#### GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS CORPORATIONS DIVISION



**THIS IS TO CERTIFY** that all applicable provisions of the District of Columbia Business Organizations Code have been complied with and accordingly, this *CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT* is hereby issued to:

NATIONAL COURT REPORTERS ASSOCIATION

Effective Date: 11/5/2014

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this office to be affixed as of 11/5/2014 12:00 AM

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Muriel Bowser Mayor

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Business and Professional Licensing Administration

PATRICIA E. GRAYS Superintendent of Corporations

Corporations Division

## ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF THE NATIONAL COURT REPORTERS ASSOCIATION

TO: Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs Corporations Division Washington, D.C.

The following amendments to the Certificate of Incorporation of the corporation were duly adopted on the date and in the manner indicated in accordance with the governing documents of the corporation and all applicable laws of the District of Columbia.

**FIRST:** The Certificate of Incorporation of the corporation is amended by adding a new Article FIFTH as follows: "FIFTH. The corporation shall have members."

**SECOND:** The title and name of the document is changed from "Certificate of Incorporation" to "Articles of Incorporation."

Upon recommendation by the Board of Directors, and following notice to the members, the foregoing amendments were duly adopted at a meeting of members held on July 31, 2014, at which a quorum was present, and the amendments received at least a majority of the votes which members present at such meeting were entitled to cast.

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## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS BUSINESS REGULATION ADMINISTRATION



THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the pages attached hereto constitute a full, true and complete copy of:

CERTIFICATE AND ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF NATIONAL SHORTHAND REPORTERS ASSOCIATION (Name Changed To) NATIONAL COURT REPORTERS ASSOCIATION, AS RECEIVED AND FILED FEBRUARY 6, 1991.

as the same appears of record in this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this office to be affixed, this the 22nd day of May, 1991.

Aubrey H. Edwards
Acting Director

Henry C. Lee, III Administrator

Miriam Hellen Jones

Superintendent of Corporations

Corporations Division

Government of the District of Columbia Sharon Pratt Dixon, Mayor

### GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS BUSINESS REGULATION ADMINISTRATION



#### CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that all applicable provisions of the DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA NONPROFIT CORPORATION ACT have been complied with and accordingly, this CERTIFICATE of AMENDMENT is hereby issued to

NATIONAL SHORTHAND REPORTERS ASSOCIATION

Name Change To
NATIONAL COURT REPORTERS ASSOCIATION

as of February 6th, 1991.

Lacy C. Streeter Acting Director

Henry C. Lee, III

Administrator

Miriam Hellen Jones

Superintendent of Corporations

Corporations Division

Sharon Pratt Dixon Mayor

#### CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

TO THE

#### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

OF

#### NATIONAL SHORTHAND REPORTERS ASSOCIATION

To: Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs Washington D.C. 20001

Pursuant to the provisions of the District of Columbia Non-Profit Corporation Act, the undersigned adopts the following Certificate of Amendment to its Certificate of Incorporation:

FIRST: The name of the corporation is the National Shorthand Reporters Association.

SECOND: The following amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation was adopted by the Corporation in the manner prescribed by the District of Columbia Non-Profit Act:

FIRST: The name of the corporation is the National Court Reporters Association.

THIRD: The amendment was adopted at a meeting of members held August 3, 1990 at which a quorum was present, and the amendment received at least two-thirds of the votes which members present or represented by proxy at such meeting were entitled to cast.

Dated:

<u> 30</u>, 1991

[Corporate Seal]

ATTEST:

Roderick B. Downing

Secretary

NATIONAL SHORTHAND REPORTERS ASSOCIATION

President

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County of Benow

I, Janda Banal, a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on this 30 enday of January, 1991 personally appeared before me Mary Smith Agren, who being by me first duly sworn, acknowledged that she is President of the National Shorthand Reporters Association, that she signed the above Certificate of Amendment as President of said corporation, and that the foregoing statements are true.

SS

[Notarial Seal]

Notary Public 1000 Speen Blood. Denver, Co 80204

State of	Maine	:	
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County of	Timbarland	:	

I, <u>Jacqueline J. Peters</u>, a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on this <u>Ath</u> day of <u>February</u>, 1991, personally appeared before me Roderick B. Downing, who being by me first duly sworn, acknowledged that he is Secretary of the National Shorthand Reporters Association, that he signed the above Certificate of Amendment as Secretary of said corporation, and that the

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[Notarial Seal]

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#### Office of Recorder of Deeds

CORPORATION DIVISION WASHINGTON



This is to rertify that the pages attached hereto constitute a full, true, and complete copy of CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF NATIONAL SHORTHAND REPORTERS.

ASSOCIATION, RECORDED DECEMBER 3, 1904, AT 10:11 A. M. AS INSTRUMENT #6600
IN INCORPORATION LIBER 18 AT FOLIO 417.

as the same appears of record in this office.

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I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this office to be affixed, this

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PETER S. RIDLEY, Recorder of Deeds, D. C.

Assistant Superintendent of Corporations, D. C

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#### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION.

MNOW ALL HEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, all of whom are citizens of the United States and of the District of Columbia, have this day voluntarily associated curselves together for the purpose of ferming a corporation under the provisions of Subchapter III of Chapter XVIII of an Act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a code of law for the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, and amended by the Acts of Congress approved January 31, 1902 and June 30, 1902:

AND WE HEREBY CERTIFY,

FIRST. That the name of said corporation shall be the "National Shorthand Reporters' Association."

SECOND. That the term of existence of said corporation shall be perpetual from and after the date of its incorporation.

THIRD. That the particular business and objects of the said National Shorthand Reporters' Association shall be to secure the benefits resulting from organized effort, the recognition and promotion of professional ethics, to foster a scientific spirit in the profession, to secure the maintenance of a proper standard of efficiency and compensation, the enlightenment of the public as to the possibilities and limitations of shorthand, the promotion and maintenance of proper stanographic laws, and, in general, the advancement of the interests of the shorthand professions.

FOURTH. That the number of DIEECTORS who shall manage the affairs of said corporation for the first year of its existence shall be seven, and their names and addresses are as follows:

CHARLES CURRIER BEALE, OF BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS;

REUEL SMALL, OF PORTLAND, MAINE;

JEROIE B. HOWARD, OF CINCINNATI, OHIO;

G. RUSSELL LEONARD, OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS;

MINNIE E. KEHOE, OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA;

KENDRICK C. HILL, OF TRENTON, NEW JERSEY; AND

HERMAN H. PECHIN, OF WASHINGTON, D. C.;

WITHESS our hands and seals this 2 day of Alemania.

A. D., 1904.

Merina A. Poekin KERT.)

Miffith L. Johnson (SEAL)

William R. Midnews (SEAL)

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, SS:

on this 2 me day of Alexander

A. D., 1904, before me, Jennie M. Farvey, a Notary Public within and for the District aforesaid, duly commissioned, qualified and acting, personally appeared Herman H. Pechin, Griffith L. Johnson and William R. Andrews, to me well known to be the identical persons who subscribed and executed the foregoing CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, and acknowledged to me that they subscribed and executed the same as their free and voluntary act and deed and for the purposes therein expressed.

IN WITHESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed Notarial Seal, the day and year last above written.

NOTARY PUBLIC, within and for the District of Columbia.

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