



**State of Rhode Island
Office of the Secretary of State**

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Division Of Business Services
148 W. River Street
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**Non-Profit Corporation
Articles of Incorporation**

(Chapter 7-6-34 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is Ocean State Hockey Boosters, Inc.

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is X Perpetual

ARTICLE III

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

OCEAN STATE HOCKEY BOOSTERS, INC. IS ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHARITABLE PURPOSES AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF FOSTERING OF YOUTH ATHLETIC AMATEUR SPORTS INCLUDING, FOR SUCH PURPOSES, THE MAKING OF DISTRIBUTIONS TO ORGANIZATIONS THAT QUALIFY AS EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE. NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF OCEAN STATE HOCKEY BOOSTERS, INC. SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF, OR BE DISTRIBUTABLE TO ITS MEMBERS, TRUSTEES, OFFICERS, OR OTHER PRIVATE PERSONS, EXCEPT THAT THE CORPORATION SHALL BE AUTHORIZED AND EMPOWERED TO PAY REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED AND TO MAKE PAYMENTS AND DISTRIBUTIONS IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES SET FORTH IN THE PURPOSE CLAUSE HEREOF.

ARTICLE IV

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:

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS DOCUMENT, THE CORPORATION SHALL NOT CARRY ON ANY OTHER ACTIVITIES NOT PERMITTED TO BE CARRIED ON (A) BY ANY ORGANIZATION EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAX UNDER SECTION 501 (C) (3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE, OR (B) BY AN ORGANIZATION, CONTRIBUTIONS TO WHICH ARE DEDUCTIBLE UNDER SECTION 170 (C) (2) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.

OCEAN STATE HOCKEY BOOSTERS, INC. IS NOT ORGANIZED AND SHALL NOT BE OPERATED FOR THE PRIVATE GAIN OF ANY PERSON. THE PROPERTY OF THE CORPORATION IS IRREVOCABLY DEDICATED TO ITS CHARITABLE PURPOSES AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF FOSTERING OF YOUTH ATHLETIC AMATEUR SPORTS. NO PART OF THE ASSETS, RECEIPTS, OR NET EARNINGS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF, OR BE DISTRIBUTED TO ANY INDIVIDUAL. THE CORPORATION MAY, HOWEVER, PAY REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED, AND MAKE OTHER PAYMENTS AND DISTRIBUTIONS CONSISTENT WITH THESE ARTICLES.

UPON THE TERMINATION, DISSOLUTION OR FINAL LIQUIDATION OF THE CORPORATION IN ANY MANNER AND FOR ANY REASON, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL FIRST PAY OR PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF ALL LIABILITIES OF THE CORPORATION; ALL REMAINING ASSETS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR ONE OR MORE EXEMPT PURPOSES WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE CODE (OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE), OR SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, OR TO STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT, FOR A PUBLIC PURPOSE.

ARTICLE V

The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

No. and Street: 999 WESTMINSTER STREET

City or Town: PROVIDENCE

State: RI

Zip: 02903

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is JOSEPH M. MARTINOUS, JR., ESQUIRE

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 3 and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	JASON DUNLEA	16 VAL JEAN DRIVE GREENVILLE, RI 02828 USA
DIRECTOR	NICHOLAS L. BOULIS	6 BRUSHWOOD DRIVE LINCOLN, RI 02865 USA
DIRECTOR	JOHN GONCALVES	10 KENNEDY BOULEVARD LINCOLN, RI 02865 USA

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	JOSEPH M. MARTINOUS, JR. ESQUIRE	999 WESTMINSTER STREET PROVIDENCE, RI 02903 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 08/30/2023
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 30 Day of August, 2023 at 2:01:13 PM by the incorporator(s). *This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the corporation, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-6.*

Enter signature(s) below.

JOSEPH M. MARTINOUS, JR., ESQUIRE

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