

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION (NON-BUSINESS CORPORATION)

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Martin M. Temkin, Amedeo C. Merolla, Melvin L. Zurier, Charles C. Dupre, and Donald E. Miller, all of the City of Providence, 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 Chapter 7-6 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended.

SECOND. Said corporation shall be known by the name of Friends of the Rhode Island School for the Deaf

THIRD. Said corporation is constituted for the purposes of charitable and educational purposes and to engage in any and all activities related thereto and permitted by law.

In furtherance of the foregoing purposes, said corporation shall have and possess, in addition to any other power or powers granted, allowed, or existing, the following powers:

(a) To acquire by gift or purchase, hold, sell, convey, assign, mortgage, or lease any property, real or personal, necessary or incident to the purposes for which said organization is organized;

(b) To borrow money and issue evidences of indebtedness; and to

secure loans by mortgage, deed of trust, pledge, or other liens;

(c) To engage in any kind of activity, and to enter into, perform, and carry out contracts of any kind, necessary or in connection with, or incidental to the accomplishment of any one or more of the purposes of the corporation.

(d) To make distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

(e) The corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes, and in a charitable and educational manner.

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

(Further provisions not inconsistent with law)

FIFTH In no event shall any part of the net earnings or property of the corporation inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, directors, or governors or other private individuals, except that said corporation shall be authorized to distribute the same to the Rhode Island School for the Deaf or to other similar charitable organizations. Said corporation shall be authorized to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered.

SIXTH In the event of dissolution, winding up, or other liquidation of the assets of said corporation, whether voluntary, involuntary, or by operation of law, its assets shall be distributed to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable or educational purposes in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Revenue Law), as the Board of Governors of this corporation shall determine.

~~SEVENTH~~

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and stated our residences this
5th day of November A. D. 19⁷⁴

NAME	RESIDENCE
<i>Martin M. Temkin</i>	40 Westminster Street, Providence, RI
<i>Charles C. Dupre</i>	40 Westminster Street, Providence, RI
<i>Amedeo C. Merolla</i>	40 Westminster Street, Providence, RI
<i>Melvin L. Zurier</i>	40 Westminster Street, Providence, RI
<i>Donald E. Miller</i>	40 Westminster Street, Providence, RI

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, }
COUNTY OF }

In the City }
Town } of Providence
in said county this 5th day of November A. D. 19⁷⁴, then
personally appeared before me Martin M. Temkin, Amedeo C. Merolla,
Melvin L. Zurier, Charles C. Dupre, and Donald E. Miller

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.

Louaine R. Kelly
Notary Public.

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