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Subject: Filing Articles of Incorporation for Jewish Teen Education & Engagement Network, Inc.

Please find 2 copies of the articles of incorporation and payment to file the articles of incorporation and receive our certificate of status and certified copy.

Please return proof of filing to:

Erica Hruby 1579 Ember Lane Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

If needed, you can contact me at the following phone number: 407-733-9088 or email: ericanhruby@gmail.com.

# **NONPROFIT CORPORATION ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

Pursuant to §617 of the laws of Florida, the undersigned majority of whom are citizens of the United States, do hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

#### ARTICLE 1 Name

The name of the corporation is: Jewish Teen Education & Engagement Network, Inc.

# <u>ARTICLE 2</u>

Existence

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

# ARTICLE 3 Effective Date

The effective date of incorporation shall be 12/15/2018.

# ARTICLE 4

Members

The corporation will have members.

## ARTICLE 5 Type of nonprofit corporation

The corporation is not for profit and a Religious Corporation.

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# ARTICLE 6 Registered Agent and Office

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

1579 Ember Lane Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

The name of the initial registered agent is:

Erica Nicole Hruby

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.

Erica N. Hruby

Thursday, December 13, 2018

ARTICLE 7 Principal Office

The corporation has a principal office. The street address of the principal office is:

1579 Ember Lane Tarpon Springs, FL 34689 Pinellas County

# ARTICLE 8 Mailing Address

1579 Ember Lane Tarpon Springs, FL 34689 Pinellas County

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### ARTICLE 9

#### Directors

# The directors will be elected, maintained, and appointed in accordance with the corporation's bylaws. The corporation's initial directors are as follows:

Susan Weis, President 501 N. Jerome Avenue Margate, NJ 08402

Danielle Alexander, Vice President 5600 N Braeswood Blvd. Houston, TX 77096

> Leann Blue, Treasurer 3433 Walter's Avenue Northbrook, IL 60062

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ARTICLE 10 Indemnification

The corporation does indemnify any directors, officers, employees, incorporators, and members of the corporation from any liability regarding the corporation and the affairs of the corporation, unless the person fraudulently and intentionally violated the law and/or maliciously conducted acts to damage and/or defraud the corporation, or as otherwise provided under applicable statute.

## ARTICLE 11 Purpose

The purpose of the corporation is exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific 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 and herein stated as follows:

Jewish Teen Education & Engagement Network, Inc. is being established to be an umbrella organization for Jewish teen education and engagement professionals, advocating for its members. Jewish Teen Education & Engagement Network, Inc. intends to offer educational and engagement learning opportunities for professionals working in the Jewish teen community. The beneficiaries are both the professionals that are part of this network and the Jewish teens that they serve. Jewish Teen Education & Engagement Network, Inc. will accomplish this by creating, supporting, exchanging, and/or disseminating innovative webinars, conferences, listservs, best practices, curricular and program resources, as well as a variety of scholarships and/or subsidies for participation in events and programming.

The character and essence of the corporation is the same as the purpose.

# <u>ARTICLE 12</u> Prohibited Activities

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 11. 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

# ARTICLE 13 Distributions Upon Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the legal liabilities 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 a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, 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 14 Incorporator

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Erica Nicole Hruby 1579 Ember Lane Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

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Erica N. Hruby

Thursday, December 13, 2018