

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

William Francis Galvin

Secretary of the Commonwealth

One Ashburton Place, Boston, Massachusetts 02108-1512

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

(General Laws, Chapter 180)

ARTICLE I

The exact name of the corporation is:

The Bulgarian Center of New England, Inc.

ARTICLE II

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in the following activities:

(a). To promote, carry out, establish, operate, provide financial assistance for, purchase and maintain a facility including, but not limited to serve as a focal point for the Bulgarian community in the New England area in the furtherance of charitable, religious, educational and cultural services, including but not limited to permanent and temporary displays, educational programs, religious services, lectures, seminars and performances and in connection therewith to hold, manage, invest, and reinvest all gifts, devises, and bequests to and other property of this corporation from time to time and, in the discretion of its Board of Directors, to apply and use any part or all of the current income and any reasonable accumulation of income therefrom and any part or all parts of the principal assets of this corporation, either directly or through distribution thereof to or for the use of any corporation, trust, or community chest, fund or foundation organized and operated exclusively for one or more of the aforesaid purposes, in such manner as to further and permit at all times the carrying out of the general and specific purposes and functions herein described and declared and none other.

(b). To receive, maintain and administer funds for the above declared purposes; to expend or apply funds or income therefrom for the above declared purposes; to acquire, hold, and manage such real estate as will be necessary or incidental to the carrying out of these activities.

(c) To conduct such other activities and programs in furtherance of the foregoing purposes as may be carried out by a corporation organized under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 180 and described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue 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 one side only of separate 8 1/2 x 11 sheets of paper with a left margin of at least 1 inch. Additions to more than one article may be made on a single sheet so long as each article requiring each addition is clearly indicated.

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ARTICLE III

A corporation may have one or more classes of members. If it does, the designation of such classes, the manner of election or appointments, the duration of membership and the qualification and rights, including voting rights, of the members of each class, may be set forth in the by-laws of the corporation or may be set forth below:

N/A

ARTICLE IV

**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:

See Attached

ARTICLE V

The by-laws of the corporation have been duly adopted and the initial directors, president, treasurer and clerk or other presiding, financial or recording officers, whose names are set out on the following page, have been duly elected.

***If there are no provisions, state "None".*

Note: The preceding four (4) articles are considered to be permanent and may only be changed by filing appropriate Articles of Amendment.

ARTICLE IV, Cont.

(a). In addition to the powers granted to the corporation by General Laws, Chapter 180, the corporation shall have and may exercise in furtherance of its corporate purposes each of the powers specified in Sections 9A and 9B of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 156B.

(b). Notwithstanding anything else herein provided, the corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for charitable, educational and literary purposes, as said terms have been and shall be defined pursuant to sections 170(c) and 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or any corresponding section of any future federal tax code, which purposes are set forth in Article Two. All powers of the corporation shall be exercised only in such manner as will assure the operation of the corporation exclusively for said charitable, educational and literary purposes, as so defined, it being the intention that this the corporation shall be exempt from federal income tax and that contributions to it shall be deductible pursuant to said sections of said Code, and all purposes and powers herein shall be interpreted and exercised consistently with this intention.

(c). Except as may be otherwise required by law, the corporation may at any time authorize a petition for its dissolution to be filed with the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts General Laws by the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors of the corporation then in office; provided, however, that in the event of any liquidation, dissolution, termination, or winding up of the corporation (whether voluntary or involuntary or by operation of law), the property or assets of the corporation remaining after the payment, or the provision for payment, of all debts and obligations of the corporation shall be conveyed, transferred, distributed and set over outright to one or more educational, charitable, or literary institutions or organization, created and organized for one or more exempt purposes similar to those of the corporation, which qualify as exempt from income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as a majority of the total number of the directors of the corporation may by vote designate and in such proportions and in such manner as may be determined in such vote; provided, further, that the corporation's property may be applied to charitable or educational or literary purposes in accordance with the doctrine of cy pres in all respects as a court having jurisdiction in the premises may direct.

(d). No officer or director shall be personally liable to the corporation for monetary damages for any breach of fiduciary duty by such officer or director as an officer or director notwithstanding any provision of law imposing such liability, except that, to the extent provided by applicable law, this provision shall not eliminate or limit the liability of an officer or director (i) for breach of the officer's or director's duty of loyalty to the corporation, (ii) for acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, or (iii) for any transaction from which the officer or director derived an improper personal benefit. No amendment or repeal of this provision shall deprive and officer or director of the benefits hereof with respect to any act or omission occurring prior to such amendment or repeal.

(e). No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation [except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code], and the corporation shall not participate in, or

intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

(f). 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 actually rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Two of these Articles. ✓

ARTICLE VI

The effective date of organization of the corporation shall be the date approved and filed by the Secretary of the Commonwealth. If a *later* effective date is desired, specify such date which shall not be more than *thirty days* after the date of filing.

ARTICLE VII

The information contained in Article VII is not a permanent part of the Articles of Organization.

a. The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the principal office of the corporation in *Massachusetts* is:

C/O David S. Flashenburg, Esq., 905 Turnpike Street, Suite A1, Canton, MA 02021

b. The name, residential address and post office address of each director and officer of the corporation is as follows:

	NAME	RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS	POST OFFICE ADDRESS
President:	David S. Flashenburg	375 S. Franklin St Holbrook, MA 02343	Same
Treasurer:	Dragomir Dimov	19 Sullivan Rd, Billerica, MA 01862	Same
Clerk:	Nevenna Stoyanova	7 Silver Dr., Apt. 13, Nashua NH 03060	Same
Directors: (or officers having the powers of directors)	David S. Flashenburg	375 S. Franklin St., Holbrook, MA 02343	Same
	Rossen Dimitrov	23Middle DunstableRdNashuaNH 03062	Same
	Violeta Jeliaskova	56 Hamilton Ave, Billerica, MA 01821	Same
	Rumen Pelovski	980 Main St, # 33, Woburn, MA 01801	Same

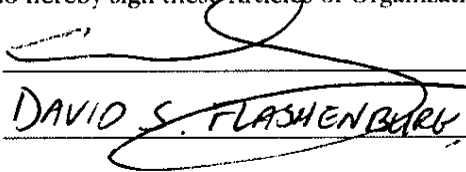
c. The fiscal year of the corporation shall end on the last day of the month of: December

d. The name and business address of the resident agent, if any, of the corporation is:

David S. Flashenburg, 905 Turnpike St., Suite A1, Canton, MA 02021

I/We, the below signed incorporator(s), do hereby certify under the pains and penalties of perjury that I/we have not been convicted of any crimes relating to alcohol or gaming within the past ten years. I/We do hereby further certify that to the best of my/our knowledge the above-named officers have not been similarly convicted. If so convicted, explain:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF AND UNDER THE PAINS AND PENALTIES OF PERJURY, I/we, whose signature(s) appear below as incorporator(s) and whose name(s) and business or residential address(es) are clearly typed or printed beneath each signature, do hereby associate with the intention of forming this corporation under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 180 and do hereby sign these Articles of Organization as incorporator(s) this 7th day of January, 20 13.


DAVID S. FLASHENBURG, 905 TURNPIKE ST. SUITE A1, CANTON MA 02021

Note: If an existing corporation is acting as incorporator, type in the exact name of the corporation, the state or other jurisdiction where it was incorporated, the name of the person signing on behalf of said corporation and the title he/she holds or other authority by which such action is taken.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

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I hereby certify that, upon examination of these 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 \$ 35 having been paid, said articles are deemed to have been filed with me this 7 day of Jan 20 13.

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Effective date: _____



WILLIAM FRANCIS GALVIN
Secretary of the Commonwealth

SECRETARY OF THE
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CORPORATIONS DIVISION

TO BE FILLED IN BY CORPORATION
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