



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

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Division Of Business Services
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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 Lawyers' Committee for Rhode Island

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is X Perpetual

ARTICLE III

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

THE LAWYERS' COMMITTEE FOR RHODE ISLAND, INC. IS ESTABLISHED AS A GROUP OF ATTORNEYS HOLDING THE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABLE TO THE LAW IN ORDER TO PROTECT PEOPLE, GROUPS, AND INSTITUTIONS IN RHODE ISLAND. BY MAINTAINING COMMUNICATION WITH COMMUNITIES THROUGHOUT THE STATE, LCRI IDENTIFIES GOVERNMENT OVERREACH WHERE LEGAL ASSISTANCE IS NEEDED, AND CONNECTS VOLUNTEER ATTORNEYS TO FILL THAT NEED.

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:

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ARTICLE V

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

No. and Street: 199 N. MAIN ST.

City or Town: PROVIDENCE

State: RI

Zip: 02906

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is MIRIAM WEIZENBAUM

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 5 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	MIRIAM WEIZENBAUM	199 N. MAIN ST. PROVIDENCE, RI 02903 USA
DIRECTOR	GIL A BIANCHI	56 PINE ST., SUITE 250 PROVIDENCE, RI 02903 USA
DIRECTOR	AMATO A DELUCA	199 N. MAIN ST. PROVIDENCE, RI 02903 USA
DIRECTOR	REBECCA E. DUPRA	1515 SMITH ST., UNIT J N. PROVIDENCE, RI 02911 USA
DIRECTOR	WILLIAM C. STONE	37 COOKE ST. PROVIDENCE, RI 02903 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	MIRIAM WEIZENBAUM	199 N. MAIN ST. PROVIDENCE, RI 02903 USA

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 05/13/2025
(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 13 Day of May, 2025 at 8:41:19 AM 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.
MIRIAM WEIZENBAUM



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Gregg M. Amore, *Secretary of State*

I, GREGG M. AMORE, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island,
hereby certify that this document, duly executed in accordance with the provisions
of Title 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended, has been filed in this

office on this day:

May 13, 2025 08:39 AM

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Gregg M. Amore". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Gregg M. Amore
Secretary of State

