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Deputy

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
SIKH GURDWARA-SAN JOSE  
(CALIFORNIA)

I

ORGANIZATION NAME:

The name of this corporation is Sikh Gurdwara-San Jose (California)

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 this corporation is to promote social, cultural and inter-religious understanding based on service, peace, love, justice, truth and harmony as preached in the SRI GURU GRANTH SAHIB - the holy scriptures and GURU of Sikhs, and to promote brotherhood and bond of friendship among the Sikh community and general public.

III

INITIAL AGENT:

The name and address in the State of California of this corporation's initial agent for service of process is: Balwant Singh Chahal, 4479 Park Bristol Place, San Jose, California, 95136.

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ACTIVITIES:

- A. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious, cultural and social purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- B. 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 (b) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- C. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.

SIKH GURDWARA SAN JOSE  
3336 MURILLO AVENUE  
SAN JOSE, CA 95128

DISSOLUTION:

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious, cultural and social purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person. Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, the managing body of the Sikh Gurdwara-San Jose shall, after paying, or making provision for the payment of all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall distribute all the remaining assets in such a manner, or to such a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for religious and/or cultural purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

DATED: Oct. 11<sup>th</sup>, 1985

Balwant Singh Chahal  
Balwant Singh Chahal, Chairman

Teja Singh (Dhada)  
Teja Singh (Dhada), Coordinator

We hereby declare that we are the persons who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, which execution is our collective act and deed.

Other members of Chairmanship Panel  
in Ad Hoc Committee:

(SR) Wilko  
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Balwant Singh Chahal  
Chairman, Ad Hoc Committee  
Sikh Gurdwara-San Jose

4479 Park Bristol Place,  
San Jose, California 95136  
Residence and Mailing Address

Jit Singh Bains of  
Coordinator,  
Ad Hoc Committee Teja Singh (Dhada)