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*(Convention de La Haye du 5 octobre 1961)*

1. *District of Columbia*  
*United States of America*

2. This public document has been signed by MAXINE M. HINSON

ACT. ASST. SUPERINTENDENT OF CORPORATIONS

3. acting in the capacity of CORPORATIONS DIVISION

D.C. DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER & REGULATORY AFFAIRS

4. bears the seal/stamp of \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFIED**

5. at Washington, D. C.

9<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2001

6. the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

7. by Secretary of the District of Columbia

8. No. 86875

9. Seal/Stamp



10. Signature

Beverly D. Rivers  
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GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
BUSINESS REGULATION ADMINISTRATION



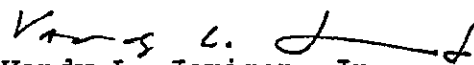
CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that all applicable provisions of the DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA NONPROFIT CORPORATION ACT have been complied with and accordingly, this **CERTIFICATE of INCORPORATION** is hereby issued to **WORLD SUBUD ASSOCIATION, INC.**

as of **OCTOBER 2ND , 1989 .**

Donald G. Murray  
Director

Henry C. Lee, III  
Administrator  
Business Regulation Administration

  
Vandy L. Jamison, Jr.  
Assistant Superintendent of Corporations  
Corporations Division

Marion Barry, Jr.  
Mayor

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

WORLD SUBUD ASSOCIATION, INC.

TO: The Department of Consumer & Regulatory Affairs  
Washington, D.C.

We, the undersigned natural persons of the age of eighteen years or more, acting as incorporators, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation pursuant to the District of Columbia Non-Profit Corporation Act:

FIRST: The name of the corporation (which is hereinafter called the "Corporation") is:

WORLD SUBUD ASSOCIATION, INC.

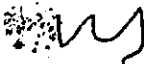
SECOND: The Corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively as a nonstock charitable, educational and religious organization for the following purposes:

(a) To operate exclusively for charitable, educational, and religious purposes, either directly or by contributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the regulations thereunder, as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

(b) To facilitate the worship of Almighty God through the spiritual exercise known as the Latihan Kejiwaan of Subud and to provide for other needs of the Subud membership.

(c) To preserve the practice of the Latihan Kejiwaan so that it will remain available to people everywhere in the form in which it was originally practiced under the guidance of Muhammad Subuh Sumohadiwijojo.

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- (d) To protect the good reputation of Subud.
- (e) To encourage peace, harmony and understanding between peoples regardless of their ethnic origin or religion.
- (f) To provide education and other facilities for the development of the full potential of human beings.
- (g) To relieve poverty and deprivation.
- (h) To encourage the development of a healthy and harmonious inner and outer environment for the well-being of mankind.
- (i) To encourage cultural activities and the values which enliven and enrich the human spirit.
- (j) To encourage the entrepreneurial spirit which enables people to express their true talents and develop the capacity to improve the quality of their lives.
- (k) To make available information concerning the Latihan Kejiwaan of Subud.
- (l) To have and to exercise to the extent necessary or desirable for the accomplishment of any of the aforesaid purposes, and to the extent that they are not inconsistent with the charitable and religious purposes of the Corporation, any and all powers conferred upon nonstock corporations by the District of Columbia Nonprofit Corporation Act.

THIRD: The registered agent is Earl L. Metheny, and the address, including street and number, of its initial registered office is 1735 Eye Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

FOURTH: The Corporation is not authorized to issue any

capital stock. The Corporation shall have members, whose voting rights shall be set forth in the bylaws.

FIFTH: The period of the Corporation's duration is perpetual.

SIXTH: The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors is eight (8), and the names and addresses, including street number, of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors until the first annual meeting, or until their successors are elected and qualified, are:

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|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (1) Varindra Tarzie Vittachi | 10 Waterside Plaza, Apt 22J<br>New York, New York 10010, USA                                  |
| (2) Muchsin Russ             | 30 Jersey Avenue<br>Leura, N.S.W.2780,<br>Australia                                           |
| (3) Markus Hoff Berge        | Tjiernsrudy. 17, 1342 Jar<br>Oslo, Norway                                                     |
| (4) Sergio Moreno            | c/o Candilla, s-1D,<br>28230 Las Rozas<br>Madrid, Spain                                       |
| (5) Bachtiar Lorot           | 42 Rue Des Arts,<br>93 600 Aulnay sous Bois, France                                           |
| (6) Ruth Kelly               | 7507 Lowell Avenue<br>Skokie, Illinois 60076, USA                                             |
| (7) Rodolfo Garzon           | Casilla Postal 8360<br>Quito, Ecuador                                                         |
| (8) Samuel Vargas            | Guillermo Vargas Avendano<br>Alonso de Cordova 4411, Dept 215,<br>Las Condes, Santiago, Chili |

Directors shall be elected by the members in such manner and for such terms as the Bylaws may provide. The number of directors may be increased or decreased in the manner provided in the Bylaws but shall never be less than three (3).

SEVENTH: The powers of the Corporation shall be subject to the following terms, provisions and limitations:

- (a) No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall

inure to the benefit of any member, director or officer of the Corporation, or any private person, except that reasonable compensation may be paid for services actually rendered to or for the Corporation, and no member, director or officer of the Corporation, or any private person shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any of the corporate assets on dissolution of the Corporation. Except as provided and permitted under Sections 501(h) and 4911 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the Regulations thereunder, as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended (hereinafter collectively referred to as "The Internal Revenue Code"), 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 publication or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidates for public office.

(b) Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the Corporation shall not conduct or carry on any activities not permitted to be conducted or carried on by an organization exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of The Internal Revenue Code or by an organization, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) thereof.

(c) In the event of the liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Corporation in any manner or for any reason whatever, all of the assets of the Corporation after the payment of the obligations and liabilities of the Corporation shall be transferred

to one or more domestic or foreign corporations or associations having a similar or analogous character or purpose as may be selected by the Corporation's directors; provided further, however, that any transferee corporation shall qualify under the provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of The Internal Revenue Code.

EIGHTH: The names and addresses, including street and number, of the incorporators are:

Earl L. Metheny	1735 Eye Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20006
Sylvia Parker	1735 Eye Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20006
Amy Magee	1735 Eye Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20006

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators have signed these Articles of Incorporation on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1989.

WITNESS:

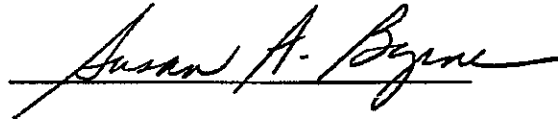
Leslie R. Reddle  
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Earl L. Metheny  
Earl L. Metheny  
Sylvia Parker  
Sylvia Parker  
Amy Magee  
Amy Magee

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA )  
 ) to wit:  
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1989, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the District of Columbia, personally appeared Earl L. Metheny, and duly acknowledged the foregoing Articles of Incorporation to be his act and deed.

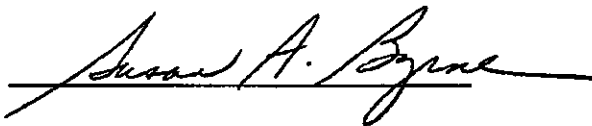
My Commission Expires May 14, 1992



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA )  
 ) to wit:  
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1989, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the District of Columbia, personally appeared Sylvia Parker, and duly acknowledged the foregoing Articles of Incorporation to be her act and deed.

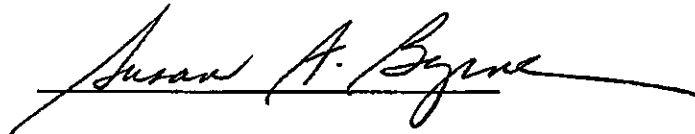
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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA )  
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1989, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the District of Columbia, personally appeared Amy Magee, and duly acknowledged the foregoing Articles of Incorporation to be her act and deed.

My Commission Expires May 14, 1992





**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

**DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER  
AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS**

I hereby certify that this is a true  
and complete copy of the document  
filed in this office, the Corporations  
Division of the Business Regulation  
Administration, and that this docu-  
ment was admitted to record in

File # 893630

Date of Certification 11-01 2001

De Vries  
Superintendent of Corporation:  
By M. M. Hersh