



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Office of the Secretary of State

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Division Of Business Services
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**Non-Profit Corporation
Articles of Incorporation**

(Chapter 7-6-34 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is The Rhode Island Local Chapter of the American Disc Jockey Association

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is Perpetual ___

ARTICLE III

The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

This Chapter is organized as a professional trade association, as defined in Section 501 (c) (6) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The specific purposes for which this Chapter is organized are:

To provide a forum for professional mobile, club, and radio Disc Jockeys and Karaoke Jockeys to meet and deal with issues of mutual importance;

To obtain and provide benefits for Members that may not otherwise be readily available to individual Disc Jockey and Karaoke businesses;

To assist Members in developing their Disc Jockey and Karaoke businesses with an emphasis on professional standards, education, profitability, and ethics;

To aid Members in complying with laws and regulations pertaining to the Disc Jockey and Karaoke Industry; and

To promote Disc Jockey and Karaoke services to the consumer.

ARTICLE IV

Provisions, if any, not inconsistent with the law, which the incorporators elect to set forth in these articles of incorporation for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are:

THIS CHAPTER IS ORGANIZED AS AN UNINCORPORATED NONPROFIT ASSOCIATION AND, AS SUCH, WILL BE OPERATED SOLELY FOR NONPROFIT PURPOSES. IT WILL NOT BE OPERATED FOR FINANCIAL GAIN OR PROFIT.

NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF THIS CHAPTER WILL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF, OR BE DISTRIBUTED TO, ITS MEMBERS, DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, OR OTHER PRIVATE PERSONS, EXCEPT THAT THIS CHAPTER IS AUTHORIZED TO MAKE PAYMENTS AND DISTRIBUTIONS IN FURTHERANCE OF ITS EXEMPT PURPOSES.

NO SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THIS CHAPTER WILL INVOLVE THE DISSEMINATION OF POLITICAL PROPAGANDA OR ATTEMPTS TO INFLUENCE LEGISLATION. THE CHAPTER WILL NOT PARTICIPATE IN OR INTERVENE IN ANY POLITICAL CAMPAIGN, INCLUDING PUBLISHING OR DISTRIBUTING STATEMENTS, ON BEHALF OF (OR IN OPPOSITION TO) ANY CANDIDATE FOR PUBLIC OFFICE.

UPON WINDING UP AND DISSOLUTION, AFTER PAYING OR ADEQUATELY PROVIDING FOR ITS DEBTS, OBLIGATIONS, AND LIABILITIES, THE REMAINING ASSETS OF THIS CHAPTER WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE AMERICAN DISC JOCKEY ASSOCIATION, IF IT IS THEN IN EXISTENCE AND HAS MAINTAINED ITS TAX-EXEMPT STATUS UNDER SECTION 501(C)(6) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE. IF NOT, THEN THE ASSETS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A NONPROFIT FUND, FOUNDATION, ASSOCIATION, OR CORPORATION, SELECTED BY THE CHAPTER'S OFFICERS, THAT HAS ESTABLISHED ITS TAX EXEMPT STATUS UNDER EITHER SECTION 501 (C)(3) OR 501 (C)(6) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR TO A STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT, FOR A PUBLIC PURPOSE.

AMENDMENTS TO THESE ARTICLES MAY BE MADE BY A MAJORITY VOTE OF THE CHAPTER MEMBERS AT A DULY CONSTITUTED CHAPTER MEETING.

ARTICLE V

The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

No. and Street: 1131 MAIN STREET
City or Town: WYOMING State: RI Zip: 02898

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is PHILIP H. WESTON

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 3 and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	PHILIP HODGE WESTON	1131 MAIN ST WYOMING, RI 02898 USA
DIRECTOR	JOESEPH GENCARELLI	43 TROLLEY LANE WESTERLY, RI 02891 USA
DIRECTOR	DAVID BOWEN TRIMMER	178 RIVERSIDE AVE WARWICK, RI 02889-5131 USA

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the each incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	PHILIP HODGE WESTON	1131 MAIN ST WYOMING, RI 02898 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 05/01/2011
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 27 Day of April, 2011 at 10:15:09 PM by the incorporator(s). *This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the corporation, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-6.*

Enter signatures below.

PHILIP H. WESTON

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A. Ralph Mollis

Secretary of State

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

I, A. RALPH MOLLIS, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island
and Providence Plantations, hereby certify that this document, duly
executed in accordance with the provisions of Title 7 of the General Laws
of Rhode Island, as amended, has been filed in this office on this day:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "A. Ralph Mollis".

A. RALPH MOLLIS

Secretary of State

