 4. Without limiting its right to engage in any lawful activity and without limiting the statutory powers granted it, the purposes of William Carey University are to be a Christ-centered institution of higher learning; to offer undergraduate and graduate degree programs and educational activities that emphasize scholarship, leadership, and service; and to engage in any other educational or religious endeavors as may be deemed appropriate by the board of directors to be consistent with its overall mission as a Mississippi Baptist institution.
- 5. The board of directors (which may be called the board of trustees) of the corporation shall consist of up to twenty four persons. The precise number shall be determined by the board of directors. Members of the board shall be elected by the Mississippi Baptist Convention. No person shall be eligible for nomination for election as a member of the board by the Convention's Nominating Committee unless the person has been jointly approved by the board of trustees and the Convention's Nominating Committee. If a vacancy on the board exists for which no nominee is jointly approved, another person shall be elected through a duly approved Convention constitutional trustee election process. Vacancies on the Board of Trustees arising between Conventions, and vacancies existing as the result of the Convention's failure to elect a person to fill the vacancy, may be filled by the Board pending the filling of the vacancy by the Mississippi Baptist Convention.
 - 6. The corporation shall have no members.
- 7. The corporation is not formed for pecuniary or financial gain, and no part of the assets or net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any individual. 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 distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

8. The assets of the corporation shall be dedicated to the purposes of the corporation. Upon dissolution of the corporation, the assets shall be distributed to the Mississippi Baptist Convention, if the Convention is then a tax exempt organization within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. If the Mississippi Baptist Convention is not then so exempt, the assets shall be distributed only to an organization or organizations exempt from taxation, pursuant to Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 as amended.

Executed for the corporation by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

CERTIFICATE

The attached Restatement of the Articles of Incorporation of William Carey University was adopted by a majority vote of the directors in office at a meeting of the board of directors on the day of day of 1000 Mile the restatement contains amendments to the present Articles of Incorporation, there are no members of the corporation and thus no membership approval is required. The approval of the Mississippi Baptist Convention is not required since there is no amendment which changes the corporation's relationship to the Mississippi Baptist Convention.

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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P.O. BOX 136, JACKSON, MS 39205-0136 (601) 359-1333 Registered Agent/Office Statement of Change **Nonprofit Corporation**

	1. Corpoi	rate ID									
⇔	00202956										
	2. Corpor	ate Name									
\Rightarrow	William Carey University										
	3. Federal Tax ID										
⇔	64-0329300										
	4. Name a	nd Street Ad	dress of the Regist	ered Agent and Reg	iste	red Of	fic	e are			
⇔	Name	Larry Kenn	nedy								
⇔	Physical Address	498 Tuscan Avenue									
⇨	P.O. Box										
⇒	City, State, ZIP5, ZIP4		Hattiesburg		7	MS]	39401		- 549	99
	5. New Reg	istered Agen	t Name and Regist	ered Office Address	 s	L	J				
⇒	Dr. Tommy King										
⇒	Physical Address										
⇒	P.O. Box										
>	City, State, 2	ZIP5, ZIP4	Hattiesburg			MS		39401	-	5499	
	6. If agent has changed, mark appropriate box										

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P.O. BOX 136, JACKSON, MS 39205-0136 (601) 359-1333

Registered Agent/Office Statement of Change Nonprofit Corporation

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		Signature of (Please keep w	Registered Agent rriting within block)	Taming	hing	2
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	7. The C	Corporation l	as been notified	of the change of registered (office.	
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		Signature	Joinne	Shing		seep writing within blocks)
	1	imed Name	Dr. Tommy King	3	Title	Acting President

Filing Fee: \$10.00