



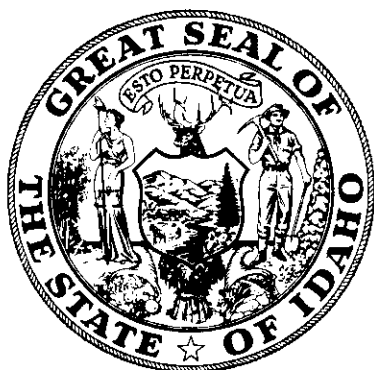
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION  
OF

THE AMERICAN LEGION, PRIEST RIVER POST #147 OF THE DEPARTMENT OF IDAHO INCORPORATED

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that duplicate originals of Articles of Incorporation for the incorporation of THE AMERICAN LEGION, PRIEST RIVER POST #147 OF THE DEPARTMENT OF IDAHO, INCORPORATED, duly signed pursuant to the provisions of the Idaho Nonprofit Corporation Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Certificate of Incorporation and attach hereto a duplicate original of the Articles of Incorporation.

Dated JUNE 21, 19 84.



SECRETARY OF STATE

Corporation Clerk

## Articles Of Incorporation

We, the undersigned natural persons of the age of twenty-one years or more, at least two of whom are citizens of the State of Idaho, noting as incorporators of a corporation under the Non-Profit Corporation Act, do hereby adopt the following Articles for such corporation.

### ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is: The American Legion, Priest River Post #147 of the Department of Idaho, Incorporated.

### ARTICLE II

The corporation is a non-profit corporation.

### ARTICLE III

The period of its duration is perpetual.

### ARTICLE IV

The purpose for which the corporation is organized is; To uphold the Constitution and laws of the United States, to realize the American ideals and aims for which those eligible to membership fought, to advance the interest and work for the betterment of all wounded, injured, gassed disabled, and all veterans, to cooperate with the United States Veterans Administration and all other public and private agencies devoted to the cause of improving and advancing the condition, health, injured, wounded, disabled and all other veterans, to serve our comrades, our communities and our country and to encourage in all people the spirit of understanding which will guard against future wars. This corporation is limited to such as will qualify it as an exempt organization corporation will not, as a substantial part of its activities carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation. This corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public offices.

### ARTICLE V

This corporation recognizes the National Organization, known as The American Legion, incorporated by Act of Congress, and affirms its allegiance, subordination, to the said National Organization, its Constitution, By-laws and all rules, mandates and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto, approved by Congress of the United States of America of September 16, 1919 and all amendatory acts thereto.

## ARTICLE VI

The Incorporation of The American Legion Priest River Post #147 will follow the amended section enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 3 of the act entitled "An Act to Incorporate The American Legion," approved September 16, 1919 (41 Stat. 285, title 36, U. S. C. 1940 edition, sec. 43) is hereby amended to read as follows:

### Amended Section

"Sec. 3. That the purpose of this incorporation shall be; To uphold and defend the constitution of the United States of America; to promote peace and good will among the peoples of the United States and all the nations of the earth; to preserve the memories and incidents of the two World Wars and the other great hostilities fought to uphold democracy; to cement the ties and comradeship born to service; and to consecrate the efforts of its members to mutual helpfulness and service to their country."

## ARTICLE VII

The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is; The American Legion, Priest River Post #147, Box 927. Priest River, Idaho 83856.

The street address of the initial registered office is 216 Main Street, Priest River, Idaho.

The name of the initial registered agent at said address is, Ernest A Olson.

## ARTICLE VIII

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors of the corporation is 6 and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Name

Address

*Ernest A. Olson*  
Ernest A. Olson

Rt. 6 Box 94, Priest River, Idaho

*Lawrence L. Darden*  
Lawrence L. Darden

Box 44, Priest River, Idaho

*Ralph Hacklander*  
Ralph Hacklander

Box 765, Priest River, Idaho

*John Reynolds*  
John Reynolds

Box 1273, Priest River, Idaho

*Dorothy Merrifield*  
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Box 88, Priest River, Idaho

*John H. Myrvang*  
John H. Myrvang

Rt 6, Priest River, Idaho

#### ARTICLE VIV

The corporation shall consist of every member in good standing or any person who shall become a member in good standing of The American Legion, Priest River Post #147, the Department of Idaho.

#### ARTICLE X

No part of net earnings, property or assets of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any private person or individual or director of the corporation. Upon dissolution of the Corporation, the assets remaining after payment of its debts, shall be distributed as provided by the National Constitution and By-laws.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this

5 day of May 1984.

Name

Address

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Lawrence S. Gordon

Box 44 P.R. Idaho

The State of Idaho

County of Bonner

I, the undersigned authority, of hereby certify that on the 5th day of May, 1984, personally appeared before me, who each being by me, first duly sworn, severally declared that they are the persons who signed the foregoing documents as incorporators and that the statements therein contained are true.

In WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the and year written above.

William R. Darden

Notary Public, Bonner County,

Idaho My Commission expires Life  
Priest River, Id. 83856