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**JAN 27 2003**

By [Signature]

**NON-PROFIT CORPORATION**

**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO  
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
(To Be Filed In Duplicate Original)

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Pursuant to the provisions of Section 7-6-40 of the General Laws, 1956, as amended, the undersigned corporation adopts the following Articles of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation:

1. The name of the corporation is The Blackstone Valley Catholic Worker, Inc.

2. The following amendment to the Articles of Incorporation was adopted by the corporation:

[Insert Amendment]

a) The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and/or scientific purposes under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

b) 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 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. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization 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 other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

(c) See attached.

3. The amendment was adopted in the following manner:

(check one box only)

- ☒ The amendment was adopted at a meeting of the members held on January 15, 2003, at which meeting a quorum was present, and the amendment received at least a majority of the votes which members present or represented by proxy at such meeting were entitled to cast.
- ☐ The amendment was adopted by a consent in writing on \_\_\_\_\_, signed by all members entitled to vote with respect thereto.
- ☐ The amendment was adopted at a meeting of the Board of Directors held on \_\_\_\_\_ and received the vote of a majority of the directors in office, there being no members entitled to vote with respect thereto.

4. Date when amendment is to become effective Upon filing.  
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Amendment)

Under penalty of perjury, we declare and affirm that we have examined these Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation, including any accompanying attachments, and that all statements contained herein are true and correct.

Date: January 15, 2003

The Blackstone Valley Catholic Worker, Inc.

Print Corporate Name

By James T. Bzin  
☒ President or ☐ Vice President (check one)

**AND**  
By Therese M. Colnois  
☒ Secretary or ☐ Assistant Secretary (check one)

Form 201 – Supplemental Attachment  
The Blackstone Valley Catholic Worker, Inc.  
January 15, 2003

2. The following amendment to the Articles of Incorporation was adopted by the corporation:

(continued)

**(c) Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or 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.**

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