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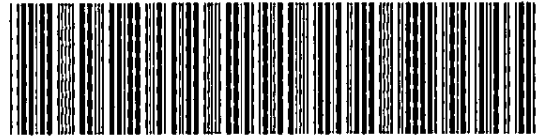
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ISLAMIC CENTER OF OSCEOLA INC.
2417 N. CENTRAL AVENUE
KISSIMMEE, FL 34741
407-944-4353

September 24, 2020

Laurel M. Lee
Secretary of State
Florida Department of State
R.A. Gray Building
500 South Bronough Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0250

RE: Amendment of the Article of Incorporation and the Constitution of the Islamic Center of Osceola, Inc. Document Number: N18000003037

DEAR MADAM:

As per Article Xii of the Islamic Center of Osceola Inc, the board of trustees' in their mashwara amended the article of incorporation and the constitution to ensure greater participation of the members in the management of the above organization. Since there are no voting members of the corporation, the Trustee as per authority conferred on them by the constitution, adopted the amendments of the constitution on the 24th of September 2020.

Thus, the trustee adopts the amendments and file the amended constitution with the Honorable Secretary of State, Florida, USA.

On behalf of the Trustee,


Ahmed Aidoo, TRUSTEE

COVER LETTER

TO: Amendment Section
Division of Corporations

NAME OF CORPORATION: Islamic Center of Osceola Inc

DOCUMENT NUMBER: N 18000003037

The enclosed *Articles of Amendment* and fee are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

SAEED AHMED

(Name of Contact Person)

(Firm/ Company)

4782 Oren Brown Rd

(Address)

Kissimmee Florida 34746

(City/ State and Zip Code)

tarbela@hotmail.com

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

SAEED AHMED 407 766-2424

(Name of Contact Person) at (Area Code) (Daytime Telephone Number)

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AMENDED
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
ISLAMIC CENTER OF OSCEOLA, INC.
(A Florida Non-profit Corporation. 501(c)(3) Status)

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ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this corporation shall be ISLAMIC CENTER OF OSCEOLA, INC., whose address is 2417 North Central Avenue, Kissimmee: Florida, 34741.

ARTICLE II. COMMENCEMENT & DURATION

The commencement of this corporation's existence shall be at the time of the of the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Florida Department of State, Division of Corporations. This corporation's duration shall be perpetual, unless it is hereafter dissolved according to law.

ARTICLE III. PURPOSE

This corporation is being formed for the purpose of engaging in the trans-action of any and all activities permitted under the laws of Florida and the United States of America.

This corporation is irrevocably dedicated to and operated exclusively for non-profit purposes; and no part of the income or assets of the corporation shall be distributed to, nor inure to the benefit of any individual.

This corporation is being formed:

1. To practice Islam according to the commands of Allah Subhana watawala and the Sunnah of Prophet Mohammed (Peace be upon him) in the ways of Sunni principles.
2. To purchase land, construct and manage the Masjid for Sunni Muslims of the community.
3. To own and manage a cemetery for the Muslims of the community.
4. To operate religious school for the Muslim children of the community.
5. To convey the message of Islam to the people of other faiths, so that better understanding and harmony exists in the community at large.
6. To establish the work of dawa as done by Tabligh Jamat.
7. To make contributions to other Islamic organizations both here and abroad following rules and regulations of USA and the country where the contributions are sent.

ARTICLE IV. MEMBERSHIP

Any person who agrees to be bound by these Articles of Incorporation, the corporate Bylaws, and any rules and regulations which the Board of Trustees may from time to time adopt is eligible and qualified for membership in this corporation.

The corporate Bylaws may provide the Board of Trustees further discretionary powers relating to the admission of members.

Members shall be:

1. All practicing Sunni Muslims will be the natural members of this corporation.
2. To be a member, one has to believe and practice Islam according to the commands of Allah Subhana watawal and the Sunnah of Prophet Mohammad (Peace be upon him).
3. Work for and participate in regular activities.
4. The members will participate in all the programs of dawa as conducted in the Masjid.
5. The members will use facilities of the corporation with the sole objective of practicing Islam.
6. The members will abide by the laws of the country (USA), and must not involve in activities that defame Islam and are considered anti-state.

ARTICLE V. MANAGEMENT

- A. The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs and business conducted and managed by the Board of Trustees.
- B. Any action required or permitted to be taken by the Board of Trustees, under any provisions of the law, may be taken without a meeting.
- C. if all of the trustees or at least two thirds of the Trustee shall individually or collectively consent in writing to such action.

Such written consent shall be filed with the minutes of the proceedings of the Board of Trustees. Any such action by written consent shall have the same force and effect as if taken by at least two-thirds majority vote of the Board of Trustees. Any certificate or other document filed, under any provision of the law which relates to the action so taken, shall state that the action was taken by at least two thirds majority vote and written consent of the Board of Trustees in a meeting or without a meeting, and that these Articles of Incorporation authorize the Board of Trustees to so act. Such a statement shall be prima facia evidence of such authority.

- D. Any new project or projects, constructions of such projects, will be handled by the Trustee. Collecting of funds and spending of those funds will be handled jointly by the Trustee and the finance secretary. Selection of project related architect, engineers, builders, etc. will be done by the Trustee.
- E. The Imam can be only hired and terminated by the Trustee.

ARTICLE VI. SHURA

- A. The Masjid affairs will be handled by a fourteen member Shura committees. The Shura will function for two year but if the Trustees are satisfied with the performances of the Shura then the term can be extended thereafter by the Trustee for whatever additional years they decide.

- B. Members of the Shura will have different responsibilities as mentioned below. Two members will handle each department. All major decisions will be taken in joint Mashwara of the members of the entire Shura. At least two thirds majority is needed for a decision. individual committee may take their own decision as per guidelines of each committee.
- C. All members of the Shura should bear in mind the basic objectives of Masjid Taqwa which are to understand the responsibilities of each and every Muslim for which Allah Subhana wa tawala has created us as the Ummati of Muhammad Sallal lahu Alaihe wa Sallam. practice the deen according to the Sunnah of Rasulullah Sallal lahu alai he wa Sallam. convey the message ofIslam to the mankind; hold strong to the objectives and practice them in daily life.
- D. All members of the Shura must adhere to the constitution of the corporation, show respect to one another and agree to follow the decision of the mashwara. Anyone violating those guidelines and refusing to accept the decision of the mashwara will be removed from the committee, if requested by the other meinher of the Shura by the Trustee. In case of dispute the Trustee may dissolve the Shura and form a new Shura.
- E. Under no circumstances, the members of the Shura will interfere.

criticize, or withhold the facilities of the Masjid for the use by the
Jamat that will visit, or stay at the Masjid. By every means the
Members of the Shura will help the Jamats to perform their amal and
duties while in the Masjid.

- F. Unity amongst the brothers is the fundamental objective and should
be promoted at any cost in favorable and unfavorable conditions.
- G. Quran, Sunnah and the Shariah guidelines must be the driving
force for everyone. All the activities must be planned keeping them in
mind.
- H. The Trustee may take opinion of the members of the corporation
including suggestive names for the members of the Shura or may
choose of their own in their own Mashwara.
- I. All the mashwara will be conducted according to the attiquette
taught by the scholars of Tabligh Jamat.
- J. The day to day matters of the Masjid will be conducted by the
Shura as outlined below.
- K. One person of each committee will be the responsible brother. He will
have another person as co-worker. To fulfill the department
responsibilities they may request the help of other members of the
Masjid with written consent of the Faisal of the Trustee of that time.
- L. The Ameer of the Shura will be selected by the members of the

Shum, who will serve for a period of six months. No same person should be selected as responsible brother twice in the same year.

- M. Once every SIX months the responsible brothers of each committee, will meet the Trustee to discuss any program or problem of the Masjid. The Faisal of the Trustee of that month will conduct the mashwara. The mashwara will approve or disapprove any such program and discuss the problems to resolve them.
- N. If any member of the Shura resigns or leaves then the remaining members will suggest 2-3 names for each vacancy to the Trustee, who will select the new member from those names.

ARTICLE VII. DONATION

No donations will be accepted with any conditions that are contrary to the principles of the corporation. The Trustee or the committees may reject donations that may not come from halal sources.

ARTICLE VIII. BOARD OF TRUSTEES

- A. There will be five members in the Board of Trustees who will be Sunni Muslim. The names of the Trustees:
1. Ahmed Aidoo
 2. Ashiqur Rahman
 3. Murad Khan Thakur
 4. Saaed Ahmad
 5. Siraj ul Islam

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ISLAMIC CENTER OF OSCEOLA, INC..

- B. The Trustees are for life. If any of the Trustee dies, resigns or becomes totally disabled, then a majority of the remaining members of the Trustee shall select a replacement Trustee from among the brothers who has spent at least forty days in Jamat. If resignation letter is submitted then the Faisal of the month will call the mashwara of the Trustee to accept or reject such resignation.
- C. Every six months or during each mashwara the existing Faisal will select new Faisal with the opinion of the Trustee.
- D. If there is disagreement in any matter, the decision of a two-thirds majority of the Trustee will be final.
- E. A Trustee can be removed if one creates division, friction in the community, spreads allegations against other Trustee, fails to follow the Mashwara, talks against the efforts of dawa, the aims and objectives of the corporation, undermines other Trustee, disrespects the members of the community, works against the aims and objectives of the corporation, then a majority of Trustees can expel that Trustee and select a new Trustee.

FUNCTIONS OF COMMITTEES:

MEMBERS OF MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE

- a. The members will look after all the issues pertinent to keepin

the Masjid in good condition, for example: repair work, cleanliness, pest control, landscaping, etc.

b. The members will hire a full-time or part-time person for keeping the Masjid/Kitchen/Toilet/Wodu place in good and neat and clean state.

c. The members will hire the landscaper and handi-man for all of the repair work as needed.

d. The members will look after the air conditioning system, all electric equipment, sound system, monitoring system, etc.

e. The members will maintain the stoves in the kitchen, refrigerators, cooler, and water fountain for smooth running of the kitchen for Shob-e-junna and jamats cooking, Ramadan Ifleri Shehri, etc.

f. The Masjid premises will be kept clean by the appropriate person/persons as decided by the members.

MEMBERS OF EDUCATION COMMITTEE

i. The members in consultation with the Imam will select the syllabus for the boys and girls Quranic class and Islamic Education in the Masjid.

ii. The members will encourage the community members to send their children to the respective classes.

iii. The members will arrange adult Quranic class to teach and learn proper recitation of the Quran.

- d. The members will arrange classes for the new Muslims.
- e. The members will arrange Quranic Tafsir classes conducted by the Imam and the scholar of the Masjid only. No outsider or person who is not an aleem and not employed by the Masjid should conduct Tafsir classes.
- g. The members will collect the fee with proper receipt from the students, **if** the committee decides to collect such fee, and give the collection to the Finance Committee **with** proper documentation.

MEMBERS OF SOCIAL ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

- a. The members will arrange the Islamic Events allowed by the Shariah, in consultation with the Imams of the Masjid.
- b. The members under the guidelines of Ikram ul Muslimeen will look after the well-being of the community members.
- c. The members will encourage the Muslims to understand all the citizens of our country (USA), establish good communication with them to reflect Islamic value, provide necessary help at the time of need.
- iv. The members will arrange Iftar, Sehri and dinner in Ramadan.
- v. The members will make necessary arrangements for both the Eid, Khotme Quran and Islamic events suggested by the Imams and the Trustee.

vi. The members will not interfere with the Shab-e-jumma and any Tablige program that will take place in the Masjid.

vii. No events should be arranged by the members where there will be mixed gathering.

MEMBERS OF YOUTH COMMITTEE

a. Youth are our future flag bearer of Islam. Accordingly they must be understood, welcomed, respected, and guided.

b. To promote communication between the young generation and the community at large the members will give suggestion to other committees and the Trustee.

c. The members will encourage the young generation to participate in regular Salah, all Tabligh program, going out in jamat, and in all other programs of the Masjid.

d. Once every six months the members will arrange the gathering of the youth in the Masjid. The Ulama or the brothers involved in dawa work and a member of the young generation will give talk to those gatherings.

e. The problems related to the youth will be handled by the members with utmost care and understanding. Every effort must be made to keep the youth attached to the Masjid and the deen at large.

f. Sensitive issues should be brought by the members for discussion at Trustee level for advise and resolution without creating

division amongst the youth.

g. Sports and sports events related to the youth will be handled by the members.

viii. Under the guidelines given by the Imam for the girls gathering can be arranged as per his suggestion by the members.

MEMBERS OF FINANCIAL COMMITTEE

a. All the financial activities excluding expansion projects and new projects will be handled by the financial members.

b. All collections (donation for the Masjid, Zakat, Sadqa and contributions for construction and expansion) will be deposited by the members to respective accounts.

c. Opening of the safe boxes will be done by the responsible brother of the committee in presence of one of the trustee or Imam of the Masjid. The money will be counted and recorded under different heading in appropriate bookkeeping book and signed by above persons.

d. The salaries, all monthly expense checks will be issued by the members. Two members and one Trustee will be the signatories of the accounts. Every check MUST BE SIGNED by two signatories.

e. Any expense, other than salaries and utility bills, above \$500.00 (five hundred dollars) must be approved by the mashwara of the Trustee and Faisals of different committee. Request for

money by any committee has to be approved in above mashwara.

f. If the financial committee members fail to follow the guidelines then the committee will be dissolved by the Trustee and the Trustee will handle the financial matter until new members are selected by the Trustee.

g. Once a year all the accounts should be presented to the Trustee in presence of the Shura. Any fund handled by the Trustee will be presented in that Mashwara.

MEMBERS OF KHIDMA COMMITTEE

a. The members will arrange the cooking for Shab-e-juma, organize and serve on each Thursday.

b. The members will arrange food and serve on any special events, like scholars visiting us, youth gathering, etc.

c. The members will coordinate and purchase for Shab-e-juma, Ijtema, and all special events.

d. The members will help the social service committee to carry out their program.

ARTICLE IX. PRINCIPAL OFFICE & REGISTERED AGENT

The address of this corporation's principal office and the address of this corporation's registered office shall be: 2417 North Central Avenue, Kissimmee, Florida, 34741.

The name of the individual who shall serve as this corporation's registered agent at that address is: Ahmed Aidoo.

ARTICLE X. INCORPORATIONS

Articles of Incorporation of
ISLAMIC CENTER OF OSCEOLA, INC.,

The name and correspondence address of the subscriber to these Articles of Incorporation is: Ahmed Aidoo, c/o Shazzad Mohammed: 2621 Martina Avenue Kissimmee, FL 34741.

ARTICLE XI. BYLAWS

Corporate Bylaws will be hereinafter adopted by the Board of Trustees. The corporate Bylaws may be amended or repealed, in whole or in part, by the Board of Trustees in the manner provided therein, provided that they are not inconsistent with the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation. Any amendments to the corporate Bylaws shall be binding on this corporation's members.

ARTICLE XII. AMENDMENTS

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by a member of the Board of Trustees and adopted by the majority of the members of the Trustee in their mashwara. Such amendments will become a part of the Articles of Incorporation of Islamic Center of Osceola County, Inc.

ARTICLE XIII. LIMITATION

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, 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 of the corporation. None of the properties of the corporation can be used as collateral for any reason whatsoever either for individual or corporation need. Any loan or financing that involves interest must be avoided by all means even if it

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is Sharia compliant. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation except as otherwise provided in Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law), and the corporation 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 these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law) or (b) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE XIV. DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Trustees shall, after paying or making provisions of the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, transfer all of the assets of the corporation exclusively to an exempt organization under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 so long as such organization shall use the assets for Islamic purposes as per Shariah. Any such assets not so disposed of for any reason shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for Islamic charitable, Islamic educational, Islamic religious.

or to such Islamic organization or organizations as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purpose.

ARTICLE XV. ACCOUNTS AND BOOKS

The Board of Trustees from time to time shall determine whether and to what extent, and at what times and places and under what conditions and regulations, the accounts and books of this corporation, or any of them, shall be opened to the inspection of the Shura, and no representative of the committees shall have the right to inspect any account or document of this corporation except as conferred by a statute, the Bylaws, or authorized by the Board of Trustees.

ARTICLE XVI. NONSTOCK BASIS

The corporation is organized and shall be operated on a nonstick basis within the meaning of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, and shall not have the power to issue shares of any type or class of stock or other certificate or writings evidencing an ownership or proprietary interest in the corporation.

The undersigned, constituting this corporations' designated registered agent and this corporation's subscribers, for the purpose of forming this nonprofit corporation under the laws of Florida, have executed these Articles of Incorporation, on the dates indicated next to their signatures.

Subscriber

Date

I hereby accept my designation as resident agent and agree to serve as the resident agent of ISLAMIC CENTER OF OSCEOLA, INC. I hereby state that I am familiar with and accept the duties and responsibilities as registered agent for ISLAMIC CENTER OF OSCEOLA, INC.


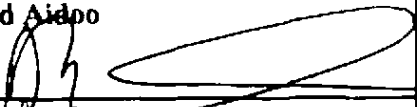
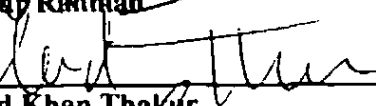
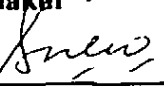
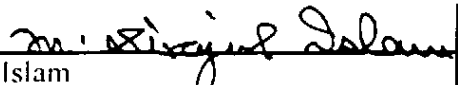
Ahmed Aidoo - Registered Agent

State of Florida

County of Osceola

Adopted on this ____ day of _____, 2020 and submitted by the members of the Board of Trustees with the Secretary of State, State of Florida.

Tallahassee, Florid

	
Ahmed Aidoo	
	
Ashique Rahman	
	
Murad Khan Thakur	
	
Saeed Ahmad	
	
Siraj ul Islam	

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☐ The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the members and the number of votes cast for the amendment(s) was/were sufficient for approval.

- ☒ There are no members or members entitled to vote on the amendment(s). The amendment(s) was/were adopted by the board of directors.

Dated 09/24/2020

Signature Ahmed Aido

(By the chairman or vice chairman of the board, president or other officer-if directors have not been selected, by an incorporator – if in the hands of a receiver, trustee, or other court appointed fiduciary by that fiduciary)

AHMED AIDO

(Typed or printed name of person signing)

TRUSTEE

(Title of person signing)