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Articles of Incorporation

ARTICLE I
NAME/REGISTERED OFFICE

The name of this corporation shall be the **Mormon Transhumanist Association**. The corporation's registered office is located at:

State of Utah
Department of Commerce
Division of Corporations and Commercial Code
I hereby certify that the foregoing has been filed
and approved on this 20 day of Aug 2006
in this office of this Division and hereby issue
this Certificate thereof.

A. Joseph West
1580 South 2300 East
Salt Lake City, UT 84108

Examiner K Date 8/14/06



Kathy Berg
Kathy Berg
Division Director

ARTICLE II
PURPOSE

This corporation is organized exclusively for educational, scientific and religious purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that also qualify as Section 501(c)(3) exempt organizations.

The purpose of the corporation shall be to promote the World Transhumanist Association (WTA) Declaration and the Mormon Transhumanist Affirmation in support of the WTA Purpose.

Transhumanist Declaration

- (1) Humanity will be radically changed by technology in the future. We foresee the feasibility of redesigning the human condition, including such parameters as the inevitability of aging, limitations on human and artificial intellects, unchosen psychology, suffering, and our confinement to the planet earth.
- (2) Systematic research should be put into understanding these coming developments and their long-term consequences.
- (3) Transhumanists think that by being generally open and embracing of new technology we have a better chance of turning it to our advantage than if we try to ban or prohibit it.
- (4) Transhumanists advocate the moral right for those who so wish to use technology to extend their mental and physical (including reproductive) capacities and to improve their control over their own lives. We seek personal growth beyond our current biological limitations.
- (5) In planning for the future, it is mandatory to take into account the prospect of dramatic progress in technological capabilities. It would be tragic if the potential benefits failed to materialize because of technophobia and unnecessary prohibitions. On the other

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hand, it would also be tragic if intelligent life went extinct because of some disaster or war involving advanced technologies.

(6) We need to create forums where people can rationally debate what needs to be done, and a social order where responsible decisions can be implemented.

(7) Transhumanism advocates the well-being of all sentience (whether in artificial intellects, humans, posthumans, or non-human animals) and encompasses many principles of modern humanism. Transhumanism does not support any particular party, politician or political platform.

Mormon Transhumanist Affirmation

(1) We seek the spiritual and physical exaltation of individuals and their anatomies, as well as communities and their environments, according to their wills, desires and laws, to the extent they are not oppressive.

(2) We believe that scientific knowledge and technological power are among the means ordained of God to enable such exaltation, including realization of diverse prophetic visions of transfiguration, immortality, resurrection, renewal of this world, and the discovery and creation of worlds without end.

(3) We feel a duty to use science and technology according to wisdom and inspiration, to identify and prepare for risks and responsibilities associated with future advances, and to persuade others to do likewise.

To this end, the corporation shall support discussion and public awareness of emerging technologies, to defend the right of individuals in free and democratic societies to adopt technologies that expand human capacities, and to anticipate and propose solutions for the potential consequences of emerging technologies.

ARTICLE III LIMITATIONS

At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the corporation:

1. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to any member of the corporation not qualifying as exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended, nor to any Director or officer of the corporation, nor to any other private persons, excepting solely such reasonable compensation that the corporation shall pay for services actually rendered to the corporation, or allowed by the corporation as a reasonable allowance for authorized expenditures incurred on behalf of the corporation;

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2. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall constitute the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, or any initiative or referendum before the public, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including by publication or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office; and

3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now enacted or hereafter amended.

4. The corporation shall not lend any of its assets to any officer or director of this corporation [unless such loan program is regularly conducted as part of the activities of the organization and the qualification of the individual to participate in same is determined by a panel comprised solely of non-Board members], or guarantee to any person the payment of a loan by an officer or director of this corporation.

ARTICLE IV DIRECTORS/MEMBERS

The corporation shall have a voting membership, and may have classes of same, as defined in the corporation's bylaws. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of a Board of Directors, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by statute and by the corporation's by-laws. No member or Director shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation.

ARTICLE V DEBT OBLIGATIONS AND PERSONAL LIABILITY

No member, officer or Director of this corporation shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the members, officers or Directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

ARTICLE VI DISSOLUTION

Upon the time of dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed by the Board of Directors, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all debts, obligations, liabilities, costs and expenses of the corporation, for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding

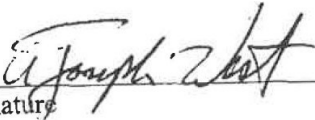
section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

**ARTICLE VII
INCORPORATOR**

The incorporator of this corporation is:

A. Joseph West
1580 South 2300 East
Salt Lake City, UT 84108

The undersigned incorporator certifies both that he executes these Articles for the purposes herein stated, and that by such execution, he affirms the understanding that should any of the information in these Articles be intentionally or knowingly misstated, he is subject to the criminal penalties for perjury as if this document had been executed under oath.


signature

8/4/06
date



State of Utah **This form must be type written or computer generated.**
 Department of Commerce
 Division of Corporations & Commercial Code
 Articles of Incorporation (Nonprofit)

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1. Name of Corporation:	Mormon Transhumanist Association			
2. Purpose:	Engage in any lawful act under Utah law relative to social advocacy			
3. Who/What is the name of the Registered Agent (Individual or Business Entity or Commercial Registered Agent)?: Andrew Ostler				
The address must be listed if you have a non-commercial registered agent. What is a commercial registered agent? Address of the Registered Agent: 1098 N 1760 W Utah Street Address Required, PO Boxes can be listed after the Street Address City: Provo State UT Zip: 84604				
4. Name, Signature and Address of Incorporator <small>(attach additional page if there is more than 1 incorporator)</small>	Andrew Ostler			
	Name	PO Box 971323		
	Address	Orem	UT	84097
	Signature: <i>Andrew Ostler</i>	City	State	Zip
5. Voting Members: The nonprofit corporation <input checked="" type="radio"/> will <input type="radio"/> will not have voting members.				
6. Shares: The nonprofit corporation <input type="radio"/> will <input checked="" type="radio"/> will not issue shares evidencing membership or interests in water or other property rights. The aggregate number of shares that the nonprofit corporation has authority to issue shall be [REDACTED] The shares [REDACTED] will [REDACTED] will not be divided up in to classes. Type 1: [REDACTED] Number of Shares: [REDACTED] Statement: [REDACTED] Type 2: [REDACTED] Number of Shares: [REDACTED] Statement: [REDACTED]				
7. Assets: Upon dissolution assets of the corporation will be distributed in a manner consistent with law.				
8. Principal Address:	PO Box 971323	Orem	UT	84097
9. Name and Address of Directors: <small>(attach an additional page if there are more than 3 directors)</small>				
1. <u>Blaire Ostler</u>		Director & CEO		
Name		Position		
1098 N 1760 W		Provo	UT	84604
Address		City	State	Zip
2. <u>Christopher Bradford</u>		Director & President		
Name		Position		
4866 N Shady Bend Ln		Lehi	UT	84043
Address		City	State	Zip
3. <u>Carl Youngblood</u>		Director & VP		
Name		Position		
1167 Briar Ave.		Provo	UT	84604
Address		City	State	Zip

Under GRAMA {63-2-201}, all registration information maintained by the Division is classified as public record.

Optional Inclusion of Ownership Information: This information is not required.
 Is this a female owned business? Yes No
 Is this a minority owned business? Yes No If yes, please specify: Select/Type the race of the owner here

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 Department of Commerce
 Division of Corporations and Commercial Code
 I hereby certified that the foregoing has been filed
 and approved on this 7 day of Feb, 2017
 in this office of this Division and hereby issued
 This Certificate thereof.

Kathy Berg
 Kathy Berg
 Division Director

