

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE
INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONAL ANALYSIS ASSOCIATION**

1. The name of the corporation is the International Transactional Analysis Association.
2. This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for public and charitable purposes. This corporation elects to be governed by all of the provisions of the Nonprofit Corporation Law of 1980 not otherwise applicable to it under Part 5 of Division 2.
3. The specific purpose of this corporation shall be to promote awareness and understanding of Transactional Analysis, a psychology of human behavior, communication, and problem solving, designed to enhance the life of individuals, groups, organizations, and communities and to carry on other charitable and educational activities associated with this goal as allowed by law.
4. This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes, within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code §501(c)(3) or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law. Despite any other provision in these articles, the corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that do not further the purposes of this corporation, and the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (a) a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code §501(c)(3) or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal revenue law, or (b) a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Internal Revenue Code §170(c)(2) or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law.
5. Tax-exempt status
 - (a) No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and this corporation shall not participate or intervene in (including publishing or distributing statements) any political campaign on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for public office.
 - (b) All corporate property is irrevocably dedicated to the purposes set forth in Article 4 above. No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any of its directors, trustees, officers, or members, or to individuals.
 - (c) On the winding up and dissolution of this corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts, obligations, and liabilities of the corporation, the remaining assets of this corporation shall be distributed to an organization (or organizations) organized and operated exclusively for charitable or educational purposes, if the organization has established its tax-exempt status under internal Revenue Code §501(c)(3) (or corresponding provisions of any future federal internal Revenue Code law).

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