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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
INDIA ASSOCIATION
CULTURAL AND EDUCATION CENTER
OF NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA, INC.
a Florida corporation not for profit

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ARTICLE I

NAME: The name of this corporation shall be **INDIA ASSOCIATION CULTURAL AND EDUCATION CENTER OF NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA, INC.**

ARTICLE II

INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE: The initial principal office of this corporation shall be 2091 SW 55th Street Road, Ocala, Florida 34474. The initial mailing address of this corporation shall be 2091 SW 55th Street Road, Ocala, Florida 34474.

ARTICLE III

PURPOSES:

1. To promote and preserve the cultural, educational, religious, and social heritage of India.
2. To promote brotherhood and friendship among all people who are interested in the various cultures, languages, literature, history and heritage of India.
3. For any other lawful purposes pursuant to *Florida Statutes* and the powers conferred upon non-profit corporations under the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE IV

CORPORATE NATURE: This is a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida pursuant to Chapter 617, *Florida Statutes*.

1. Upon dissolution of this corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation and in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code* as it now exists or may hereafter be amended, as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation 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.

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2. No part of the income or net earnings of this corporation shall be distributable to its members, directors or officers.

3. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, no member, director, officer, employee or representative of this corporation shall take any action or carry on any activities by or on behalf of the corporation not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the *Internal Revenue Code* and its Regulations as they now exist or may hereafter be amended, or which are not permitted to be taken or carried on by an organization, the contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of such Code and Regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

ARTICLE V

TERM: This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE VI

MEMBERS: This corporation shall have no members.

ARTICLE VII

INCORPORATOR: The name and address of the incorporator of this corporation is as follows:

Nandkumar R. Karve
2091 SW 55th Street Road
Ocala, Florida 34474

ARTICLE VIII

DIRECTORS: This corporation shall have at least three (3) directors initially. The method of election and the number of directors shall be determined by, and may be either increased or diminished from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than three (3).

ARTICLE IX

INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT: The name and street address of the initial registered agent are:

Nandkumar R. Karve
2091 SW 55th Street Road
Ocala, Florida 34474

ARTICLE X

BY-LAWS: The Board of Directors of this corporation may provide such By-Laws for the conduct of its business in the carrying out of its purposes as they may deem necessary from time to time consistent with *Florida Statutes*. The By-Laws may be altered, amended or repealed and new and other By-Laws may be made and adopted by the Board of Directors as provided in the By-Laws.

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ARTICLE XI

AMENDMENTS: Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be made and adopted only by a vote or at least two thirds (2/3) of the members of the Board of Directors of the corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator of this corporation has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 17th day of April, 2000.

Nandkumar R. Karve

Nandkumar R. Karve

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF MARION

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 17th day of April, 2000, by Nandkumar R. Karve, who is personally known to me.

Debra Brooks Henry
Notary Public, State of Florida



Debra Brooks Henry
MY COMMISSION # CC673588 EXPIRES
August 20, 2001
BONDED THROUGH TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

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DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF
PROCESS WITHIN THIS STATE, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY
BE SERVED.

In pursuance of Chapter 48.091, Florida Statutes, the following is submitted in compliance with
said Act:

First--That **INDIA ASSOCIATION CULTURAL AND EDUCATION CENTER OF NORTH
CENTRAL FLORIDA, INC.**, a Florida corporation desiring to organize under the Laws of the State of
Florida with its principal office as indicated in the Articles of Incorporation at the City of Ocala, County
of Marion, State of Florida, has named **NANDKUMAR R. KARVE** located at 2091 SW 55th Street Road,
Ocala, Florida 3374, as its agent to accept service of process within this State.

Having been named to accept service of process for the above stated corporation, at place
designated in this Certificate, I hereby accept to act in this capacity and agree to comply with the provision
of said Act relative to keeping open said office.

Nandkumar R. Karve
Nandkumar R. Karve
Resident Agent

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