

GGWANGA MUJJE NY/NJ INC. ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

*The undersigned incorporator(s), in order to form a non-profit corporation under the laws of the state of **New Jersey**, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:*

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is Ggwanga Mujje NY/NJ Inc.

ARTICLE II

The street address of the original registered office of the corporation is 1319 Sloane Blvd., Plainfield, NJ 07060. The name of its registered agent at such address is Wycliffe Lule-Musoke

ARTICLE III

The purpose and objectives for which this corporation is organized are:

- *To stimulate and encourage nationwide fellowship among it's members in North America*
- *To promote cultural awareness and cultural linkage amongst the members in North America and Buganda.*
- *To educate member's children concerning their cultural heritage and understanding of problems facing them.*
- *to conduct public discussions, group forums, panels and workshops*
- *To publish a newsletter on cultural heritage and other issues concerning the members.*
- *To identify and support orphans in Buganda.*
- *To mobilize all available resources to assist in development of Buganda in general and Uganda at large.*
- *To engage in lawful activities necessary, conducive or incidental to the attainment of the objectives of Ggwanga Mujje NY/NJ Inc.*

This corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, 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 corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE IV

The number of directors constituting the original board of directors of the

corporation is seven (7). The names and addresses of the persons who served as the initial directors are:

- *Mr. Wycliffe Lule-Musoke
1319 Sloane Blvd
Plainfield, NJ 07060.*
- *Mr. Michael Muganga
931 Red Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666.*
- *Joseph Ssenyonjo
203 West 98th Street, #6D
New York, NY 10025.*
- *Mr. Fred Yawe
7 Babbit Way
Allentown, NJ 08501-2026*
- *Mrs. Edward Bewayo
14 Carleton Court
Maplewood, NJ 07063*
- *Dr. Samuel Kigongo
18 Diane Drive
New City, NY 10956*
- *Mr. Sula Bunkeddeko
84-11 Elmhurst, #4F
Queens, NY 11373*

The Executive Committee of Ggwanga Mujje NY/NJ Inc. is defined as the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and Publicity Secretary. The executive appointments, their duties and process for the meetings are inscribed in BYLAWS of the corporation.

ARTICLE V

The names and addresses of the incorporators of this corporation (are):

- *Wycliffe Lule-Musoke
1319 Sloane Blvd
Plainfield, NJ 07060.*
- *Michael Muganga
931 Red Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666.*
- *Joseph Senyonjo
203 West 98th Street, #6D
New York, NY 10025.*

ARTICLE VI

The period of its duration is perpetual

ARTICLE VII

This corporation shall have one class of membership. Any person 18 years of age and above who support the objectives of this corporation, shall be qualified to become a member upon payment of the initial dues fixed by the board of directors and shall continue as a member upon paying the annual dues. The method and time of payment of dues shall be determined, and may be changed, from time to time, by the board of directors. Additional provisions specifying the rights and obligations of members shall be contained in the Bylaws of this corporation pursuant to, and in accordance with, the laws of this state.

ARTICLE VIII

Any additional provisions for the operation of the corporation are as follows:

Upon the dissolution of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided by Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code), and this corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate

for public office.

No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that this 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 these Articles.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, this 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.

In any taxable year in which this corporation is a private foundation as described in Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, the corporation 1) shall distribute its income for said period at such time and manner as not to subject it to tax under Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code; 2) shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code; 3) shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code; 4) shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject the corporation to tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code; and 5) shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The undersigned incorporators hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the statements made in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation are true.

Dated: _____

, Incorporator

, Incorporator

, Incorporator