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State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

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ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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

FIRST: The name of the corporation is The Newport Twinning Association

SECOND: The period of its duration (if perpetual, so state) perpetual

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

To promote and encourage the relationship between the City of Newport and other cities around the world and the facilitation of twinning or sister city agreements.

FOURTH: Provisions (if any) for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation, including provisions for the distribution of assets on dissolution or final liquidation, are:

(Note 1)

To the extent permitted by law the incorporator and/or directors shall not be personally liable to the corporation or to its members for monetary damages for breach of director's duty as a director.

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FIFTH: The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is.....
Ten Bull Street, Newport, RI 02840 (add Zip Code);

and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is: David P. Kerins

SIXTH: The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the corporation is.....,
and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

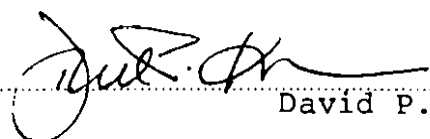
<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>
David P. Kerins	Ten Bull Street, Newport, RI 02840
Joseph Brady	Ten Halsey Street, Newport, RI 02840
Jeremiah Harrington	210 Bellevue Avenue, Newport, RI 02840

SEVENTH: The name and address of each incorporator is:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>
David P. Kerins	Ten Bull Street, Newport, RI 02840

EIGHTH: Date when corporate existence to begin (not more than 30 days after filing of these articles of incorporation): immediately

Dated January 21, 2000


David P. Kerins

Incorporator(s)

NOTE:

1. If no provision for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation or for the distribution of assets on dissolution or final liquidation are to be set forth, insert "None." In an appropriate case provisions relating to members, their qualifications and rights (Section 7-6-15) may be inserted here.