



State Of California

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

CORPORATION DIVISION

I, *MARCH FONG EU*, Secretary of
State of the State of California, hereby certify:

That the annexed transcript has been compared
with the corporate record on file in this office, of
which it purports to be a copy, and that same is full,
true and correct.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal
of the State of California this

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March Fong Eu (Signed)
Secretary of State

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In the office of the Secretary of State
of the State of California

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MARCH FONG EU, Secretary of State

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
SACRAMENTO AREA LEAGUE OF ASSOCIATED MUSLIMS**

I. NAME

The name of the corporation is Sacramento Area League of Associated Muslims, hereafter referred to as **SALAM**

II. PURPOSE

- A.** This corporation is a religious corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Religious Corporation Law exclusively for religious purposes.
- B.** The specific purpose of **SALAM** is to promote Islamic teachings, understanding, and unity among all Muslims in the greater Sacramento area community. In order to fulfill its purpose, **SALAM** shall conduct its Islamic activities on the bases of the Qur'an and the Sunnah, and according to the interpretations of the Sunni Schools.

The Islamic activities conducted by **SALAM** shall be to:

1. Reach out and remind all Muslims, in the Sacramento area, of the tenets of Islam.
2. Group Muslims together as a community, united by common goals and destination, to celebrate Islamic holidays and to hold conferences and meetings throughout the year.
3. Publish to all Muslims, in the Sacramento area, a regular publication to remind them of their faith, holidays, events and news.
4. Give Muslims and their children a sense of identity.
5. Project the positive image of Islam within the community.
6. Create a cultural awareness of Islam between Muslims and non-Muslims.
7. Serve as a liaison among Muslims as well as between Muslims and other religious groups or organizations in the Sacramento area.

8. Promote religious understanding and tolerance among Muslims and between Muslims and other religious groups or organizations.
9. Advance a dialogue among Muslims, Christians, and Jews to exchange ideas concerning their common religious heritage.
10. Acquire, construct, or receive through donations places for Islamic prayers, worship, or any other purposes that are religious in nature.
11. Acquire, construct, or receive through donations places for religious schools for Islamic instruction.
12. Acquire, construct, or receive through donations places for social, cultural, or religious centers to conduct various activities in accordance with Islamic teachings or values.
13. Maintain any place that **SALAM** may own, or any place that may be put under the possession of **SALAM** by transfer or donation, for the purpose of worship, prayers, or any other religious function in accordance with Islamic teachings.
14. Appoint a prayer leader (Imam) for any Mosque (Masjid) that SALAM may own, or may have under its possession or jurisdiction in the future for the regular congregational prayers.
15. Relieve a prayer leader (Imam) from assigned duties when **SALAM** sees such relief is warranted.
16. Encourage any other activities and practices that maybe decided by the management of **SALAM**; provided that such activities and practices are in accordance with Islamic teachings.

III. INITIAL AGENT FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS

The name and address in the State of California of **SALAM**'s initial agent for service of process are:

Dr. Metwalli B. Amer, Professor at California State University, 6000 J Street, Sacramento, CA. 95819.

IV. LIMITATION ON **SALAM** ACTIVITIES

- A. **SALAM** is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- B. No substantial part of the activities of **SALAM** shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and **SALAM** shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.

V. DEDICATION AND DISSOLUTION

- A. The property of **SALAM** is irrevocably dedicated to religious purposes and no part of the net income or assets of **SALAM** shall ever inure to the benefit of any trustee, officer, director or member thereof or to the benefit of any private persons.
- B. Upon the dissolution or winding up of **SALAM**, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of **SALAM** shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

DATED: December 22, 1986.

Incorporator:

Signed,
Metwalli B. Amer, Ph.D.