

# International Society for Salt Lake Research

Promoting the study, management, use, and conservation of salt lakes



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### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR SALT LAKE RESEARCH, INC. A CALIFORNIA PUBLIC BENEFIT CORPORATION

**ONE:** The name of this corporation is **International Society for Salt Lake Research, Inc.** (hereinafter referred to as "ISSLR").

**TWO:** 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 charitable purposes. The specific purposes for which this corporation is organized are to establish effective liaison between persons interested in any aspect of inland saline lakes (including solar pans), to encourage these interests, and to educate the public in the scientific use, management, and conservation of salt lakes.

**THREE:** The name and address in the State of California of this corporation's initial agent for service of process is Robert S. Jellison, Univ. of California/SNARL, 1016 Mt. Morrison Rd./Rt. 1, Box 198, Mammoth Lakes, CA, 93546.

**FOUR:** (a) This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (1) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or (2) by a corporation contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(c) No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office.

**FIVE:** The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets of the organization shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person.

On the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has established its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Dated: 1/26/2000

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