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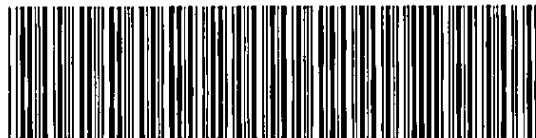
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**COVER LETTER**

**TO:** Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations

Hellenic Cultural Society of South Florida Inc

**NAME OF CORPORATION:** \_\_\_\_\_

N22000013989

**DOCUMENT NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Malvina Currie

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Contact Person)

Hellenic Cultural Society of South Florida

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Firm/ Company)

1700 SW 12th Ave

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address)

Ft Lauderdale, FL33315

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City/ State and Zip Code)

malvinacurrie@gmail.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Malvina Currie

954

993-7456

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Contact Person)

at

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code) (Daytime Telephone Number)

Enclosed is a check for the following amount made payable to the Florida Department of State:

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Articles of Amendment  
to  
Articles of Incorporation  
of

Hellenic Cultural Society of South Florida Inc

(Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida Dept. of State)

N22000013989

(Document Number of Corporation (if known))

Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statutes, this *Florida Not For Profit Corporation* adopts the following amendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:

A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporation:

N/A

*The new name must be distinguishable and contain the word "corporation" or "incorporated" or the abbreviation "Corp." or "Inc." "Company" or "Co." may not be used in the name.*

N/A

B. Enter new principal office address, if applicable:

(Principal office address MUST BE A STREET ADDRESS)

C. Enter new mailing address, if applicable:

(Mailing address MAY BE A POST OFFICE BOX)

N/A

D. If amending the registered agent and/or registered office address in Florida, enter the name of the new registered agent and/or the new registered office address:

N/A

Name of New Registered Agent:

(Florida street address)

New Registered Office Address:

(City)

Florida

(Zip Code)

New Registered Agent's Signature, if changing Registered Agent:

*I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with and accept the obligations of the position.*

*Signature of New Registered Agent, if changing*

If amending the Officers and/or Directors, enter the title and name of each officer/director being removed and title, name, and address of each Officer and/or Director being added:

(Attach additional sheets, if necessary)

Please note the officer/director title by the first letter of the office title:

P = President; V = Vice President; T = Treasurer; S = Secretary; D = Director; TR = Trustee; C = Chairman or Clerk; CEO = Chief Executive Officer; CFO = Chief Financial Officer. If an officer/director holds more than one title, list the first letter of each office held. President, Treasurer, Director would be PTD.

Changes should be noted in the following manner. Currently John Doe is listed as the PST and Mike Jones is listed as the V. There is a change, Mike Jones leaves the corporation, Sally Smith is named the V and S. These should be noted as John Doe, PT as a Change, Mike Jones, V as Remove, and Sally Smith, SV as an Add.

Example:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change	<u>PT</u>	<u>John Doe</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove	<u>V</u>	<u>Mike Jones</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add	<u>SV</u>	<u>Sally Smith</u>

<u>Type of Action</u> (Check One)	<u>Title</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
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**E. If amending or adding additional Articles, enter change(s) here:**

(attach additional sheets, if necessary). (Be specific)

Please see attached pages 1-6

Added: articles 2-8

ARTICLE II DURATION 2.01 Duration The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE 3.01 Purpose HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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 organization's purpose is to raise awareness about Hellenism, explore its relevance in our contemporary world and enrich South Florida's cultural landscape

The corporation may provide training representation for the general public, conduct research for educational purposes, and provide advisory services relative to Hellenism

In addition, such other purposes as may be determined from time to time to be in the furtherance of the general purpose stated here in above.

In general, to do any and all acts and things, and to exercise any and all powers which now or hereafter are lawful for the Corporation

to do or exercise under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida for the purpose of accomplishing any of the purposes of the Corporation

3.02 Non-Profit HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC is designated as a non-profit corporation.

ARTICLE IV NON-PROFIT NATURE 4.01 Non-profit Nature HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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.

Continued-see attached pages

N/A

The date of each amendment(s) adoption: \_\_\_\_\_, if other than the date this document was signed.

Effective date if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_  
(no more than 90 days after amendment file date)


**Note:** If the date inserted in this block does not meet the applicable statutory filing requirements, this date will not be listed as the document's effective date on the Department of State's records.

Adoption of Amendment(s) (CHECK ONE)

☐ 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 03/17/2023

Signature   
(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)

Malvina Currie

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Typed or printed name of person signing)

President

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title of person signing)

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC  
A Florida Non-profit Corporation

**ARTICLES OF  
INCORPORATION**

**ARTICLE I  
NAME**

**1. Name**

The name of this corporation shall be HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC. The business of the corporation may be conducted as HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC .

**ARTICLE II  
DURATION**

**2.01 Duration**

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual.

**ARTICLE III  
PURPOSE**

**3.01 Purpose**

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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 organization's purpose is to raise awareness about Hellenism, explore its relevance in our contemporary world and enrich South Florida's cultural landscape. The corporation may provide learning opportunities for the general public, conduct research for educational purposes, and provide advisory services relative to Hellenism.

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## HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC Articles of Incorporation

In general, to do any and all acts and things, and to exercise any and all powers which now or hereafter are lawful for the Corporation to do or exercise under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida for the purpose of accomplishing any of the purposes of the Corporation.

### **3.02 Non-Profit**

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC is designated as a non-profit corporation.

## **ARTICLE IV NON-PROFIT NATURE**

### **4.01 Non-profit Nature**

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code. No part of the net earnings of HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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, corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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 HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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 HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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 terminating or dissolving corporation.

The organization to receive the assets of the HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC hereunder shall be selected by the discretion of a majority of the managing body of the HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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 HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 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.

In the event that the court shall find that this section is applicable but that there is no qualifying organization known to it 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, contributions to which 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**

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC shall be governed by its board of directors.

#### **5.02 Initial Directors**

The initial directors of the corporation shall be Malvina Currie, Stavroula Christodoulou, Athena Gounis.

### **ARTICLE VI INDEMNIFICATION**

#### **6.01 Indemnification**

Any person made a party to any action, suit or proceeding by reason of being a director or officer of the Corporation shall be indemnified by the Corporation against any and all liability and the reasonable expenses, including attorney's fees and disbursements, incurred by him or her in connection with the defense or settlement of such action, suit or proceeding, or in connection with any appearance therein, except in relation to matters as to which it shall be adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding that such director or officer is liable for any misconduct in the performance of his or her duties. Such right of indemnification shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which such director or officer may be entitled apart from this Article.

### **ARTICLE VII MEMBERSHIP**

#### **7.01 Membership**

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC shall have no members. The management of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in a board of directors, as defined in the corporation's bylaws.

**ARTICLE VIII**  
**AMENDMENTS**

**8.01 Amendments**

Any amendment to the Articles of Incorporation may be adopted by approval of two-thirds (2/3) of the board of directors.

**ARTICLE IX**  
**ADDRESSES OF THE CORPORATION**

**9.01 Corporate Address**

The address of the corporation is:

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC  
1700 SW 12th Ave  
Ft Lauderdale, FL33315

The mailing address of the corporation is:

HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC  
1700 SW 12th Ave  
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**ARTICLE X**  
**APPOINTMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT**

**10.01 Registered Agent**

The registered agent of the corporation shall be:

Malvina Currie

**ARTICLE XI**  
**INCORPORATOR**

The incorporators of the corporation are as follow:

Malvina Currie

**CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above stated Articles of Incorporation of HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC were approved by the board of directors on March 17, 2023 and constitute a complete copy of Articles of Incorporation of the HELLENIC CULTURAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC.

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Ft Lauderdale, FL33315

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**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF CONSENT**