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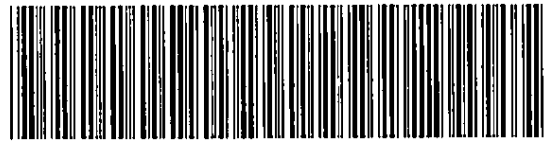
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TO: Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations

NAME OF CORPORATION: The Temple of the Tao

DOCUMENT NUMBER: N94000000630

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

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

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

Scott Huss

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

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17111 Biscayne Blvd Unit 2304

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

North Miami Beach, FL 33160

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Scott Huss

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Articles of Amendment  
to  
Articles of Incorporation  
of

The Temple of the Tao

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

(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:

*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.*

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)

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:

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

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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.

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)

SEE ATTACHED SHEETS FOR ARTICLES

☒ 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 03/26/2023

Signature Scott Huss  
(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)

SCOTT HUSS  
(Typed or printed name of person signing)

PRESIDENT  
(Title of person signing)

**Article III**

**Purpose:**

The Temple of the Tao, Inc. provides donations to various South Florida based nonprofit institutions that work to improve the lives, minds, health and well-being of children and young adults. Our focus is on assisting them in obtaining educational support and special needs training in the local community schools. In support of our primary goals, our organization conducts activities including:

- Improving lives- The focus here is on anything that makes life better for young people. This includes community beautification, educational programs and summer camps, and scholarships to attend special programs.
- Improving minds-Focusing on education, the goal is access, intervention, and support for educational programs. This includes GED classes, technical school classes, and English for speakers of other languages, arts related classes and post-secondary classes.
- Health and Well-being assists young people in the care of their minds and bodies. Programs for mental health include any stress reducing activity like Yoga, Tai Chi, or meditation. Well-being activities refer to any programs that make young people part of a community fostering relationships that create outcomes for the betterment of all.

The Temple uses our contributions to foster continued work being done by such institutions as: the YMCA, the Boys and Girls Club, the local Art Center, and public and private schools

Said organization 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code. This non-profit corporation will have all the powers as stated in Section 617.021, Florida Statutes 1991 and all acts amendatory thereof, including the Corporation's registration with the internal Revenue Service as a 501(c)(3) - 59-135-8912. To establish and maintain charitable purposes as an institution providing services primarily for residents of Florida.

**Article IV**

**The manner in which the directors are elected and appointed:**

Elections will be held at the annual meeting in November. Nomination for all positions may be made from the floor, but only with express consent of the person or persons nominated. From a slate of nominees presented at the November meeting of the Corporation, the Board of Directors will elect from its membership the Executive Committee of the Board, comprised of the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and one (1) additional member at large. Each member of the Executive Committee will serve a two year term and may be elected to successive terms without limit. Any vacancies occurring on this Committee may be filled by the Board of Directors.

The Executive Committee will have all the power and authority of the Board of Directors in the interim between regular Board meetings, and its acts, by majority vote of the Executive Committee will be binding upon the Corporation; provided, however the Executive Committee

will exercise this authority only with respect of those matters deemed by the President or by a majority of the Executive Committee, to be of sufficient importance to require a decision and action prior to the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors. The Executive Committee will recommend action by the Board of Directors with respect to any matter affecting the Corporation.

An affirmative vote of a majority of the Board of Directors present quorum and attending will be required to elect officers, board members, and to remove from office a trustee or officer for cause deemed sufficient by those voting for such removal.

Any member of the Board of Directors, who will have three (3) unexcused absences from regularly scheduled meetings of the Board in any fiscal year, will automatically be dropped as a member of the Board. Absences may be excused for just cause and may be registered in person orally, in writing, by telephone or email prior to such meetings.

#### **Article V**

##### **Dissolution of Corporation**

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors will dispose of the assets of the Corporation in such a manner, or to such organizations operated for charitable purposes as will qualify at the time as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS code, or the law in effect at the time. Upon winding up and dissolution of this Corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the Corporation, if the named beneficiary at the time of dissolution may not be qualified, may not be in existence, or may be unwilling or unable to accept the assets of the dissolving organization, the remaining assets will be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation, or Corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, and scientific purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Moreover, upon the dissolution of the organization, assets that have not been distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the organization 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 VI**

##### **Conflict Of Interest**

No officer, Director, or member of the Corporation will have a direct or indirect financial interest in the Corporation's interest when it is contemplating entering into a transaction or arrangement that might result in a possible excess benefit transaction. This policy, which has been adopted by resolution of the governing board, is intended to supplement but not replace any applicable state and federal laws governing conflict of interest applicable to nonprofit and charitable organizations.