

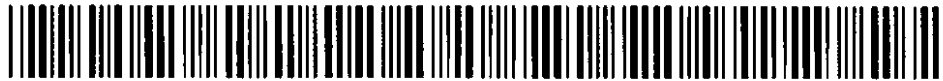
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**Buddhism for Everyone Inc.**

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be, Buddhism for Everyone Inc.

### ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal street address.

Mailing address, if different is.

2443 La Salle Avenue

Fort Myers, FL 33907

### ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is: Provide Buddhist teachings and meditation that are open to everyone, regardless of their background or religion, in order to help individuals develop spiritually and bring about greater peace in the world for the benefit of all living beings.

### ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed. Advised in the Bylaws.

Yvette Carrasco

### ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR DIRECTORS

Name and Title, JoAnn Lawrence Director

Address 2443 La Salle Avenue

Fort Myers, FL 33907

Name and Title, Janet Lopez Director

Address 2324 Flora Ave

Fort Myers, FL 33907

Name and Title, Melissa Fox Director

Address 2443 La Salle Ave

Fort Myers FL 33907

Name and Title, Yvette Carrasco Director

Address 8514 Charter Club Cir 4

Fort Myers, FL 33919

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**ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT**

The name and Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT acceptable) of the registered agent is:

Name: JoAnn Lawrence

Address : 2443 La Salle Avenue

Fort Myers FL 33907

**ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

Name: Frances Severe

Address: 2804 Gateway Oaks Drive #100

Sacramento, CA 95833


**ARTICLE VIII EFFECTIVE DATE:**

Effective date, if other than the date of filing, \_\_\_\_\_. (OPTIONAL)

(If an effective date is listed, the date must be specific and cannot be more than five days prior or 90 days after the filing.)

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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*

 _____ Required Signature of Registered Agent	<u>9/21/2023</u> _____ Date
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*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.*

 _____ Required Signature of Incorporator	<u>09/14/2023</u> _____ Date
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Attachment to Articles of Incorporation for  
Buddhism for Everyone Inc.

The following language relates to the Corporation's tax-exempt status and is not a statement of purposes and powers.

Said Corporation is organized 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.

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 the purpose clause. 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, 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, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) 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.

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 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.