

# State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

## ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION.

(NON-BUSINESS CORPORATION.)

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, Edward Winsor, Gerald W. Harrington, Baneroff Littlefield, Edward T. Richards and Henry B. Gardner, Jr., all of the City and County of Providence, and State of Rhode Island,

all of lawful age, hereby agree to and with each other:

FIRST. To associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a corporation under and by virtue of the powers conferred by Article III of Chapter <sup>116</sup> 249 of the General Laws of Rhode Island.

SECOND. Said corporation shall be known by the name of Sakonnet Yacht Club.

THIRD. Said corporation is constituted for the purpose of fostering good feeling among its members, promoting interest and participation in yachting, in yacht racing, in dinghy racing, in boat racing, in cruising, in the design, construction and racing of model yachts, in boat building, in the science of naval architecture, in navigation, in piloting, and in seamanship, in lending assistance to the government of the United States, or the State of Rhode Island, in times of emergency, and, without limiting the generality thereof, in promoting interest and participation in any other sport; the conduct fostering or promotion of yacht races, boat races, regattas, cruises, model yacht races and regattas, and without limiting the generality thereof, any form of entertainment whatsoever; and the doing of any or all things, either necessary or incidental to any of the foregoing; and without limiting the generality thereof, providing facilities for the aforesaid purposes by lease or otherwise, including facilities for the hauling and storage of boats and yachts; said purposes may be carried out either alone or in conjunction with others.

In addition to the foregoing, said corporation shall have the following powers and authority, viz:— (See Sec. 75, Chapter <sup>116</sup> 249 of the General Laws.)

To do any lawful act which is necessary or proper to accomplish the purposes of its incorporation. Without limiting or enlarging the effect of this general grant of authority, it is hereby specifically provided that said corporation shall have power:

(a) to have perpetual succession in its corporate name, unless a period for its duration is limited in these articles of association;

(b) to sue and be sued in its corporate name;

(c) to have and use a common seal, and alter the same at pleasure;

(d) to elect such officers and appoint such agents as its purposes require, and to fix their compensation and define their duties;

(e) to make by-laws not inconsistent with the constitution or laws of the United States or of this state, or with these articles of association, determining the time and place of holding and the manner of calling and of conducting meetings of its members and directors, the manner of electing its officers and directors, the mode of voting by proxy, and the number, qualifications, powers, duties and term of office of its officers and directors, and containing any other provisions, whether of the same or of a different nature, for the management of the corporation's property and the regulation and government of its affairs;

(f) to make contracts, incur liabilities and borrow money.

Said corporation shall be entitled to take, hold, transmit and convey real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding in all one hundred fifty thousand dollars. But if it desires to take and hold property to an amount exceeding one hundred fifty thousand dollars either originally or by amendment, such privilege shall be granted only by the general assembly on petition thereto.

(OVER)

FOURTH. Said corporation shall be located in Little Compton,        Rhode Island.  
(City or Town)

(Further provisions not inconsistent with law.)

FIFTH.....

SIXTH.....

SEVENTH.....

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and stated our residences this

8<sup>th</sup> day of June, A. D. 19.39.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.
Edward Winsor	237 Spring Avenue Providence, R.I.
Gerald W. Harrington	82 Fremont Parkway, Providence, R.I.
Bancroft Littlefield	10 Cushing Street Providence, R.I.
Edward T. Richards	77 Everett Ave., Providence, R.I.
Henry B. Gardner, Jr.	73 Congdon St. Providence, R.I.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, }

COUNTY OF }

In the City } of Providence,  
Town }  
in said county this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, A. D. 19.39, then  
personally appeared before me Edward Winsor, Gerald W. Harrington,  
Bancroft Littlefield, Edward T. Richards and Henry B. Gardner, Jr.

each and all known to me and known by me to be the parties executing the foregoing instrument, and they severally acknowledged said instrument by them subscribed to be their free act and deed.

Herbert J. Humphrey  
Notary Public.

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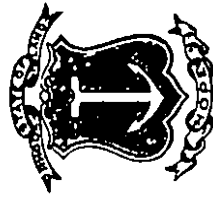
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SECRETARY OF STATE.

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A 8763 OFFICE OF THE GENERAL TREASURER

Providence, June 8, 1939

I Hereby Certify That Sakonnet Yacht Club

has paid into the State Treasury a fee of ----- Dollars for Incorporation  
----- Five ----- in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 248, General Laws, and all acts in amendment thereof.

\$5.00

General Treasurer

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