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NAME OF CORPORATION:	Middle Easteri	n American Professionals As	sociation, Inc.	
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The enclosed Articles of Amendment and fee are submitted for filing.				
Please return all correspondence co	ncerning this matter	to the following:		
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# ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT to

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation.

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted: (INDICATE ARTICLE NUMBER(S) BEING AMENDED, ADDED OR DELETED.)

#### AMENDING ARTICLE III to read as follows:

#### ARTICLE III

The Corporation is organized exclusively for educational, religious and charitable 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.

#### AMENDING ARTICLE VII to read as follows:

#### **ARTICLE VII**

The Board of Directors shall consist of five (5) persons. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by an amendment to the bylaws; however, there shall never be less than three directors. All directors shall be selected as provided for in the bylaws.

Ziyad Mneimneh President 8650 SW 67th Avenue; #1021 Miami, FL 33143

Michael Kulwicki Secretary 19101 Mystic Pointe Drive; #1104 Aventura, FL 33180

Toufic Zakharia Director 6000 SW 30th Street Miami, FL 33155

Muayad Abbas Vice President 7444 Gary Avenue Miami Beach FL 33141

Darlene Corev Treasurer 6000 SW 30<sup>th</sup> Street Miami, FL 33155

#### ADDING Article IX to read as follows:

#### **ARTICLE IX**

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 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 Article three hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or other-wise 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 or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

#### ADDING Article X to read as follows:

### ARTICLE X

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets 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 or any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. 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 corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes.

The date of adoption of the amendmen loption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)	• •	
The amendment(s) was(were) adopted by the members and the number of votes cast or the amendment was sufficient for approval.		
There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment. The amendments were adopted by the board of directors.		
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 Signature of Chairman, vic	e Chairman, President or other officer	
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 Director	August 27, 2011	
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