



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Office of the Secretary of State
One Ashburton Place, Boston, MA 02108
Michael Joseph Connolly, Secretary

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

(Under G.L. Ch. 180)

Incorporators

NAME

RESIDENCE

Include given name in full in case of natural persons; in case of a corporation, give state of incorporation.

Christer Lennart Mossberg

1658 29th St., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20007

The above-named incorporator(s) do hereby associate (themselves) with the intention of forming a corporation under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 180 and hereby state(s):

1. The name by which the corporation shall be known is:

Emily Dickinson International Society

2. The purposes for which the corporation is formed is as follows:

A. The purpose of this Society shall be to promote, perpetuate, and enhance the study and appreciation of Emily Dickinson throughout the world; to secure the future of the Dickinson properties in Amherst, namely the Homestead and the Evergreens; to establish a center for Dickinson studies; to obtain by purchase, gift or otherwise, writings and materials relevant to Dickinson studies; to sponsor a journal; to acquire, own, or lease and hold any real estate and buildings necessary or proper; to dispose of any corporate property when it deems for the best interest of the Society; to accept, hold, and expend money or property given it in trust for, and in general to do whatever may be proper to carry out the purpose of the Society.

B. Said corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, 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.

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Note: If the space provided under any article or item on this form is insufficient, additions shall be set forth on separate 8 1/2 x 11 sheets of paper leaving a left hand margin of at least 1 inch for binding. Additions to more than one article may be continued on a single sheet so long as each article requiring each such addition is clearly indicated.

Continuation of Section 2:

C. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, 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 Article Second hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

D. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets and property shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, and no portion of said assets and property shall inure to the benefit of any member of the Corporation or any enterprise organized for profit.

3. If the corporation has more than one class of members, the designation of such classes, the manner of election or appointment, the duration of membership and the qualification and rights, including voting rights, of the members of each class, are as follows: -

1. The membership classes of the Society shall be: (a) benefactor (a provider of a major endowment or bequest); (b) sponsor (an organization or individual who gives a one-time gift or grant); (c) contributing (a member who contributes \$50-100 annual dues to the operating fund of the Society); (d) regular (a member who pays \$10-25 annual dues). All annual dues shall be payable on the first business day of January each and every year.

2. Nominations or applications for membership shall be subject to the approval of the Membership Committee.

3. The payment of dues by a member during October, November or December shall make such membership effective throughout the next succeeding calendar year.

4. Any member who neglects to pay the annual dues for the period of one year may, after a demand for payment made by the Treasurer in writing, be dropped by the Membership Committee from the membership roll of the Society.

*4. Other lawful provisions, if any, for the conduct and regulation of the business and affairs of the corporation, for its voluntary dissolution, or for limiting, defining, or regulating the powers of the corporation, or of its directors or members, or of any class of members, are as follows:-

Additional provisions regulating the internal affairs of the corporation shall be set forth in the Bylaws.

*If there are no provisions state "None".

Addition to Section 7 - Directors

Name	Residence	Post Office
Joanne Dobson	New York, NY	English Department Fordham University
Jane Eberwein	Birmingham, MI	379 West Frank
Margaret Freeman	Topanga, CA	1300 Greenleaf Road
Suzanne Juhasz	Boulder, CO	740 17th Street
Cristanne Miller	Claremont, CA	3020 Lansbury
Barbara Mossberg	Washington, D.C.	1658 29th St., N.W.
Christer Mossberg	Washington, D.C.	1658 29th St., N.W.
Martha O'Keefe	Chevy Chase, MD	4309 Rosemary St.
Mark Pachter	Washington, D.C.	3505 30th St., N.W.
Vivian Pollak	Merion, PA	326 Woodley Road
Martha Nell Smith	Takoma Park, MD	111 Lee Ave, #410
Gary Lee Stonum	Cleveland Heights, OH	3031 Euclid Heights Blvd

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION
GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 180

I hereby certify that, upon an examination of the within-written articles of organization, duly submitted to me, it appears that the provisions of the General Laws relative to the organization of corporations have been complied with, and I hereby approve said articles; and the filing fee in the amount of \$30.00 having been paid, said articles are deemed to have been filed with me this day of 19

Effective date

MICHAEL JOSEPH CONNOLLY
Secretary of State

TO BE FILLED IN BY CORPORATION
PHOTO COPY OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION TO BE SENT

TO: Christer L. Mossberg, Esq.
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