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**Florida Society of Jewish Deaf
c/o Martin Florsheim
8721 Carmel Mountain Way
Boynton Beach, Florida 33473**

April 16, 2015

Department of State Division of Corporations
P. O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

SUBJECT: Florida Society of Jewish Deaf

Enclosed is an original and ~~one~~ ^{two} copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf and a check for \$87.50 to cover the filing fee, certified copy, and certificate.

Sincerely,



Martin Florsheim,
8721 Carmel Mountain Way
Boynton Beach, Florida 33473
(561) 404-5382
martin.florsheim@gmail.

Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc.
A Florida Non-profit Public Benefit Corporation

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

ARTICLE I: NAME

1.01 Name

The name of this corporation shall be the "Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc."
The business of the corporation may be conducted as the "Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc.," or "FSJD."

ARTICLE II: DURATION

2.01 Duration

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE

3.01 Purpose

The Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., is a non-profit corporation and shall operate exclusively for educational and charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future Federal tax code. The purpose of the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., is to serve the cultural, spiritual, educational, and social needs of Jewish deaf adults and Jewish deaf children, and the children of Jewish deaf adults, who reside in the Florida.

3.02 Public Benefit

The Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., is designated as a public benefit corporation.

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ARTICLE IV: NON-PROFIT NATURE

4.01 Non-profit Nature

The Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., is organized exclusively for charitable and educational 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.

No part of the net earnings of the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., 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 the purpose clause hereof.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by any organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization that receives contributions that are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

The Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., is not organized and shall not be operated for the private gain of any person. The property of the corporation is irrevocably dedicated to its educational and charitable purposes. No part of the assets, receipts, or net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to any individual. The corporation may, however, pay reasonable compensation for services rendered, and make other payments and distributions consistent with these Articles.

4.02 Personal Liability

No officer or director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property or assets of the officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

4.03 Dissolution

Upon termination or dissolution of the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., any assets lawfully available for distribution shall be distributed to one (1) or more qualifying organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or described in any corresponding provision of any successor statute) which organization or organizations have a charitable purpose which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc.

The organization to receive the assets of the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., hereunder shall be selected at the discretion of a majority of the managing body of the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., and, if its members cannot so agree, then the recipient organization shall be selected pursuant to a verified petition in equity filed in a court of proper jurisdiction against the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., by one (1) or more of its managing body which verified petition shall contain such statements as reasonably indicate the applicability of this section. The court upon a finding that this section is applicable shall select the qualifying organization or organizations to receive the assets to be distributed, giving preference if practicable to organizations located within the State of Florida, or designate a neutral to do so.

In the event that the court shall find that this section is applicable but that there is no qualifying organization known to it, or to its appointed neutral, which has a charitable purpose, which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to this corporation, then the court shall direct the distribution of its assets lawfully available for distribution to the Treasurer of the State of Florida to be added to the general fund.

4.04 Prohibited Distributions

No part of the net earnings or properties of this corporation, on dissolution or otherwise, shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers or other private person or individual, 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 III, Section 3.01.

4.05 Restricted Activities

No substantial part of the corporation's activities shall be the carrying on of

propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene (including the publishing or distribution of statements) in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

4.06 Prohibited Activities

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (I) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax as an organization described by Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (II) by a corporation that receives contributions that are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE V: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

5.01 Governance

The Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., shall be governed by its active membership.

5.02 Initial Directors

The initial board of directors of the corporation shall be Martin Florsheim, chair; Harriet Loeb and Randi Katz.

ARTICLE VI: MEMBERSHIP

6.01 Membership

The Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., shall have general membership shall consist of two categories of members: active and social. The management of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in the general membership, as defined in the corporation's bylaws.

ARTICLE VII: AMENDMENTS

7.01 Amendments

Any amendment to the Articles of Incorporation may be adopted by approval of two-thirds (2/3) of the members present at a general meeting or annual meeting.

ARTICLE VIII: ADDRESSES OF THE CORPORATION

8.01 Corporate Address

The address of the corporation is:

Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc.
8721 Carmel Mountain Way
Boynton Beach, Florida 33473

The mailing address of the corporation is:

Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc.
8721 Carmel Mountain Way
Boynton Beach, Florida 33473

ARTICLE IX: APPOINTMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

9.01 Registered Agent

The registered agent of the corporation shall be:

Martin Florsheim
8721 Carmel Mountain Way
Boynton Beach, Florida 33473

ARTICLE X: INCORPORATOR

The incorporator of the corporation is:

Martin Florsheim, 8721 Carmel Mountain Way, Boynton Beach, FL 33473:

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above stated Articles of Incorporation of the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., were approved by the charter members on March 29, 2015, and constitute a complete copy of Articles of Incorporation of the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc.

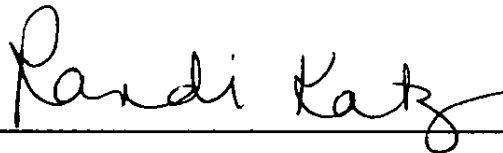
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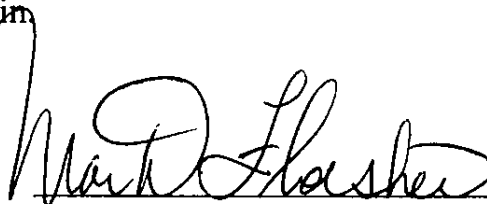


Randi K. Katz
10876 Broadview Bay Point
Boynton Beach, Florida 33473



ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF CONSENT
TO APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

I, Martin Florsheim, agree to be the registered agent for the Florida Society of Jewish Deaf, Inc., as appointed herein



Martin Florsheim, Registered Agent

Date: 5-14-2015



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SUBJECT: FLORIDA SOCIETY OF JEWISH DEAF
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We have received your document for FLORIDA SOCIETY OF JEWISH DEAF and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name must contain a word that will clearly indicate that it is a corporation. This word may be: CORPORATION, CORP., INCORPORATED, or INC. Sections 617.0401(1)(a) and 617.1506(1), Florida Statutes, prohibits the use of the word COMPANY or CO. in the name of a non-profit corporation.

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 an application and submitting the appropriate fees to this office.

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