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It is hereby certified that the Secretary of State of Ohio has custody of the business records for

SHAMROCKS AND THISTLES CELTIC ASSOCIATION

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2008.

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INITIAL ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

(For Domestic Profit or Nonprofit)

Filing Fee \$125.00

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SECRETARY OF STATE

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY STATES THE FOLLOWING:

(CHECK ONLY ONE (1) BOX)

(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Articles of Incorporation Profit (113-ARF) ORC 1701	(2) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Articles of Incorporation Nonprofit (114-ARN) ORC 1702	(3) <input type="checkbox"/> Articles of Incorporation Professional (170-ARP) Profession _____ ORC 1785
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Complete the general information in this section for the box checked above.

FIRST: Name of Corporation Shamrocks and Thistles Celtic AssociationSECOND: Location Huron Erie
(City) (County)Effective Date (Optional) _____ Date specified can be no more than 90 days after date of filing. If a date is specified, the date must be a date on or after the date of filing.
(mm/dd/yyyy)☒ Check here if additional provisions are attached

Complete the information in this section if box (2) or (3) is checked. Completing this section is optional if box (1) is checked.

THIRD: Purpose for which corporation is formed

See Attached

Complete the information in this section if box (1) or (3) is checked.

FOURTH: The number of shares which the corporation is authorized to have outstanding (Please state if shares are common or preferred and their par value if any)

(Refer to instructions if needed)

(No. of Shares)

(Type)

(Par Value)

Completing the information in this section is optional**FIFTH:** The following are the names and addresses of the individuals who are to serve as initial Directors.

(Name)

(Street)

NOTE: P.O. Box Addresses are NOT acceptable.

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

(Name)

(Street)

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(Name)

(Street)

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(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

REQUIREDMust be authenticated
(signed) by an authorized
representative

(See Instructions)



Authorized Representative

Christina Douglas, Incorporator

(print name)

8-8-08

Date

Authorized Representative

(print name)

Date

Authorized Representative

(print name)

Date

Complete the information in this section if box (1) (2) or (3) is checked.

ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT OF STATUTORY AGENT

The undersigned, being at least a majority of the incorporators of Shamrocks and Thistles Celtic Association hereby appoint the following to be statutory agent upon whom any process, notice or demand required or permitted by statute to be served upon the corporation may be served. The complete address of the agent is

Matthew A. Dooley

(Name)

5455 Detroit Road

(Street)

NOTE: P.O. Box Addresses are NOT acceptable.

Sheffield Village

Ohio

44054

(City)

(Zip Code)

Must be authenticated by an
authorized representative

Matthew A. Dooley, Treasurer

Authorized Representative

8-8-08

Date

Authorized Representative

Date

Authorized Representative

Date

ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT

The Undersigned,

Matthew A. Dooley

, named herein as the

Statutory agent for,

Shamrocks and Thistles Celtic Association

, hereby acknowledges and accepts the appointment of statutory agent for said entity.

Signature: Matthew A. Dooley

(Statutory Agent)

THIRD: The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, including for such purposes: (a) the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding section of any subsequent federal tax code); (b) the promotion of Irish and Scottish culture and heritage; (c) the education of the general public regarding Irish and Scottish culture; and (d) the encouragement and support of Irish and Scottish culture throughout the United States and abroad.

SIXTH: The Corporation shall carry on only such activities as are consonant with the purposes set forth in Article Third. 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, or organizations organized and operated for profit, 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 Third hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, except as permitted by Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Corporation shall be empowered to make the election authorized under 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in 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 of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law). It is intended that the Corporation shall have the status of an organization which is exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding section of any subsequent Federal tax code) and which is other than a private foundation. These Articles of Incorporation shall be construed, and all authority and activities of the Corporation shall be limited, accordingly.

SEVENTH: Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the Corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the Corporation exclusively for the purposes of the Corporation in such manner, or to such organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the Board of Directors shall determine.

EIGHTH: The Corporation is organized upon a non-stock basis and shall have perpetual existence.

NINTH: The members of the Corporation shall be as provided in the Code of Regulations of the Corporation.

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