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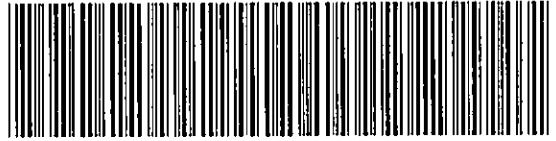
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Department of State
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SUBJECT: SHIRDI SAI SAMSTHAN OF SEVEN HILLS, INC.

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for \$87.50.

FROM:

Suresh Panchakarla
143 Ross Road
Tallahassee FL 32305

201-281-0351

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

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ARTICLE I – NAME

The name of the Corporation shall be:

SHIRDI SAI SAMSTHAN OF SEVEN HILLS, INC.

**SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA**

ARTICLE II – PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The place in this state where the principal office of the Corporation is to be located is the City of Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

Principal address: 143 Ross Road, Tallahassee, FL 32305

Mailing address: 166 Carol Ann Trail, Tallahassee, FL 32317

ARTICLE III – PURPOSE

Section 3.01. The purpose for which the Corporation is organized is exclusively for charitable, religious, 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.

Section 3.02. The primary purpose of the Corporation shall be to provide a place of worship and other facilities in Tallahassee for the practice of philosophy and teachings of Sri Shirdi Saibaba. Furthermore, the purpose of the Corporation shall be to provide and support educational, religious, cultural, and literary programs; to conduct such other activities incidental thereto, including but not limited to, raising funds for the Corporation and other charitable purposes, and for such purposes to adopt and establish bylaws, rules and regulations in accordance with the law and not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation.

Section 3.03. The programs and activities organized by the Corporation shall be open to all individuals who subscribe to the principles of charitable nonprofit organization and the philosophy and teachings of Sri Shirdi Saibaba regardless of their race, religion, gender, nationality, marital and/or social status etc.

Section 3.04. It is intended that the Corporation shall have and continue to have the status of an organization that is exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. All the terms and provisions of these Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws, and all the authority and operation of the Corporation shall be construed, applied, and carried out in accordance with such an intent.

ARTICLE IV – POWERS

Section 4.01. The Corporation shall have all the powers prescribed by law and all powers necessary and incidental to the fulfilment of its purposes, including but not limited to, the power to acquire by gift,

devise, bequest, purchase, lease or otherwise, and to hold, own, occupy, use, manage, improve, develop, maintain, lease, sell, mortgage, transfer, invest in or reinvest in, or otherwise deal with any real or personal property (tangible or intangible) of whatever kind and description and wherever situated, or with any estate or interest, legal or equitable, in the property, to borrow money and to make, accept, endorse, execute and issue promissory notes and other obligations in payment for property acquired or money borrowed; and to do all such other acts as are necessary or convenient to carry out the purposes set forth in these Articles.

Section 4.02. Final control and responsibility for the receipt, management and distribution of all funds by this Corporation shall rest with the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE V – LIMITATIONS

Section 5.01. 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 Third hereof.

Section 5.02. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise 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.

Section 5.03. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or
- (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible for federal income tax purposes under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or
- (c) by a corporation formed pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VI – BYLAWS

The first Bylaws shall be made by the Directors. All alterations or revisions of the Bylaws shall be made by the Directors at any regular or special meeting duly called and held for that purpose in accordance with the Bylaws; provided, however, any such alteration or revision that affects the manner in which members are admitted or terminated shall require unanimous consent of the members

ARTICLE VII – TERM OF EXISTENCE

The Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE VIII – MEMBERS

The members of the Corporation are set forth below. New members shall be approved and admitted to the Corporation by the unanimous consent of the members as provided by the Bylaws. The members shall serve the Corporation purely on voluntary and charitable basis for the furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III hereof and are not entitled to any emoluments. The current members are:

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| 1. Abhivandana Bellapu | 7. Sudhir K Vangadar |
| 2. Bala M Kosuri | 8. Suresh Panchakarla |
| 3. Bharadwaj Turlapati | 9. Swathi Dalvaigari |
| 4. Indira Pindi | 10. Swetha Vangadar |
| 5. Madhu V K Doddi | 11. Varun Moota |
| 6. Sailaja Nagaraju | 12. Venkata S L Doddi |

ARTICLE IX – MANNER OF ELECTION

This is a volunteer member run Corporation. There are no elected officer positions. The Corporation is governed by the Board of Directors. The Directors are appointed by the unanimous consent of the members as provided by the Bylaws.

ARTICLE X – INITIAL DIRECTORS

The number of directors of the Corporation shall not be less than three (3). The names and addresses of the persons who are Directors of the Corporation until their successors are nominated and appointed as provided by the Bylaws are:

Abhivandana Bellapu
166 Carol Ann Trail, Tallahassee, FL 32317

Bharadwaj Turlapati
2500 Merchants Row Blvd, Apt #252, Tallahassee, FL 32311

Madhu V K Doddi
6837 Hill Gail Trail, Tallahassee, FL 32309

ARTICLE XI – DISSOLUTION

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 of 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 the Circuit Court of Leon County, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE XII – AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The Articles of Incorporation may be amended from time to time by the resolution of the Directors at any regular or special meeting duly called for that purpose; provided, however, any such amendment that affects the manner in which members are admitted or terminated shall also require unanimous consent of the members. The resolution shall be certified to be correct by the Board of Directors and the Registered Agent and filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, State of Florida.

ARTICLE XIII – REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address of the initial Registered Agent is:

Suresh Panchakarla

143 Ross Road, Tallahassee, FL 32305

ARTICLE XIV – INCORPORATOR

The name address of the Incorporator is:

Suresh Panchakarla

143 Ross Road, Tallahassee, FL 32305

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Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated Corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

Suresh P
Signature of the Registered Agent

3/21/2018
Date

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

Suresh P
Signature of the Incorporator

3/21/2018
Date