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Department of State
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

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RE: SYMPOSIUM SINGERS, INC. - Articles of Incorporation

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find enclosed the original Articles of Incorporation for the above-captioned entity for filing with your office along with a check for \$131.25 for fees. Please file these Articles and return the same to this office along with any other relevant documents, certificates, etc.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Susan Penge Filson

**Enclosures** 

DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

## SYMPOSIUM SINGERS, INC.

The undersigned, acting as incorporator of a corporation pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, adopts the following Articles of Incorporation providing for the formation, liability, rights, privileges and immunities of a corporation not for profit:

#### ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be: Symposium Singers, Inc.

#### ARTICLE II

Principal place of business and mailing address: The principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be: 2008 Robinson Avenue, Sarasota, Florida 34232-3234.

#### ARTICLE III

The specific purpose for which the corporation is organized is: To serve and educate the public through the use of choral music by creating and maintaining an ad hoc panel of qualified and trained singers to perform benefit concerts for charitable purposes, to sponsor musical events in the community and to present workshops in the choral and vocal arts, as well as to transact any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under Chapters 607 and 617, Florida Statutes.

#### ARTICLE IV

This corporation shall exist perpetually, and shall commence upon the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Department of State, State of Florida.

#### ARTICLE V

The registered office of the corporation shall be at: 2008 Robinson Avenue, Sarasota, Florida 34232-3234, and the registered agent at that address shall be James Cullen.

#### ARTICLE VI

The business of this corporation shall be conducted by the directors. The manner in which the directors are elected shall be designated by the By-laws of the corporation, and shall be so elected at the annual meeting.

#### ARTICLE VII

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article II.

#### ARTICLE VIII

The names and street addresses of the initial board of directors and officers who shall hold

office until successors are duly elected and qualified are as follows:

James Cullen, President, Secretary, Treasurer 2008 Robinson Avenue Sarasota, Florida 34232-3234

George Rogers, Director 462 Ingres Drive Nokomis, Florida 34275

Jaye Martin, Director 4006 Radnor Place Sarasota, Florida 34233

#### ARTICLE IX

This corporation shall have all the powers conferred upon corporations not-for-profit as provided by general law, and specifically as set forth by the Florida Not-For-Profit Act, Chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

#### ARTICLE X

The By-laws of this corporation shall be adopted by the Board of Directors and may be altered, amended or rescinded in the manner provided by said By-laws.

#### ARTICLE XI

All officers and directors shall be indemnified by the corporation against all expenses and liabilities, including attorneys fees reasonably incurred in connection with any proceeding or settlement thereof in which they may become involved by reason of holding such office. The corporation may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of all officers and directors against any liability asserted against them or incurred by them in their capacity as officers and directors or arising out of their status as such.

## **ARTICLE XII**

The corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation by simple majority vote of all voting rights of all members of the corporation and all rights conferred upon the members herein are granted subject to this reservation.

# **ARTICLE XIII**

The undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles of Incorporation this \_

The name and address of the incorporator hereunder is as follows:

James Cullen 2008 Robinson Avenue Sarasota, Florida 34232-3234

James Cullen
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF SARASOTA Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared JAMES CULLEN, who is
personally known to me or who has producedas identification, and
who did take an oath.
Witness my hand and official seal at Sarasota, Florida this day of
August, 1998  Notary Public - State of Florida  Printed name of Notary:  Commission expiration:

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# CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED CORPORATION, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

The name of the corporation is:		98 MG.
Symposium Singers, Inc.	<i>)</i>	CORPORE CORPORE
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2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

James Cullen

(NAME)

2008 Robinson Avenue

(P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)

Sarasota, Florida 34232-3234

(CITY/STATE/ZIP)

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

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