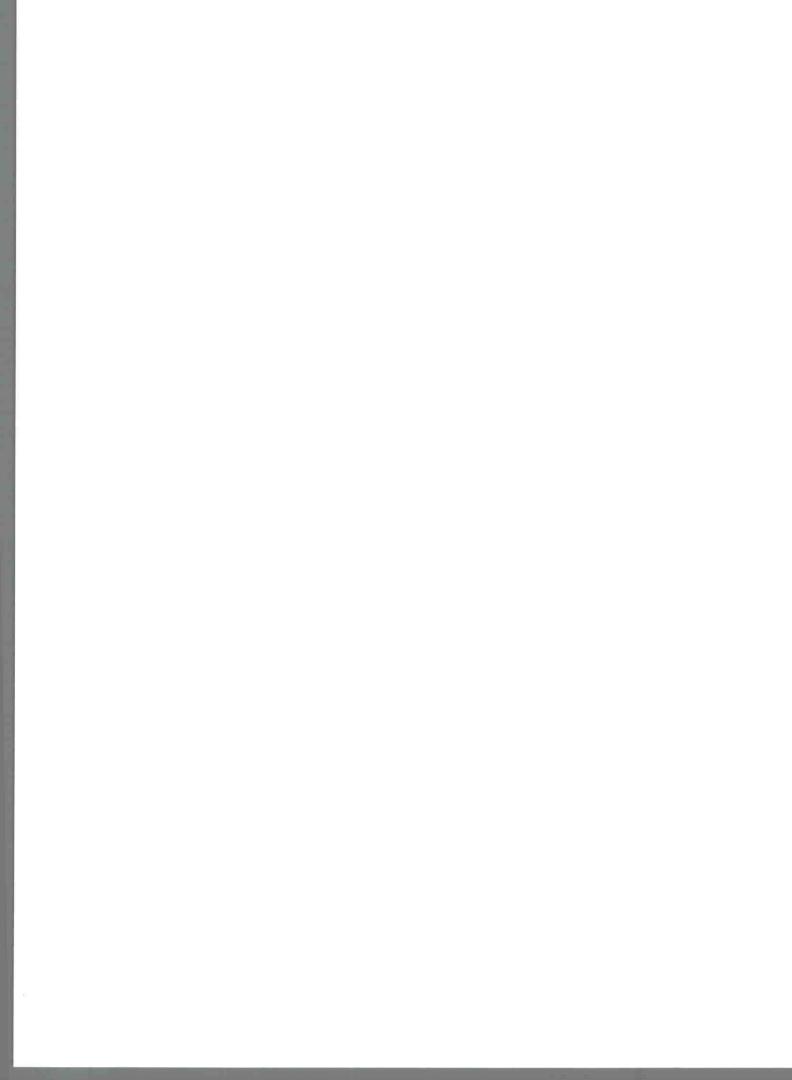




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CNPJ/ME No. 10.489.487/0001-71
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE ASSOCIATION
CHAPTER I - NAME, HEADQUARTERS, AND DURATION AND
TERM
ARTICLE 1- PRO CRIANÇA CARDÍACA is a non-profit,
charitable, social, and philanthropic civil
association, with a national scope of operation
Paragraph One - The Association will have an
indefinite term
Paragraph Two - The Association will have its
headquarters and offices in the City of Rio de
Janeiro, State of Rio de Janeiro, at Rua Dana
Mariana No. 40, Botafogo, ZIP Code 22280-020
Paragraph Three - The Association will have a
branch in the City of Rio de Janeiro, State of Rio
de Janeiro, at Rua Dona Mariana No. 220 -
Mezzanine, Botafogo, ZIP Code 22280-020, in order
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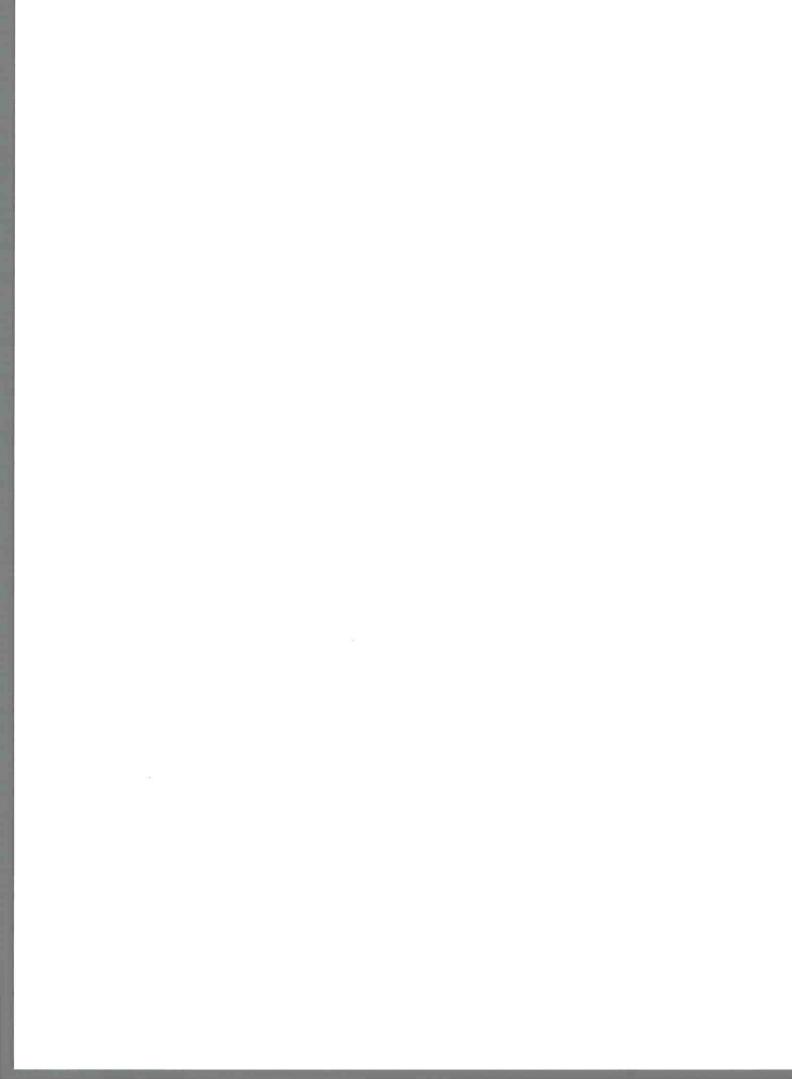




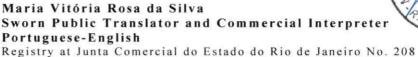
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products, whether of their own manufacture or collaborative partnerships, as a means of activity for the Association with the purpose of raising funds for the sustainability of this Association and fulfillment of the corporate purpose, and such branch may act in person service and/or via ecommerce. -----ARTICLE 2 - The Association shall be governed (i) by these Articles of Incorporation; (ii) by the Association's Code of Ethics and Conduct; (iii) by Association's Internal Regulations; current policies; (v) by the other regulations approved by its management; and (v) applicable legislation. ------CHAPTER II -----SECTION I -----PURPOSES -----ARTICLE 3 - The Association's purposes are: (i) to promote free medical, surgical, dental, psychological, nutritional and assistance care and treatment for needy children and adolescents with heart disease; and (ii) promote, support, favor and publicize social assistance activities, aiming at



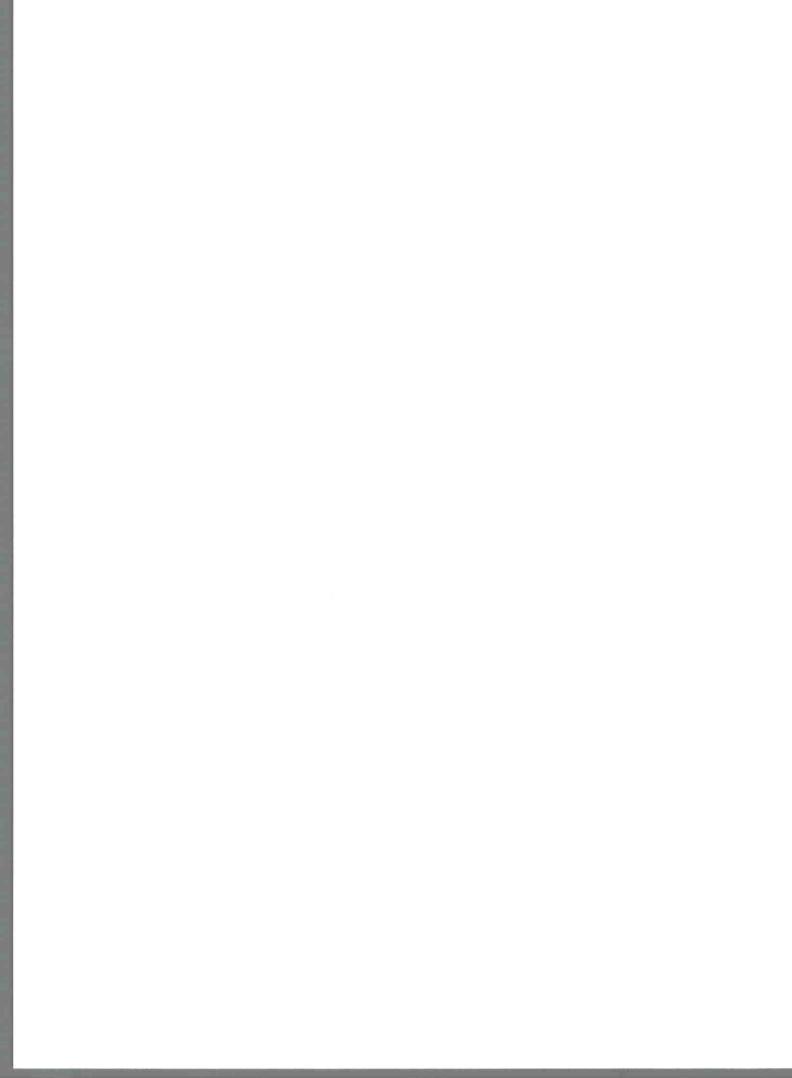




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protection of childhood and adolescence, through the development of social projects, including supporting the families of children and adolescents assisted by the Association. -----Paragraph One - The Association may, within its institutional objectives and without ever detracting from its purpose, vision, mission and values, open branches in any part of the national territory. -----Paragraph Two - The Association may enter into agreements or partnerships with public or private entities, being expressly prohibited the exercise of activities of a political-party nature, directly or indirectly, within the objectives set forth in these articles of incorporation. -----Paragraph Three - The Association may promote and support campaigns, keeping reports of its achievements. -----Paragraph Four - The Association provides social assistance to needy children and adolescents with heart disease, without discrimination based on ethnicity, gender, sexual, political, or religious orientation, or people with disabilities. -----



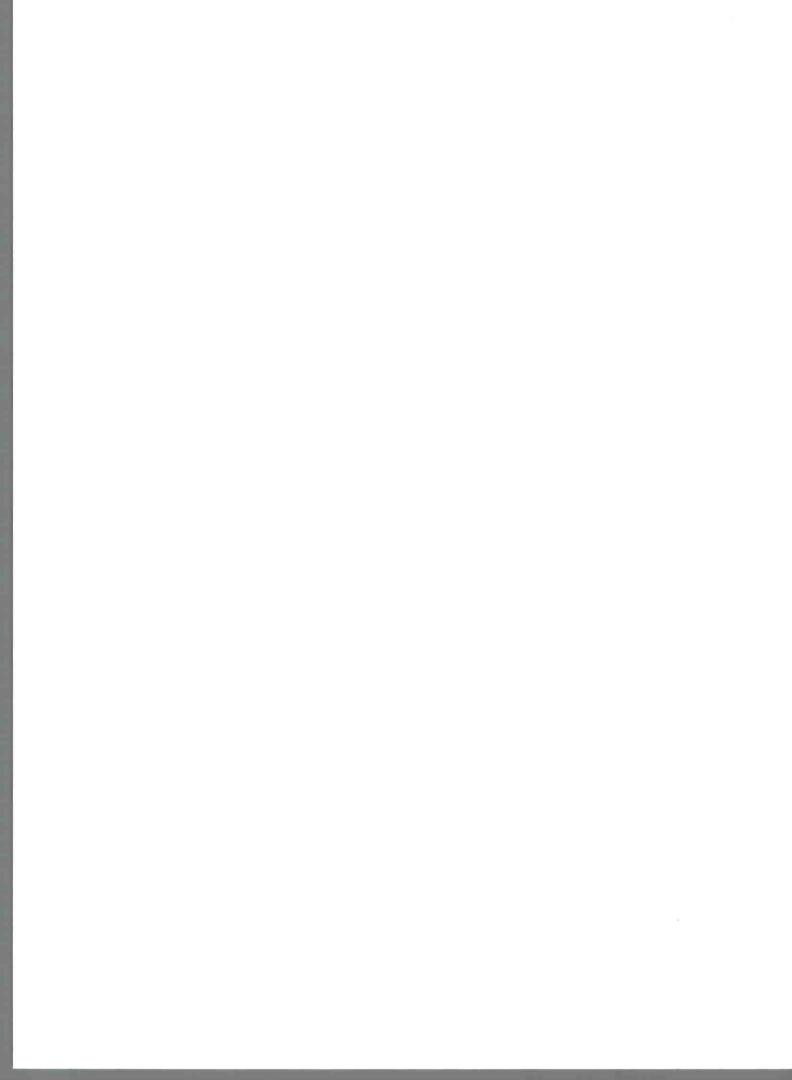
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SECTION II
ACHIEVEMENTS
ARTICLE 4 - In order to achieve its purposes, the
Association will prepare programs and projects,
making costs and efficiency compatible according to
the physical, operational and financial resources
available, observing for its development the
principles of legality, impersonality, morality,
publicity, cost effectiveness, transparency,
diversity, and sustainability
Paragraph One - The Association will dedicate
itself to its activities through the direct
execution of projects, programs or plans of action,
and/or through the availability of physical, human,
and financial resources
Paragraph Two - The Association will fully apply
its income, resources and eventual operational
results in the maintenance and development of its
institutional objectives, always in the national
territory
CHAPTER III - ASSOCIATES
SECTION I
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ARTICLE 5 - The Association is composed of an unlimited number of associates, individuals, legal entities, of proven suitability. -----Paragraph One - The affiliation of any and all individuals or legal entities to the Association as an associate is made by signing the Minutes of the Shareholder's Meeting, indicating their name or corporate name, and the date of their admission as an associate of the Association. -----Paragraph Two - The Association may receive contributions from third parties, in goods, money or services, provided that such contributions are applied within the national territory, in respect of the Association's institutional objectives and are duly accounted for in accordance with the current legislation. -----SECTION II -----ADMISSION AND DISMISSAL -----ARTICLE 6 - The criteria for admission of the associate are: ------(i) have unblemished conduct; -----(ii) be willing to provide assistance services; and (iii) not have civil or criminal restrictions in a





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final appealable judgment
Sole Paragraph - Associates who fail to comply with
any of the items mentioned in this article will be
formally excluded from the Association
SECTION III
RIGHTS AND DUTIES
ARTICLE 7 - Associates' rights are:
(i) to participate in activities organized or
sponsored by the Association, in compliance with
the specifications of each one; and
(ii) to take part in Shareholder's Meetings,
discussing and deliberating on the matters on the
agenda
Sole Paragraph - One fifth (1/5) of the associates
is guaranteed the right to call a Special Meeting.
ARTICLE 8 - The duties of associates are:
(i) to comply with and enforce these Articles of
Incorporation and the solutions of the
Association's bodies;
(ii) to care for the good name of the Association,
avoiding actions or situations that testify against
its concept; and
(iii) to be up to date with their obligations to





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the Association
SECTION IV
EXCLUSION
ARTICLE 9 - The exclusion of the associate will
only be allowed if there is cause, thus recognized
in a procedure that ensures broad right of defense
and appeal
ARTICLE 10 - Membership is extinguished:
I) by death;
II) by voluntary exclusion duly formalized;
III) for unjustified non-attendance to Board of
Directors or Shareholder's Meetings of the
Association, for two or more consecutive times; and
IV) by exclusion pursuant to article 9 above
CHAPTER IV - BODIES OF THE ASSOCIATION
ARTICLE 11 - The following are administrative
bodies of the Association:
(i) Shareholder's Meeting;
(ii) Board of executive officers;
(iii) Deliberative Council;
(iv) Advisory Council; and
(v) Audit Committee
Paragraph One - The Association will, under no



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circumstances, remunerate, nor grant advantages or benefits in any form or title, to its members for the exercise of elective positions, whether Officers, Directors, benefactors or equivalent, due to the competences, functions, or activities that they have are attributed by the respective memorandum of association. -----Paragraph Two - The Association will adopt administrative management practices, compliance, and humanized corporate governance, necessary and sufficient to prevent the obtaining, individually or collectively, of personal benefits advantages, as a result of participation in decision-making processes, even in relation Association third parties up to the second degree of kinship. -----CHAPTER V - SHAREHOLDER'S MEETING -----ARTICLE 12 - The Shareholder's Meeting is the highest body of the Association, with powers to deliberate on all matters relating to its corporate purpose and to take all necessary measures for the defense and development of the Association. -----ARTICLE 13 - The Shareholder's Meeting is





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exclusively responsible for:
(i) amending the Articles of Incorporation;
(ii) electing the members of the Board of Executive
Officers, the Deliberative Council, the Advisory
Council and the Audit Committee, in compliance with
the provisions of Article 18, viii, of these
Articles of Incorporation;
(iii) dismissing the members of the Board of
Executive Board, the Deliberative Council, the
Advisory Council and the Audit Committee;
(iv) annually examining the management accounts and
resolve on the financial statements;
(v) effecting the affiliation of any individual or
legal entity to the Association as an associate,
under the terms of Article 5, Paragraph One of
these Articles of Incorporation; and
(vi) resolving on the dissolution and liquidation
of the Association
ARTICLE 14 - The Shareholder's Meeting will be
convened by the Chief Executive Officer or by
request sent to the Board of executive officers
with the signature of at least 20% (twenty percent)
of the associates



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Paragraph One - The call of the Shareholder's Meeting shall be done in writing, by e-mail or letter addressed to the associates, 5 (five) days in advance of the date designated for the holding of the Meeting, containing, in addition to the place, an indication of the agenda, date and time of the Meeting. -----Paragraph Two - The Shareholder's Meeting will be held on first call, with the presence of 1/3 (one third) of the associates and, on second call, it may be held one hour after the time scheduled for the first call, with any number of associates. ----Third Paragraph - Regardless of the formalities provided for in the previous paragraphs, the Shareholder's Meeting attended by all associates will be considered regular. -----ARTICLE 15 - The work of the Shareholder's Meeting will be directed to a table composed of a Chairman and a Secretary. -----Paragraph One - The chairmanship of the Shareholder's Meeting shall be the responsibility of the Chief Executive Officer or, in their absence, an associate to be appointed by the





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Shareholder's Meeting. The choice of the Secretary will be up to the Chairman of the Meeting, and it may fall on any of those present. -----Paragraph Two The resolutions of Shareholder's Meeting will be made by majority of votes of the associates present, not counting blank votes, except in cases where the Articles of Incorporation require a higher quorum. -----CHAPTER VIII - BOARD OF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS -----ARTICLE 16 - The administration of the Association will be the responsibility of a Board of Executive Officers composed of at least 2 (two) and at most 5 (five) members, being mandatorily elected (i) 1 (one) Chief Executive Officer; and (ii) 1 (one) Administrative-Financial Officer; and, optionally, from 2 (two) to 3 (three) Officers without specific designation. -----Paragraph One - The term of office of the Officers will be 4 (four) years and will be automatically extended until the investiture of their deputies, being allowed the reappointment. -----Paragraph Two - The Officers, in compliance with the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation,





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have broad powers of representation and will management, being responsible for the use of the corporate name and all the powers conferred and necessary to manage the corporate activities, being able to represent the association judicially and extrajudicially. -----Paragraph Three - The Chief Executive Officer and the Administrative-Financial Officer shall grant powers of attorney for 1 (one) or 2 (two) attorneys each, in order to enable the achievement of the Association's management in case of simultaneous death of the Chief Executive Officer and the Administrative-Financial Officers. ------ARTICLE 17 - The Board of Executive Officers is responsible for: ------(i) directing and managing the Association; -----(ii) ensuring the faithful compliance with the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation and other internal regulations; -----(iii) forwarding to the Deliberative Council a proposal for exclusion and application of penalties to associates; ------

(iv) preparing and submitting to the Deliberative





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Council the projects and plans of activities of the
Association;
(v) preparing the Internal Regulations and other
rules that may be necessary, submitting them to the
Deliberative Council;
(vi) resolving on the admission of associates;
(vii) resolving on the acquisition of any immovable
property by the Association;
(viii) resolving on the filing or termination of
any action, claim or judicial or administrative
proceeding by the Association;
(ix) approving the execution of partnership terms
or agreements;
(x) disclosing the activities of the Association,
as well as the acts and decisions of its powers;
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Incorporation as well as the respective Internal
Regulations of the Association;
(ii) calling the meetings of the Board of Executive
Officers and preside over them, pursuant to Article
21 of these Articles of Incorporation;
(iii) submitting the Association's annual report,
balance sheet and
financial statements to the Audit Committee;
(iv) appointing to the Shareholder's Meeting the
names of the associates or Officers who will be
candidates on the election slates;
(v) admitting and dismissing employees;
(vi) representing the Association at congresses and
events related to its
objectives or accredit representatives;
(vii) the tie-breaking vote in the Board of
Executive Officer's resolutions; and
(viii) appointing to the Shareholder's Meeting the
person who will occupy the position of Chairman of
the Deliberative Council, pursuant to Articles 13,
ii, and 28, Paragraph One, of these Articles of
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ARTICIE 19 - The Administrative-Financial Officer





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is responsible for:
(i) replacing the Chief Executive Officer in their
absences;
(ii) organizing, directing and supervising all
administrative and financial activities of the
Association;
(iii) enforcing the decisions of the Shareholder's
Meeting, the Deliberative Council and the Board of
Executive Officers;
(iv) providing for the drafting of the
Association's internal regulations, approving it at
a meeting of the Board of Executive Officers, and
taking it to the approval of the Deliberative
Council;
(v) keeping the Association's schedule of services
and programming up to date;
(vi) implementing and keeping updated the register
of public and private entities with which the
Association will have agreements and partnerships;-
(vii) coordinating the receipt of donations of any
kind;
(viii) being responsible for the amounts received
by the Association; and





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(ix) providing for the preparation of the annual budget, in accordance with the guidelines established by the Chief Executive Officer and monitor its execution. -----ARTICLE 20 - In the event of proven vacancy in the positions of Chief Executive Officer Administrative-Financial Officer, a Shareholder's Meeting will be immediately called for the election of a replacement. -----ARTICLE 21 - The Board of Executive Officers shall ensure the faithful compliance with the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation shall meet whenever convened by the Chief Executive Officer or, in their absence, by the Administrative-Financial Officer. -----ARTICLE 22 - The meetings of the Board of Executive Officers will be held with the presence of the majority of the Officer, and their resolutions, as a collegiate body, will be taken by the majority of the votes, not counting blank votes, and the Chief Executive Officer shall have the tie-breaking vote, pursuant to Article 18, vii, of these Articles of Incorporation. -----





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ARTICLE 23 - The Association will be represented in court and out of court, in any acts that create or relieve third parties of obligations, respecting the following order: -----(i) by the Chief Executive Officer, individually; -(ii) by 02 (two) any Officers, jointly; -----(iii) by any 01 (one) Officer together with 01(one) attorney-in-fact -----constituted pursuant to Article 24 of these Articles of Incorporation; and -----(iv) by attorneys duly appointed by the Chief Executive Officer and/or by the Administrative-Financial Officer, pursuant to Paragraph Three of Article 16 of these Articles of Incorporation. ----ARTICLE 24 - The provisions of Article 23, above, shall not be applied in the following cases: -----(i) The signature of any contracts, documents, checks, securities and payment orders on behalf of the Association, shall be the responsibility of 02 (two) Officers, one of whom must be the Chief Executive Officer or the Administrative-Financial Officer; and -----(ii) The powers of attorney granted by the





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Association must be signed by 02 (two) Officer, one of whom must be the Chief Executive Officer or the Administrative-Financial Officer. -----Paragraph One - The powers of attorney mentioned in item (ii) of this article above, shall precisely and completely define the powers granted and the term of office, which, with the exception of powers of attorney granted to represent the Association in legal proceedings, may not exceed a period of 01 (one) year, delegation of powers being prohibited .-Paragraph Two - The powers of attorney referred to in item (ii) of this article above, may also be signed by the attorneys-in-fact duly constituted by Officer and/or the Chief Executive the Administrative-Financial Officers, pursuant Paragraph Three of Article 16 of these Articles of Incorporation. -----CHAPTER VII - ADVISORY COUNCIL -----ARTICLE 25 - The Association will have an Advisory Council made up of up to 9 (nine) members, elected by the Shareholder's Meeting, under the terms of Articles Article 13. (ii), of these Incorporation, with a term of office of 4 (four)



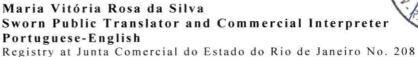


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years, with re-appointment permitted. -----Paragraph One - In case of vacancy of any position on the Advisory Council, it will remain vacant until the election of the substitute by the Shareholder's Meeting, except upon any member's removal, the number of directors is less than 3 (three) members, in which case the Shareholder's Meeting must be immediately convened to resolve on the recompositing of the Council. -----ARTIGO 26 - It is incumbent upon the Advisory Council to give an opinion, when requested by the Board of Executive Officers or the Deliberative Council, on the Association's guidelines policies, as well as on the programming of its activities. ------ARTICLE 27 - The meetings of the Advisory Council will be called by any of its members, at any time, being mandatory to call a meeting when requested by the Board of Executive Officers. -----Sole Paragraph - The meetings of the Advisory Council will be held with the presence of the absolute majority of the Directors and resolutions will be taken by the absolute majority





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of the votes, not counting the blank votes, under the work of the Chairman and Secretary who are the Directors appointed by the other members, at the beginning of the meeting. -----CHAPTER VII - DELIBERATIVE COUNCIL ------ARTICLE 28 - The Deliberative Council is made up of (three) members, elected by the at least 3 Shareholder's Meeting, pursuant to Article 13, (ii), of these Articles of Incorporation, with a term of office of 4 (four) years, which will be extended until the tenure of the substitutes, with reappointment permitted, -----Paragraph One - The Deliberative Council will be chaired by one of its members, appointed by the Chief Executive Officer and elected by the Shareholder's Meeting. -----Second Paragraph - In the event of a vacancy in the Deliberative Council, except for the position of Chairman of the Deliberative Council, the position may remain vacant until the election of the substitute by the Shareholder's Meeting, except when, upon any member's removal, the number of members is less than 3 (three) members, in which





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case the Shareholder's Meeting must be immediately
convened to resolve on the recomposition of the
Deliberative Council
ARTICLE 29 - The Deliberative Council is
responsible for:
(i) approving the Association's biannual or annual
budget and plan of activities;
(ii) approving the Association's Internal
Regulations and other projects or themes, submitted
to its board, that may be necessary;
(iii) excluding, pursuant to article 9, and license
associates;
(iv) reinstating associates who have been excluded;
(v) approving the sale of any real estate or the
creation of any encumbrances thereon;
(vi) approving the opening or closing of branches
and other establishments of the Association;
(vii) approving the hiring of the independent
external auditing company responsible for auditing
and issuing an opinion on the Association's annual
financial statements;
(viii) approving the creation of internal
committees of the Association, as well as





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appointing and designating the members of the Advisory Council that will compose them and approve their internal regulations, including, but limited to (a) the Investment Committee; (b) Sustainability Committee; and (c) Culture and People Committee; and -----(ix) resolving, together with the Board of Executive Officers, on cases not covered by these Articles of Incorporation. -----Paragraph One - The meetings of the Deliberative Council will be called by the Chairman of the Council, at any time, being mandatory to call a meeting when requested by the Board of Executive Officers. -----Paragraph Teo - The meetings of the Deliberative Council will be conducted by the Chairman of the Council, who will choose one of its members to act as secretary. In case of absence of the Chairman, the other members of the Deliberative Council will appoint one of the other directors as Chairman ad Paragraph Three - The Deliberative Council will meet, in ordinary session, every 06 (six) months,





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and, extraordinarily, when called by the Chairman
Paragraph Four - The resolutions of the
Deliberative Council will be taken by the majority
of votes of the Directors present, everything being
drawn up the competent minutes
ARTICLE 30 - The Deliberative Council's Chairman is
responsible for:
(i) conducting the activities of the Deliberative
Council always in accordance with the provisions of
these Articles of Incorporation and in accordance
with the principles of best corporate governance
practices;
(ii) establishing objectives, plans and work
programs of the Deliberative Council;
(iii) assigning responsibilities and deadlines for
the other directors to fulfill their respective
tasks;
(iv) chairing the meetings of the Deliberative
Council, pursuant to Paragraph Two of Article 29 of
these Articles of Incorporation;
(v)timely organizing the agenda of meetings of the
Deliberative Council;
(vi) forwarding, at least 5 (five) days in advance,





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support materials that support the decision-making of the directors, ensuring that such materials contain the information necessary for the performance of the other directors; -----(vii) coordinating the preparation of the minutes of the Deliberative Council's meeting and their registration with the Civil Registry of Legal Entities; and -----(viii) guiding and promoting the integration of new directors. ------ARTICLE 31 - The members of the Deliberative Council will act in accordance with the following quidelines: -----(i) responsible participation in the Council meetings, carrying out the tasks ----to which they have been tasked, preparing for meetings, debating, expressing their opinions and supporting the collective decision as legitimate; (ii) acting in accordance with the interests of the Association and in respect of their respective fiduciary duties; -----(iii) acting proactively and responsibly in favor of the group's behavior and productivity,





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respecting differences, and encouraging a plurality of opinions for better decision-making; -----(iv) preventing the Deliberative Council from abstaining from addressing complex issues ----encouraging the debate of challenging issues; ----(v) informing the Chairman of the Deliberative Council when he/she wishes to contact members of the other administrative bodies of the Association for any clarification. -----ARTICLE 32 - The committees referred to in Article 29, viii, of these Articles of Incorporation, aim to implement good environmental, social, corporate governance practices in the Association, and they must always dialogue with the Deliberative Council and with the Board of Executive Officers. -Paragraph One - The Committees referred to in the heading provisions of this article shall be composed of the members of the Advisory Council appointed at a meeting of the Deliberative Council duly convened for this purpose, pursuant to Article 29, viii of these Articles of Incorporation. Paragraph Two - The Investment Committee is responsible for: -----

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(i) following the budget guidelines and improving
the profitability of the financial investments made
by the Association;
(ii) evaluating investment opportunities that may
be beneficial to the Association;
(iii) advising the Board of Executive Officers and
the Deliberative Council in the formulation of
policies for the management of the Association's
resources;
(iv) watching over the execution of the economic-
financial programming of the Association's assets;
(v) monitoring the performance of the Association's
investment portfolio, in accordance with the
objectives established by the Association's annual
investment policy and with the relevant legislation
in force
(vi) evaluating proposals, submitting to the
Executive Board of Officers and the Deliberative
Council;
(vii) analyzing the macroeconomic scenarios,
observing the possible effects on the Association's
assets;
(viii) proposing investment strategies for a given

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period and reassessing the strategies as a result
of relevant conjunctural facts;
(ix) providing subsidies for the preparation or
alteration of an investment policy;
(x) proposing investments and redemptions,
observing the legal limits of each investment; and-
(xi) monitoring the implementation of the
investment policy
Paragraph Three - The Sustainability Committee is
responsible for:
(i) advising the Association's Board of Executive
Officers and Deliberative Council in all aspects
related to sustainability;
(ii) monitoring and leading the organization's
performance of protective measures to the
environment, applying them to the Association's
internal processes, in order to adopt more
sustainable procedures;
(iii) suggesting new protective measures for the
environment;
(iv) analyzing, addressing and bringing to the
Board of Executive Officers and the Deliberative
Council matters that represent risks or have a





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direct impact on the Association's performance and on the relationship with associates, employees, donors and other contributors; -----(v) preserving and encouraging the Association to have a positive image in relation to sustainable practices, both for associates and employees, as well as for donors and other contributors; -----(vi) leading actions and engagement campaigns for associates and employees, as well as for donors and other contributors; -----(vii) participating in the formulation of the Association's strategic planning, ensuring the inclusion of corporate responsibility in the management of the Association, in its development; -(viii) stimulating innovations in the Association's modus operandi in relation to the environment, always focusing on sustainability; ----periodically evaluating the Association's (ix) the performance in matters related to sustainability of the Association's operations; ---(x) ensuring that the Association is carrying out its strategies in a sustainable way, so that the Association contributes to the development of the





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society in which it is inserted; and
(xi) promoting an internal environment of awareness
about sustainability and social innovation
Paragraph Four - The Culture and People Committee
is responsible for:
(i) monitoring the evolution of the organization in
terms of performance evaluation systems and
programs for the development of the Association's
staff;
(ii) evaluating and recommending policies and/or
practices for (a) compensation; (b) recruitment and
appointment, including criteria for admission and
exclusion of associates and employees; and (c)
evaluation of performance and engagement of
evaluation of performance and engagement of associates and employees;
associates and employees;
associates and employees; (iii) assisting the development and integration of
associates and employees; (iii) assisting the development and integration of new associates and employees in the Association;
associates and employees; (iii) assisting the development and integration of new associates and employees in the Association; (iv) valuing for the organizational development of
associates and employees; (iii) assisting the development and integration of new associates and employees in the Association; (iv) valuing for the organizational development of the Association and its associates and employees; -

(vi) monitoring topics related to culture, climate





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and people engagement;
(vii) supporting in the preparation of the review
of the evaluation process of the Association's
associates and employees;
(viii) examining the Association's organizational
structure and recommend adjustments, required by
the strategic business and management guidelines; -
(ix) assisting in situations reported in the
Association's integrity channel;
(x) determining, when required, the adoption of the
necessary measures, by issuing a formal opinion to
the areas involved; and
(xi) ensuring that infractions and violations are
followed by applicable disciplinary measures,
regardless of the hierarchical level, will
prejudice the applicable legal penalties
CHAPTER IX - AUDIT COMMITTEE
ARTICLE 33 - The Association will have an Audit
Committee, which will be composed of 3 (three)
effective members, elected by the Shareholder's
Meeting, with a term of office of 4 (four) years,
and may be reappointed
Sole Paragraph - In case of vacancy of any of the

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members of the Audit Committee, it will be promptly replaced by the election of a substitute at a Shareholder's Meeting specifically called to resolve on the recomposition of the Committee. ----ARTICLE 34 - The Audit Committee is responsible for: -----(i) supervising the acts of the management, by any of its members, and verifying the fulfillment of their legal and statutory duties, and the mission, vision, values, and purpose of the Association: ---(ii) reporting, in the form of an opinion, on legal and tax issues that may affect the reputation or the financial area of the Association; -----(iii) reporting, in the form of an opinion, on accounting procedures and standards that may affect the reputation or the financial area of the Association; -----(iv) reporting, in the form of an opinion, on the balance sheets and financial performance reports of the Association, guiding the Shareholder's Meeting; (v) monitoring the work of any independent external auditors and issue an opinion on them at the Shareholder's Meeting; -----





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(vi) denouncing, by any of its members, any errors, fraud or crimes they discover, and demand measures from the Deliberative Council; -----(vii) calling a Shareholder's Meeting when deemed necessary, pursuant to Article 14, Paragraph One of these Articles of Incorporation. -----CHAPTER X - REVENUES AND EQUITY -----ARTICLE 35 - The Association's income to maintain its institutional purposes are: ------(i) the contributions of associates, -----(ii) subsidies and aids intended for it through donations, legacies, inheritances, assignment of rights, assignment of credits, agreements, or by any individuals or legal entities, public or private, national, or foreign; and -----(iii) income from its investments, services and the management of its assets in general; -----ARTICLE 36 - The Association's assets consist of real estate, furniture, which it has or will have, income, interest, contributions, currency on deposit or invested in a fixed or variable income fund, legacies, inheritances, donations, subsidies, aid, balances determined in balance sheets, or the





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acquisitions that may be made, vehicles, shares,
public or private debt securities, as well as other
income credited in its name, provided that it is
under registration and accounting
CHAPTER XI - DISSOLUTION
ARTICLE 37 - In addition to the cases provided for
in the applicable legislation, if the impossibility
or unfeasibility of the continuity of the
Association's activities is verified, it may be
dissolved by resolution of 75% (seventy-five per
corner) of the members of the Special Shareholder's
Meeting, specially convened for this purpose
Sole Paragraph - In the event of dissolution or
extinction of the Association, any remaining
assets, after all liabilities have been settled,
and conditional donations are respected, will be
destined (i) to a similar entity that has an
unblemished reputation and has a market practice of
at least 25 (twenty belt) years; or (ii) the body
that replaces it; or (iii) to a public entity, at
the discretion of the Association's Special
Meeting
CHAPTER XII - RENDERING OF ACCOUNTS





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ARTICLE 38 - The Association will publicize, by any effective means, at the end of the fiscal year, the activity report, and the financial statements, making them available for examination by any citizen. ------ARTICLE 39 - To ensure transparency in the application of resources, the Association shall: --(i) observe the fundamental principles of accounting and the Brazilian Accounting Standards, committing to keep the bookkeeping of their income and expenses in books covered with formalities capable of ensuring their accuracy; and -----(ii) account for all resources and goods of public origin received by the Association, as determined by Paragraph One of article 70 of the Federal Constitution. -----ARTICLE 40 - The Association's annual financial statements will be audited by an independent external audit firm hired by the Board of Executive Officers, as approved by the Deliberative Council.-CHAPTER XIII - GENERAL PROVISIONS ------ARTICLE 41 - Associates shall not be jointly or severally liable, directly, or indirectly, for the

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obligations of the Association, and reciprocal rights and obligations shall not exist between associates. -----ARTICLE 42 - The Association will not participate in any activities of a political-party or religious nature, being expressly forbidden to receive any contribution that results from activities of a political-party nature. -----ARTICLE 43 - The Association will not distribute to its associates, officers, directors, employees, contributors, or employees any operating surpluses, gross or net, dividends, bonuses, shares, or portions of its equity, which will be fully invested in the achievement of its corporate purpose. -----ARTICLE 44 - The Association will provide, annually, with integral free services to any needy people and/or who are in a state of self-declared need, in an amount never less than the amounts accounted for as employer's social security exemption in the year, even if it reaches this objective when during the following fiscal year, if the inflow of amounts in the 4th quarter of the





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year exceeds the amount of income in the first six
months of the same fiscal year
ARTICLE 45 - If the Association receives subsidies
or donations, it undertakes to apply them to the
purposes to which they are linked, within its
institutional objectives
ARTICLE 46 - Cases not covered by these articles of
incorporation will be decided by the Board of
Executive Officers in a joint meeting with the
Deliberative Council
ARTICLE 47 - The fiscal year will begin on January
1st and end on December 31st of each year
ARTICLE 48 - These articles of incorporation,
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