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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** ISKCON Ministry for Cow Protection and Agriculture, Inc.

(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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**FROM:** Kartik Agrawal

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Name (Printed or typed)

45801 Central Camp Road

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Address

Deland, Florida 32702

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City, State & Zip

786 660 0758

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Daytime Telephone number

kkdas.bcs@gmail.com

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

**NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.**

## Articles of Incorporation

of

### ISKCON Ministry for Cow Protection and Agriculture, Inc.

*The undersigned, acting as the incorporator of a corporation pursuant to chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:*

#### Article I

##### Name

The name of the corporation shall be ISKCON Ministry for Cow Protection and Agriculture, Inc.

#### Article II

##### Principal Place of Business and Mailing Address

The principal office and mailing address of this corporation shall be:

Principal Office: ISKCON Ministry for Cow Protection and Agriculture, Inc.  
45801 Central Camp Road  
Deland, Florida, 32702

Mailing Address: ISKCON Ministry for Cow Protection and Agriculture,  
45801 Central Camp Road  
Deland, Florida, 32702

#### Article III

##### Purposes

The specific purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

1. To systematically propagate spiritual knowledge to society at large and to educate all peoples in the techniques of spiritual life in order to check the imbalance of values in life and to achieve real unity and peace in the world.
2. To propagate a consciousness of Krishna as it is revealed in the *Bhagavad-gita* and *Srimad-Bhagavatam*.
3. To bring the members of the Society together with each other and nearer to Krishna, the prime entity, and thus to develop the idea within the members and humanity at large that each soul is part and parcel of the quality of Godhead (Krishna).
4. To teach and encourage the *Sankirtan* movement, the congregational chanting of the holy name of God, as revealed in the teachings of Lord Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu.
5. To erect for the members, and for society at large, holy places of transcendental pastimes, dedicated to the personality of Krishna.
6. To bring the members closer together for the purpose of teaching a simpler and more natural way of life in Vaisnava communities suitable environments for the development of the mode of goodness and Krishna Consciousness.
7. To revitalize Vaisnava culture and tradition through educational programs to preserve and promote the spiritually based duties of the different sections of varnashram-dharma society, i.e. the intellectual/religious, leadership, mercantile, and

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- artisan.
8. To promote the concept of cow protection, ahimsa dairy, and pure produce from farming projects as the basis of a God conscious and peace-loving society.
  9. With a view towards achieving the aforementioned purposes, to publish and distribute artifacts, periodicals, magazines, books, and other writings, to hold conferences, produce informational resources, run seminars, and educate through media.
  10. To engage in any activity and exercise any power or authority that may be engaged in by a non-profit corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, as amended.

#### **Article IV Manner of Election of Directors**

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed shall be stated in the by-laws of the corporation.

#### **Article V Initial Directors**

The names and addresses of the Directors are:

Kishore Kumar Das  
45801 Central Camp Road  
Deland, Florida, 32702

Carlos Abilio Fontes de Queiroz  
R dos Migrantes 63A  
Sao Jose, Petrolina, PE, CEP 56328-040, Brazil

Seth Spellman  
15206 NW 89<sup>th</sup> Street  
Alachua, FL 32615

William Briant  
14329 NW 186 Avenue  
Alachua, FL, 32615

Kartik Agrawal  
45801 Central Camp Road  
Deland, Florida, 32702

#### **Article VI Limitation of Corporate Powers**

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in Section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, unless limited as follows:

(a) This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious, educational and charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(b) The corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal

Revenue Code or (2) by a corporation contribution to which are deductible Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(c) No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

**Article VII  
Initial Registered Agent and Street Address**

The name and the street address of the initial registered agent is:

Kartik Agrawal  
45801 Central Camp Road  
Deland, Florida, 32702

**Article VIII  
Incorporator**

The name and the street address of the incorporator for these articles of incorporation is:

Seth Spellman  
15206 NW 89<sup>th</sup> Street  
Alachua, FL 32615

**Article IX  
Distribution of Assets Upon Dissolution**

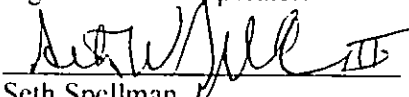
The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious, educational and charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of the organization shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.

On the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for religious, educational and/or charitable purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this 26th day of June 2018.

*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.*

Signature of Incorporator:


  
Seth Spellman

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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.

Signature of Registered Agent:

  
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Kartik Agrawal

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