



NORTH CAROLINA

Department of The Secretary of State

To all whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

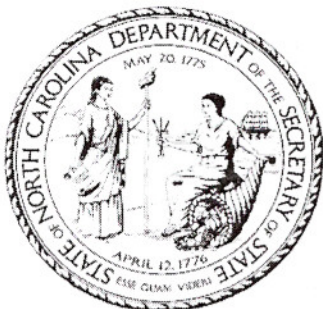
I, **ELAINE F. MARSHALL**, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached to be a true copy of

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

BENGALI ASSOCIATION OF NORTH CAROLINA

the original of which was filed in this office on the 21st day of August, 2008.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed my official seal at the
City of Raleigh, this 21st day of August, 2008

Elaine F. Marshall
Secretary of State

State of North Carolina
Department of the Secretary of State

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
NONPROFIT CORPORATION

Pursuant to §55A-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

1. The name of the corporation is: Bengali Association of North Carolina
2. (Check only if applicable.) The corporation is a charitable or religious corporation as defined in NCGS §55A-1-40(4).
3. The street address and county of the initial registered office of the corporation is:
Number and Street 100 Manora Lane
City, State, Zip Code Chapel Hill, NC, 27516 County Orange
4. The mailing address *if different from the street address* of the initial registered office is:

5. The name of the initial registered agent is:
Madhulavi Majumdar
6. The name and address of each incorporator is as follows: Madhulavi Majumdar-100 Manora Ln, Chapel Hill, NC 27516
Mita Paul- 102 Springbery Ct, Cary, NC 27511; Ratan Ray - 112 Rattle Snap Ct, Cary, NC 27519;
Indra Lahiri - 204 Drakewood Pl, Cary, NC 27511
7. (Check either a or b below.)
a. The corporation will have members.
b. The corporation will not have members.
8. Attached are provisions regarding the distribution of the corporation's assets upon its dissolution.
9. Any other provisions which the corporation elects to include are attached.
10. The street address and county of the principal office of the corporation is:
Number and Street 100 Manora Lane
City, State, Zip Code Chapel Hill, NC, 27516 County Orange
11. The mailing address *if different from the street address* of the principal office is:

12. These articles will be effective upon filing, unless a later time and/or date is specified: _____

This is the _____ day of _____, 20_____.

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Signature of Incorporator

MADHULAVI MAJUMDAR, PRESIDENT

Type or print Incorporator's name and title, if any

1. Mita Paul
(MITA PAUL)
VICE-PRESIDENT

2. Ratan Ray 8/16/08
(RATAN RAY)
SECRETARY

3. Indra Lahiri
(INDRA LAHIRI)
TREASURER

NOTES:

1. Filing fee is \$60. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.

The Bengali Association of North Carolina (BANC) association is organized exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary or educational purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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 the corresponding section of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

Upon the winding up and dissolution of the BANC association, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the association, the remaining assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

No part of the net earnings of the BANC association shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any of its members, trustees, officers or other private persons, except that the BANC association shall be authorized to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the exempt purposes.
