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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Office of the Secretary of State
Corporations Division
148 W. River Street
Providence, Rhode Island 02904-2615

NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The undersigned, acting as incorporator(s) of a corporation under Chapter 7-6 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended, adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

1. The name of the corporation is The Center for the Rhode Island LGBT Community

2. The period of its duration is (if perpetual, so state) Perpetual

3. The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:
To build and support the Rhode Island LGBT community by providing a visible, safe, inclusive welcoming space, a center where people can get information, attend events, get in touch with resources, meet others in a place where they feel comfortable and supported.

4. 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:

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5. The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 141 Lancaster Street
(Street Address, not P.O. Box)
Providence, RI 02906, and the name of its initial registered agent at such
(City/Town) (Zip Code)
 address is Kim Stowell
(Name of Agent)

6. The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 3
(not less than three directors)
 and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
<u>Katherine Stowell</u>	<u>141 Lancaster St. Providence, RI 02906</u>
<u>Emma Garrett-Nelson</u>	<u>199 Dexter St., Apt. 1R Providence, RI 02907</u>
<u>Patrick Smock</u>	<u>300 Pearl Street #206, Providence, RI 02907</u>

7. The name and address of each incorporator is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
<u>Laura A. Pisaturo</u>	<u>1055 Elmwood Avenue, Providence, RI 02907</u>
<u>Stephen Hartley</u>	<u>AIDS Care Ocean State, 18 Parkis Ave., Providence 02907</u>
<u>Tony Aguilar</u>	<u>P.O. Box 1198, Westerly, RI 02891</u>
<u>Ray Sinco</u>	<u>66 Modena Ave. Providence, RI 02908</u>
<u>Patrick Smock</u>	<u>300 Pearl Street #206, Providence, RI 02907</u>
<u>Emma Garrett-Nelson</u>	<u>199 Dexter St., Apt. 1R Providence, RI 02907</u>
<u>Katherine Stowell</u>	<u>141 Lancaster St. Providence, RI 02906</u>

8. Date when corporate existence is to begin September 13 2011
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Under penalty of perjury, I/we declare and affirm that I/we have examined these Articles of Incorporation, including any accompanying attachments, and that all statements contained herein are true and correct.

Date: 9/2/2011

Laura A. Pisaturo
Stephen J. Hartley
Emma Garrett Nelson
Tony Aguilar
Patrick J. Smock
 Signature of each Incorporator
Kath Stowell



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

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

