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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
INTERMOUNTAIN VIPASSANA ASSOCIATION, INC.

The undersigned in order to form a Non-Profit Corporation under the provisions of Title 30, chapters 21 and 30, Idaho Code, submits the following articles of incorporation to the Secretary of State:

Article 1: The name of the corporation is Intermountain Vipassana Association, Inc.

Article 2: The purposes for which this corporation are organized are to promote religious activities as defined in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including, but not limited to, the advancement of the Theravada Buddhist religion by promoting, in accordance with the principles established by the late Sayaji U Ba Khin as taught by the late S.N. Goenka, the study and practice of the techniques of developing concentration, insight and higher standards of morality as originally taught by the Buddha known as Vipassana Meditation. Such principles shall be advanced through the public dissemination of the teachings of the Buddha and by other means. In furtherance of this objective, the corporation may establish temporary and permanent centers, schools, libraries, institutions, courses and other facilities (including residential facilities) for the advancement of the Theravada Buddhist religion, and publish a newsletter, other publications and other media for the dissemination of information pertaining to Vipassana Meditation and the activities of the practitioners of this meditation.

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, or scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Article 3: The name and address of the corporation's initial agent for service of process is Doug Drake, 8414 Blaser Highway, Lava Hot Springs, Idaho 83246.

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Article 4: The names and addresses of the initial members of the Board of Directors are:

Chad Courtright	205 S. Bruce Ln. Boise, ID 83712
Doug Drake	8414 Blaser Highway Lava Hot Springs, ID 83246
Laurie Holland	417 L Street Salt Lake City, UT 84103
Jan Koubek	PO Box 5952 Ketchum, ID
Lisa Kuhn	427 B Street Salt Lake City, UT 84103
Kim Petersen	PO Box 1176 Sun Valley, ID 83353
Amos Prudhon	PO Box 682592 Park City, UT 84068
Kristine Zelenkov	2378 E Sunnyside Ave Salt Lake City, UT 84108

Article 5: The name and address of the incorporator is Lisa Kuhn, 427 B Street, Salt Lake City, UT 84103.

Article 6: The mailing address of the corporation is 8414 Blasser Highway, Lava Hot Springs, Idaho 83246.


Article 7: The corporation does not have voting members.

Article 8: No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article 2 hereof. No substantial part of the

activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

Article 9: Upon dissolution of the corporation, the assets shall be distributed 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 in the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for 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 to a governmental entity for a public purpose.

Signatures of all incorporators:



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Printed Name: Lisa Kuhn

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