

Articles of Association

ARTICLE I

NAME

1.01 Name

The name of this association shall be **Brotherhood of the Brownout**. The business of the association may be conducted as **Brotherhood of the Brownout, The Brotherhood of the Brownout, Brownout Brotherhood, or Brownout**.

ARTICLE II

DURATION

2.01 Duration

The period of duration of the association is perpetual.

ARTICLE III

PURPOSE

3.01 Purpose

Brotherhood of the Brownout is a non-profit association and shall operate exclusively for educational and charitable purposes within the meaning 501(c) (19) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future Federal tax code. Brotherhood of the Brownout's purpose is to promote the social welfare of the veteran community and to provide social and recreational activities for members.

We provide veteran transition education through the hosting of lecture and networking events with civilian aviation professionals, corporate leaders, and prominent members of the community to aid in the transition of veterans from military to civilian life. We also provide social events to enhance the camaraderie and esprit d corps of the local veteran community.

We also conduct various fundraising activities to raise funds in support of other charitable organizations with purposes of furthering the rights and welfare of the veteran community.

ARTICLE IV

NON-PROFIT NATURE

4.01 Non-Profit Nature

Brotherhood of the Brownout is organized exclusively for charitable purposes including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under

section 501 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code. No part of the net earnings of Brotherhood of the Brownout shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the association 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 the purpose of clause hereof.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the association shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by any organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code, corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by any organizations, contributions to which are deductible under section 170)c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Brotherhood of the Brownout is not organized and shall not be operated for the private gain of any person. The property of the corporation is irrevocably dedicated to its purposes. No part of the assets, receipts or any earnings of the association shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributed to any individual. The association may however, pay reasonable compensation for services rendered, and make other payments and distributions consistent with these Articles.

4.02 Personal Liability

No officer or director of this association shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of Brotherhood of the Brownout of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property or assets of the officers or directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this association.

4.03 Dissolution

Upon termination or dissolution of the Brotherhood of the Brownout, any assets lawfully available for distribution shall be distributed to one (1) or more qualifying organizations described in Section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code which organization or organizations have a charitable purpose which, at least generally, includes a purpose similar to the terminating or dissolving association.

4.04 Prohibited Distributions

No part of the net earnings, or properties of this association, on dissolution or otherwise, shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, directors, officers or other private person or individual, except that the association shall be authorized and empower to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article III, Section 3.01.

4.05 Restricted Activities

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

4.06 Prohibited Activities

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the association shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (I) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax as an organization described by Section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (II) by an association, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE V

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

5.01 Board of Directors

Brotherhood of the Brownout shall be governed by its board of directors.

5.02

The initial directors of the association shall be Jeremy Dohoney and Robert Kaplan

ARTICLE VI

MEMBERSHIP

6.01 Membership

At least 90% of Brotherhood of the Brownout members shall consist of war veterans. Membership is granted at the pleasure of the board of directors.

ARTICLE VII

AMENDMENTS

7.01 Amendments

Any amendment to the Articles of Association may be adopted by approval of two-thirds (2/3) of the board of directors.

ARTICLE VIII

ADDRESSES OF THE ASSOCIATION

8.01 Addresses of the Association

The mailing address of the Association is:

941 Orange Ave # 303
Coronado, CA 92118

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION OF THE ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above stated Articles of Association of the Brotherhood of the Brownout were approved by the board of directors on February 28, 2018 and constitute a complete of Articles of Association of Brotherhood of the Brownout.

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