State of Idaho

Office of the Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

OF

COMMON CAUSE

dba COMMON CAUSE, INC.

File Number C 170783

I, BEN YSURSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that an Application for Certificate of Authority, duly executed pursuant to the provisions of the Idaho Business Corporation Act, has been received in this office and is found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Certificate of Authority to transact business in this State and attach hereto a duplicate of the application for such certificate.

Dated: January 8, 2007



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By April Hutt



APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY (Nonprofit) (Instructions on back of application)

The undersigned Corporation applies for a Certificate of Authority and states as follows:

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It is incorporated under the		
. Its date of incorporation is	and its o	duration, if other than perpetual, is:
. The street address of its pr	rincipal office is:	
1133 19th Street, NW 9th	n Floor, Washington, DC	20036
. The address to which corre	espondence should be add	dressed, if different than item 5, is:
. The street address of its re	gistared office in Idaho is:	
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Common Cause Federal ID # 52-6078441

List of Officers & Directors

The affairs of Common Cause are managed by a Board of Directors, referred to as "the Governing Board" in our bylaws. All of the following individuals are Directors given that they are members of the Governing Board.

Officers of the National Governing Board:

President/CEO	Chellie Pingree	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Chairman	Richard North Patterson	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Vice-Chair/Treasurer	Elizabeth Garrett	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Secretary	Maya MacGuineas	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036

Non-officers of the National Governing Board:

Director	Benjamin Barber	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Leonard Baynes	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Michele Demers	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Bob Edgar	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Julie Fernandes	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Edward Thaddeus Foote II	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Margaret Fung	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Ellen Golombek	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Jim Goodmon	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Jack Gould	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Leonard Hill	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Charles Kolb	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	William Kraus	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Peter Lauria	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Eric Liu	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Spencer Overton	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Harold Pachios	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Brad Phillips	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Nancy Rhodes	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	John Shattuck	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Jack Taylor	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Martha Tierney	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Tova Wang	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036
Director	Tracy Westen	Common Cause, 1133 19th Street NW 9th Floor, Washington DC 20036

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS



CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that there were received and accepted for record in the Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs, Corporations Division, on the 8th day of April, 1968 Articles of Incorporation of:

COMMON CAUSE

The above named corporation is duly incorporated and existing pursuant to and by virtue of the Nonprofit Corporation Act of the District of Columbia and authorized to **conduct its affairs** in the District of Columbia as of the date mentioned above.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that the above entitled corporation is at the time of issuance of this certificate in <u>Good Standing</u>, according to the records of the Corporations Division, having filed all reports required by the District of Columbia Nonprofit Corporation Act.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this office to be affixed this 17th day of November, 2006.

PATRICK J. CANAVAN, PSY. D. DIRECTOR

Business and Professional Licensing Administration

PATRICIA E. GRAYS

Superintendent of Corporations

Corporations Division

Anthony A. Williams Mayor