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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

In Compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

Florida Society For Middle East Studies, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be:

7209 Promenade Drive, D-401, Boca Raton, FL 33433.

The mailing address of this corporation shall be:

PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code by providing education regarding the study of the history and politics of the Middle East.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any 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.

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, directors, trustees, 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 Three hereof.

ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the directors are elected or appointed:

The directors shall be elected in the manner set forth in the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE V INITIAL DIRECTORS AND/OR OFFICERS

List name(s), address(es) and specific title(s):

Louis Sandler, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director,
Saul Gordon, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Nancy Fowler, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Ione Abrams, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Harold Birnbaum, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Paul Cutler, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Jim Davidson, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director

Jerry Glantz, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Edward Hirsh, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Herb Hoffman, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Jack Howard, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Bob Jaffe, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Jack Ruda, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Gordon Salganik, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Herbert Wachtel, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director
Debbie Weinstein, PO Box 2382, Boca Raton, Florida 33427, Director

ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

BDB Agent Co., an Ohio corporation authorized to transact business in Florida
2500 N. Military Trail, Suite 480
Boca Raton, FL 33431


ARTICLE VII DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS

On the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE VIII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the Incorporator is:

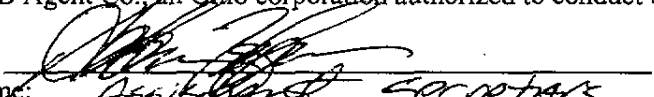
Louis Sandler, 7209 Promenade Drive D-401, Boca Raton, Florida 33433

By: 
Louis Sandler, President

3-25-05
Date

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

BDB Agent Co., an Ohio corporation authorized to conduct business in Florida

By: 
Name: Assistant Secretary

3/30/05
Date

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