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# Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of

CHINMAYA MISSION OF ORLANDO, INC

Name of Corporation as currently filed with the Florida	a Dept. of State)	<u> </u>	
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Pursuant to the provisions of section 617.1006, Florida Statuamendment(s) to its Articles of Incorporation:	utes, this Florida No.	t For Profit Corporation adop	ts the following
A. If amending name, enter the new name of the corporate			
CHINMAYA MISSION ORLANDO, INC	<u> </u>		The new
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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.

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Dated	OCTOBER 26, 2020
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Signature	20 VILO
	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)
	DAKSHA VAKHARIA
	(Typed or printed name of person signing)
	SECRETARY
	(Title of person signing)

# AMENDED AND RESTATED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION Of

Chinmaya Mission Orlando, Inc.

The undersigned certify that:

- 1. They are the President and the Secretary, respectively, of *CHINMAYA MISSION*ORLANDO, INC a , FLORIDA public benefit corporation.
- 2. The Articles of Incorporation of this corporation shall read as follows:

# Article 1

# Name

The name of this corporation is CHINMAYA MISSION ORLANDO, INC

#### Article 2

# Purpose

The purposes for which this corporation is formed are as follows:

- a. This corporation is a religious corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Religious Corporation Law exclusively for religious purposes.
- b. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

- c. The specific purposes for which this corporation is formed are as follows:
  - (1) To establish and operate Hindu places of worship:
  - (2) To promote, foster, encourage, publish, teach, and disseminate Hindu religion and philosophy, as expressed in the classical principles of Vedanta, generally and specifically as taught by Swami Chinmayananda, Swami Tejomayananda and his successor, the Permanent Director of this corporation;
  - (3) To follow and promote the teachings and writings of Swami Chinmayananda:
  - (4) To establish, maintain, and operate schools, to conduct classes, discussions groups, camps, retreats, workshops, seminars and other related activities that further the specific purpose set forth in Article 2 (c)(2) above;
  - (5) To conduct classes and other activities to teach and promote Indian languages and Indian arts and music:
  - (6) To provide social relief and monetary aid to the needy where feasible and engage in community outreach activities either directly or through other charitable organizations;
  - (7) To produce, translate, publish, print, and distribute religious and cultural books, journals, periodicals, lectures, Indian arts and music, and similar content in all formats including digital media;
  - (8) To use digital and social media to disseminate information about the organization and to promote its purpose;
  - (9) To have and to exercise all the powers conferred by the laws of the State of FLORIDA upon corporations formed under the laws pursuant to and under which this corporation is formed, as such laws are now in effect or may at any time hereafter be amended.

#### Article 3

## Restrictions on Activities

- a. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate, or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate of public office.
- b. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, this 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 of 1986 or (2) by a corporation contribution to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- c. No meat or meat products, any intoxicating substances or alcoholic drinks, or tobacco shall be brought or taken upon the premises or the property of this corporation.

#### Article 4

#### **Dedication of Property**

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any Director, officer or to the benefit of any private person. Upon dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision of payment, of all debts and liabilities shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and set forth under the Bylaws.

#### Article 5

# Election to be governed by all applicable provisions of present law

In accordance with the provisions of Florida Statues, this corporation elects to be governed by all of the provisions of the Chapter 617 Florida Non-profit Religious Corporation laws.

#### Article 6

#### Directors

Subject to any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the affairs of this corporation shall be governed by a Board of Directors. The number of Directors, their qualifications, and the procedure for their selection and removal shall be governed by the Bylaws. Voting members shall be limited to the Board of Directors and Permanent Director.

#### Article 7

# Change in Directors

The number of Directors may be fixed or changed from time to time by amendment of these Articles of Incorporation or by amendment of the Bylaws of the corporation in accordance with amendment procedure duly established thereof.

#### Article 8

#### Permanent Director

So long as Swami Swaroopananda, the Permanent Director and Chairman of *CHINMAYA MISSION ORLANDO*, *INC* is alive and willing to serve, he shall hold the position of Permanent Director, and his authority as Permanent Director shall be specifically set forth in the Bylaws. In the event Swami Swaroopananda is unable or unwilling to serve as Permanent Director, then a successor shall be appointed as set forth in the Bylaws.

#### Article 9

#### Liabilities of Directors and Officers

Unless otherwise expressly agreed in writing, no Director, Permanent Director and/or officer of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or liabilities of the corporation.

#### Article 10

#### Amendments

These Articles may be amended only by resolution duly adopted by a majority vote of the Board of Directors, with the approval of the Permanent Director.

#### Article 11

## Agent for Service of Process

The name and address in the State of Florida of this corporation's agent for service of process is: Mr. Kiran Pate, 1221 Chinmaya Way, Casselberry, Florida 32707

We further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of FLORIDA that the matters set forth in this certificate are true and correct of our own knowledge.

Dated: October 17, 2020

President

Dated: October 17, 2020

Secretary