



ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF THE  
VEDIC DHARMA SAMAJ

WILSON (D.M.) CO., Secretary of State  
Justia Glenn  
Deputy

I

The name of this corporation shall be the VEDIC DHARMA SAMAJ, hereinafter referred as the VEDIC SAMAJ.

II

- 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. The specific and primary purposes of this corporation are:
  - a. To provide a place of worship and performance of VEDIC religious practices.
  - b. To sustain, practice and enhance the religious heritage of Hindu Dharma.
  - c. To hold assemblies of the Hindu Community to help them practice the traditional VEDIC values of life and provide opportunities for the youth of the community for raising their religious consciousness.

III

The name and address in the State of California of this corporation's initial agent for service of process is:

Ramanand Prasad, 511 Lowell Place, Fremont, CA 94536

IV

- A. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- B. 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 (b) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- C. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.

V

- A. The management of the affairs of this corporation shall be under the control and supervision of the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors, until the selection of their successors, are:

NAME AND ADDRESS

1. Tej Singh  
36520 Alder Ct.  
Fremont, CA 94536
2. Vijay K. Malhotra  
3381 Mallard Ct.  
Hayward, CA 94542

NAME AND ADDRESS

3. Birendra K. Chowdhary  
5818 St. Mathews Dr.  
Newark, CA 94560
4. Madan L. Arora  
3436 Pinewood Dr.  
Hayward, CA 94542

NAME AND ADDRESS

5. Harsh K. Nangia  
33636 Caliban Dr.  
Fremont, CA 94536
6. Ramanand Prasad  
511 Lowell Pl.  
Fremont, CA 94536
7. Kamla P. Yadav  
1273 Columbus Dr.  
Milpitas, CA 95035
8. Gajendra M. Mishra  
45155 Innaha Ct.  
Fremont, CA 94538

NAME AND ADDRESS

9. Shyam Lakhota  
28055 Dobel Ave.  
Hayward, CA 94542
10. Lalit K. Mathur  
4160 Sedge St.  
Fremont, CA 94536
11. Mahesh C. Gupta  
33798 Cassio Circle  
Fremont, CA 94536

- B. The number of Directors and the manner in which the Directors shall be chosen and removed from office, their qualifications, powers, duties, compensation and tenure of office, the manner of filling vacancies on the Board, and the manner of calling and holding meetings of Directors, shall be as stated in the bylaws.

VI

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 member thereof, or to the benefit of any private person. Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a non-profit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for religious or charitable purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3)

of the Internal Revenue Code.

Dated: February 8, 1981

1. Tej Singh  
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2. Vijay K. Malhotra  
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3. Birendra K. Chowdhary  
BIRENDRA K. CHOWDHARY

4. Madan L. Arora  
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5. Harsh K. Nangia  
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6. Ramanand Prasad  
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