ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

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State of California

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#### ARTS DISTRICT LOS ANGELES

(a California Nonprofit Mutual Benefit Corporation)

# ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is ARTS DISTRICT LOS ANGELES.

#### **ARTICLE II**

A. This corporation is a nonprofit Mutual Benefit Corporation organized under the Nonprofit Mutual Benefit Corporation Law. The purpose of this corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity, other than credit union business, for which a corporation may be organized under such law.

- B. Not as a limitation, but as a further description of this corporation's purposes, the specific and primary purpose of this corporation is:
  - To secure, promote and advance business interests generally in the
     Los Angeles Arts District;
  - (2) to assist in the redevelopment of the Los Angeles Arts District;
  - (3) to provide remedies and alternatives for conditions no longer beneficial to artists, consumers and business enterprises located in the Los Angeles Arts District;

- (4) to cooperate in all worthy enterprises and activities beneficial to the artists, customers, merchants and the community of the Los Angeles Arts District; and
- (5) to enhance, sustain and support public properties for the use and benefit of the Los Angeles Arts District community.

# ARTICLE III

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, and no distributions prohibited by the California Corporations Code are contemplated nor shall be made.

### **ARTICLE IV**

Notwithstanding any of the, above statements of purposes and powers; this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in .any activities or, exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the specific purposes of this corporation.

#### ARTICLE V

The name and address in the State of California of this corporation's initial agent for service of process is:

Dilip K. Bhavnani 6315 Bandini Boulevard Commerce, CA 90040

# **ARTICLE VI**

The initial street and mailing address of the corporation is:

6315 Bandini Boulevard Commerce, CA 90040

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned being the sole incorporator, has executed these Articles of Incorporation on July 16, 2013.

K. Bhavnani

Incorporator



I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of page(s) is a full, true and correct copy of the original record in the custody of the California Secretary of State's office.

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Date: \_\_\_\_

DEBRA BOWEN, Secretary of State