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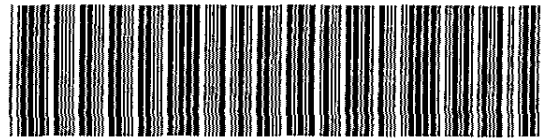
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Dear Sirs:

Sincerely,

Chili Kantzios

Niki Kantzios, PhD

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December 15, 2004

AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR GREEK LANGUAGE AND CULTURE  
ATTN: NIKI KANTZIOS, PHD  
342 FERN CLIFF AVE.  
TEMPLE TERRACE, FL 33617

SUBJECT: THE INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR GREEK LANGUAGE  
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We have received your document for THE INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION  
FOR GREEK LANGUAGE AND CULTURE (IFGLC), INC. and your check(s)  
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Entities may file using only the entity's name. Please delete any reference to the  
"doing business as name" in your document. If you wish to register your fictitious  
name, you may do so by filing the enclosed application and submitting the  
appropriate fees to this office.

An effective date may be added to the Articles of Incorporation if a 2005 date is  
needed, otherwise the date of receipt will be the file date. **A separate article  
must be added to the Articles of Incorporation for the effective date.**

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**OF**  
**THE INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR GREEK LANGUAGE AND**  
**CULTURE, INC.**

(A Corporation Not for Profit)

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, all being of full age, do hereby associate ourselves together and do hereby agree for ourselves, our associates and our assigns, to become a corporation, not for profit, under Chapter 617, *Florida Statutes*, providing for the formation, liability, rights, privileges, benefits and obligations conferred upon and imposed by law on corporations organized pursuant to the provisions thereof; and hereby make, subscribe, acknowledge and file these Articles of Incorporation as follows:

ARTICLE I

**NAME OF CORPORATION**

1.01 **Name** – The name of this corporation shall be **The International Foundation for Greek Language and Culture, Inc.**

ARTICLE II

**GENERAL NATURE OF BUSINESS**

2.01 **The American Foundation of Greek Language and Culture, Inc.**, a not-for-profit educational corporation organized and incorporated in the State of Florida

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(N48864), becomes a division of **The International Foundation For Greek Language and Culture, Inc.**

2.02 Purposes – The goals, objectives and purposes for which this corporation is formed are similar to those of The American Foundation for Greek Language and Culture. That is, the mission of **The International Foundation for Greek Language and Culture, Inc.**, a corporation not for profit organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida (Charter Number      , Employer Identification Number      ) is to engage in assisting the establishment of educational programs at academic institutions to promote the language, history and culture of Greece. More specifically, the aim and objective of the Corporation is to raise funds to achieve its goals, which are:

- a. To assist in establishing and enhancing the offering of studies in the Greek language and related fields of literature, history, philosophy, art, society and culture at academic institutions. Thus:
  - a.1---To assist in the establishment of curriculum in the Greek language and related fields, especially literature, leading to baccalaureate degrees; and
  - a.2---To encourage and assist academic institutions in establishing graduate programs in the aforementioned areas of Greek studies;
- b. To work with other organizations in the United States and elsewhere whose goals and objectives are to promote and enhance the teaching of Greek language, literature and culture at academic institutions;

- c. To assist academic institutions in the collection of research materials and manuscripts pertaining to Greek culture and Greek studies in general;
- d. To assist in the creation of archives of Greek-American families and organizations that have contributed to shaping the history of America;
- e. To assist in establishing and organizing:
  - a.1---Visiting lecture programs of prominent scholars in Greek culture and studies; and
  - a.2---Exchange programs of prominent scholars in Greek studies between academic institutions in Greece and the United States and elsewhere;
- f. To organize seminars, symposia and conferences to promote the aims and objectives of the foundation;
- g. To assist in the publishing of scholarly works in Greek studies in any and all of the aforementioned fields of research pertaining to Greek culture;
- h. To engage from time to time in other matters relating to Greek cultural studies and education in areas such as research projects on the Greek language or history and society of Greece, as the Trustees shall deem appropriate.

2.03 Assets -- The assets of the Corporation shall be expended exclusively for the above purposes. Grants may not be made to any organization for these purposes other than established institutions of higher learning; but research grants may be made to individuals under the supervision of the foundation or academic institutions consistent with the aims and objectives of the foundation in such amounts as the Board of Trustees of this Corporation may determine.

2.04 Powers – The Corporation shall have all powers conferred upon corporations not for profit organized under Chapter 617 of Florida Statutes and any successor provisions thereto now enacted or hereafter amended, but shall exercise such provisions in fulfillment of its above-stated purpose. It shall not engage in any of the following activities:

- a. The Corporation shall not participate or intervene in (including publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office;
- b. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation;
- c. No dividends shall be paid and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall accrue to the benefit of any individual.

### ARTICLE III

#### SCOPE OF POWERS

3.01 The Corporation shall have the power, either directly or indirectly, either alone or in conjunction with others, to do any and all lawful acts and things and to engage in any and all lawful activities which may be necessary, useful, desirable, suitable or proper for the furtherance, accomplishment, fostering or attainment of all or any of the purposes for which the Corporation is organized, and to aid or assist other organizations, whose activities are such as to further accomplish, foster or attain any of such purposes. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Corporation shall exercise only such powers as are set forth in furtherance of the exempt purpose of organizations specified in

Section 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, and its regulations as the same may now exist or as they may hereafter be amended from time to time.

#### ARTICLE IV

##### NON-PROFIT CHARACTER OF THE CORPORATION

- 4.01 Organization -- This Corporation is not organized for profit and no part of the earnings of the Corporation shall accrue to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual. In the event of the liquidation or dissolution of the Corporation, whether voluntary or involuntary, no member shall be entitled to any distribution or division of its remaining property or proceeds; and the balance of all monies and other properties received by the Corporation from any source, after payment of all debts and obligations, shall be distributed subject to the order of the Circuit Court of the State of Florida, as provided in F.S. S617.05, exclusively for purposes within those set forth in Article II of these Articles of Incorporation, and within the intention of S501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 and the regulations as they may be amended.

#### ARTICLE V

##### QUALIFICATION

- 5.01 Members -- The membership of this Corporation shall consist of all persons hereinafter named as Trustees and such other persons as from time to time hereafter may become members in the manner provided in the by-laws.



## ARTICLE VI

### TERM OF EXISTENCE

6.01 This Corporation is to exist perpetually, or until dissolved by operation of law.

## ARTICLE VII

### INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

7.01 Initial Registered Office – The address of the initial Registered Office of the Corporation in the State of Florida is **1202 Parrilla de Avila, Tampa**, and the initial Registered Agent is **Chris P. Tsokos**.

7.02 Relocation – The Board of Trustees may from time to time move the location of the Registered Office to any other address in Florida, and may from time to time change the Registered Agent of the Corporation.

## ARTICLE VIII

### OFFICERS

8.01 The officers of this Corporation shall be the **President, Vice-president, Secretary, and Treasurer**, and such other officers as shall be provided in the By-Laws of the Corporation, except that the President may not also be the Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the Corporation. The names of the persons who are to serve as officers of the Corporation until the next meeting of the Board of Trustees are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Address</u>
Chris P. Tsokos	President	1202 Parrilla de Avila Tampa, FL 33613
John U. Balis	Executive Vice-president	2627 Clark Road Tampa, FL 33618
Demetrios G. Halkias	Vice-president/Treasurer	10413 Butia Place Tampa, FL 33618
John G. Hatsios	Secretary	1410 Amesbury Court Trinity, FL 34655
N.J. Maroulis	Senior Advisor	1501 Gulf Blvd. #204 Clearwater, FL 33543
Kimon Valavanis	Managing Director	19116 Nature Palm Tampa, FL 33647
Ippokratis Kantzios	Academic Advisor	342 Fern Cliff Avenue Temple Terrace, FL 33617
Niki Kantzios	Educational Program Coordinator	342 Fern Cliff Avenue Temple Terrace, FL 33617

The officers shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees, as provided in the By-Laws of the Corporation.

## ARTICLE IX

### THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

9.01 The business of this Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Trustees. The number of Trustees may be increased from time to time by the By-Laws, but shall never be less than seven (7). The Board of Trustees shall be members of the Corporation. The majority of the members of the Board of Trustees shall be members of the Board of Directors of IFGLC. The members of the Board of

Demetrios G. Halkias

10413 Butia Place  
Tampa, FL 33618

Ippokratis Kantzios

342 Fern Cliff Avenue  
Temple Terrace, FL 33617

## ARTICLE XI

### BY-LAWS

- 11.01 The Board of Trustees of this Corporation shall provide such By-Laws for the conduct of its business and the carrying out of its purposes as they may deem necessary from time to time. Upon proper notice, the By-Laws may be amended, altered or rescinded by a majority vote of the members of the Board of Trustees present at any regular meeting, or any special meeting called for that purpose.

## ARTICLE XII

### AMENDMENTS

- 12.01 Upon proper notice, these Articles of Incorporation may be amended by a majority vote of those members of the Board of Trustees present at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for that purpose.

Trustees shall be elected and hold office in accordance with the By-Laws. The names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as Trustees for the ensuing years until the next annual spring meeting of the Corporation are:

Chris P. Tsokos	1202 Parrilla de Avila Tampa, FL 33613
John U. Balis	2627 Clark Road Tampa, FL 33618
Demetrios G. Halkias	10413 Butia Place Tampa, FL 33618
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Niki Kantzios	342 Fern Cliff Avenue Temple Terrace, FL 33617
George Pappas	1433 Maple Forest Road Largo, FL 33674

## ARTICLE X

### NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF SUBSCRIBERS

10.01 The names and addresses of the subscribers to these Articles of Incorporation are:

Chris P. Tsokos	1202 Parrilla de Avila Tampa, FL 33613
John U. Balis	2627 Clark Road Tampa, FL 33618

IN WITNESS THEREOF, we the undersigned, the subscribing incorporators, have hereunto set our hands and seals this 3rd day of December, 2004.

(1) Chris P. Tsokos (Seal)  
(2) John U. Balis (Seal)  
(3) Demetrios G. Halkias (Seal)  
(4) Ippokratīs Kantziōs (Seal)

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

BEFORE ME personally appeared CHRIS P. TSOKOS,  
JOHN U. BALIS, DEMETRIOS G. HALKIAS,  
and IPPOKRATIS KANTZIOS

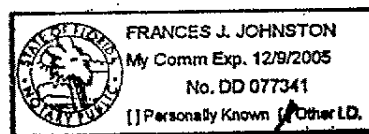
Said persons are well known and known to me to be the persons described in and who execute the foregoing Articles of Incorporation of **The International Foundation for Greek Language and Culture, Inc.**, a corporation not for profit, and acknowledged before me that they executed the same for the purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State above named this 3rd day of December, 2004.

Frances Johnston  
Notary Public  
State of Florida at Large

My commission expires:

12/9/2005



**CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING THE PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE  
FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, 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:

**The International Foundation for Greek Language and Culture**, a corporation desiring to organize or qualify under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal place of business at the City of Tampa, County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, has named **Dr. Chris P. Tsokos**, located at **1202 Parilla de Avila**, City of Tampa, County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, as its agent to accept service of process within the State of Florida.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: (must be signed by Designated Agent)

Having been named to accept service of process for the above-stated Corporation, at the 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.

By: Chris P. Tsokos  
Registered Agent

Date: 12-3-04

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