

## State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

July 18, 19 66

WE, the undersigned Officers of

Blackstone Valley Chapter Rhode Island Assoc. for Retarded Children, Inc.

a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Rhode Island,

HEREBY CERTIFY, that at a legal meeting of said corporation, duly called for the purpose,

and held in the town of Cumberland

in said State, on the 11th day of July, A. D. 19 66,

the following amendment(s) to the Articles of Association was (or were) duly adopted by

the affirmative vote of TWO THIRDS of its members viz:—

“VOTED, That

----- Article Third be changed to read as follows: Purpose

a. To promote the general welfare of the mentally retarded wherever they may be. (b) To foster the development of programs in their behalf. The parent(s) of any retarded persons taking advantage of any activity conducted by the Chapter directly for their education, rehabilitation, or recreation, shall be members in good standing. (c) To encourage research related to mental retardation. (d) To advise and aid parents in the solution of their problems and to coordinate their efforts and activities. (e) To develop a better understanding of the problems of mental retardation by the public. (f) To cooperate with all public, private, and religious agencies and professional groups in the furtherance of these ends. (g) To associate with and support financially the State and National Associations to promote the common cause. (h) To serve locally as a clearinghouse for furthering and giving our information regarding the mentally retarded. (i) To solicit and receive funds for the accomplishment of the above purposes. ---

-----ARTICLE FIFTH to be added as follows: MEMBERSHIP

Membership shall be open to all parents, relatives, and guardians, including foster parents, of retarded children and to other persons sympathetic to the purposes of the Association.

-----ARTICLE SIXTH to be added as follows: OFFICERS

The officers shall be a president, a vice-president, a secretary, and a treasurer. There shall be two directors. No employee of the Association may serve as an officer, director, committee member, or delegate.

-----ARTICLE SEVENTH be added as follows:

The area which the organization intends to serve is the cities of Pawtucket and Central Falls and towns of Cumberland and Lincoln.

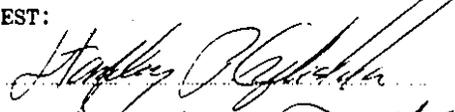
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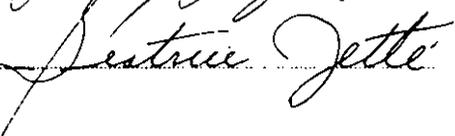
The services of this organization shall be conducted and made available without regard to race, creed, color or national origin.

-----ARTICLE NINTH shall be added as follows: Assets and Dissolution

This organization is a non-profit, non-sectarian corporation, and no part of the net earnings, contributions, or other property shall inure to the benefit of any member. No officer or director shall be remunerated for his services as an officer or director. In the event of the dissolution of this organization, or in the event it shall cease to carry out the objects and purposes herein set forth, all the property and assets of the organization shall go and be distributed to the Rhode Island Association for Retarded Children—a tax exempt organization under provision of Section 501(C) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code or if such should cease to exist or fail to carry out its objectives and purposes, to the National Association for Retarded Children, Inc., (a corporation exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954), to be spent in the state of Rhode Island. In the event that the National Association for Retarded Children, Inc., is no longer in existence or ceases to carry out its objectives and purposes, all assets of this organization will be distributed to such organizations or agencies

ATTEST:

  
Stanley Reynolds  
President.

  
Dorothea Jette  
Secretary.

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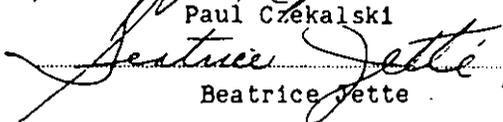
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-----Article Ninth (continued)

within the State of Rhode Island which provide service to the Mentally Retarded and which qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law.). Under no circumstances shall any of the property and assets of this Association, during the existence and/or upon the dissolution thereof, go and be distributed to any officer, member, or subsidiary of this Association.

CORPORATE SEAL]

ATTEST:

  
Paul Czekański President.  
  
Beatrice Jette Secretary.

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