

STATE OF GEORGIA

Secretary of State

Corporations Division

315 West Tower

#2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.

Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I, **Karen C Handel**, the Secretary of State and the Corporations Commissioner of the State of Georgia, hereby certify under the seal of my office that

GREATER ATLANTA TAMIL SANGAM, INC
a Domestic Non-Profit Corporation

has been duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Georgia on **03/05/2007** by the filing of articles of incorporation in the Office of the Secretary of State and by the paying of fees as provided by Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of the City of Atlanta
and the State of Georgia on March 5, 2007



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Karen C Handel". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Karen C Handel
Secretary of State

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
GREATER ATLANTA TAMIL SANGAM, INC.

1.

The name of the corporation is Greater Atlanta Tamil Sangam, Inc.

2.

The corporation is organized pursuant to the provisions of the Georgia Non-Profit Corporation Code.

3.

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively cultural, educational, and intellectual advancement within the meaning to Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

The purposes of the corporation are to preserve and promote the rich heritage of the Tamil-speaking population of Georgia, and to foster understanding, friendship, goodwill and appreciation between Tamil-speaking people and various cross-sections of the people of Georgia. Tamil is one of the oldest languages in the world, with literature dating back 100 BC, spoken by more than 60 million people in Tamil Nadu, a state located in the southern region of India.

4.

The corporation is not organized and shall not be operated for pecuniary gain or profit. No part of the property of the corporation and no part of its net earnings shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to any director, member, or other private individual. The corporation shall never be authorized to engage in a regular business of a kind ordinarily

carried on for profit or in any other activity except in furtherance of the purposes stated above for which the corporation is organized.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of attempting to influence legislation, by propaganda or otherwise. The corporation shall not participate or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

5.

The initial registered office of the corporation is 6050 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 240-253, Norcross, Georgia 30092. The initial registered agent of the corporation is Dr. Abdul M. Jabbar.

6.

The Corporation will have members.

7.

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a board of directors.

8.

The initial board of directors shall consist of the following eight (8) members:

Abdul M. Jabbar
4573 Creek Forest Court
Lilburn, Georgia 30047

Valmiginathan P. Raghunathan
5190 Forest Run Trace
Alpharetta, Georgia 30022

Vaithiswaran Subramanian
4940 Tidewater Way
Alpharetta, Georgia 30005

Perunkolam Ramakrishnan Subramanian
520 Spaulding Drive
Sandy Springs, Georgia 30328

Subramonia S. Mahadevan
125 Autry Landing Way
Alpharetta, Georgia 30022

Bhuvanendram Indrakrishnan
318 Broadmore Away
McDonough, Georgia 30253

Anantharaman Radhakrishnan
11800 Leeward Walk Circle
Alpharetta, Georgia 30005

K.R. Sundararaghavan
11825 Leeward Walk Circle
Alpharetta, Georgia 30005

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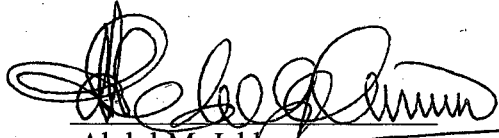
In the event of dissolution of the corporation, to the extent allowed under applicable law, after all lawful debts and liabilities of the corporation have been paid, all the assets of the corporation shall be distributed to, or its assets shall be sold and the proceeds distributed to, another organization organized and operating for the same purposes for which the corporation is organized and operating, or to one or more corporations, funds, or foundations organized and operating exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, which shall be selected by the board of directors for the corporation; provided, however, that any such recipient organization or organizations shall at that time qualify as a exempt from taxation under the provisions of Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law. In the event that upon the dissolution of the corporation the board of directors of the corporation shall fail to act in the manner herein provided within a reasonable time, a court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the corporation is located shall make such distribution as herein provided upon the application of one or more persons having a real interest in the corporation or its assets.

10.

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Abdul M. Jabbar
4573 Creek Forest Court
Lilburn, Georgia 30047

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed these Articles of Incorporation
this 26th day of February, 2007.


Abdul M. Jabbar

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SECRETARY OF STATE
CORPORATIONS DIVISION



KAREN HANDEL
Secretary of State

**OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE
CORPORATIONS DIVISION**

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Registered agent, officer, entity status information via the Internet
<http://www.georgiacorporations.org>

**TRANSMITTAL INFORMATION
GEORGIA PROFIT OR NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS**

IMPORTANT

Remember to include your e-mail address when completing this transmittal form.

Providing your e-mail address allows us to notify you via e-mail when we receive your filing and when we take action on your filing. Please enter your e-mail address on the line below. Thank you.

E-Mail: amjabbar@gmail.com

NOTICE TO APPLICANT: PRINT PLAINLY OR TYPE REMAINDER OF THIS FORM

1.

Corporate Name Reservation Number (if one has been obtained; if articles are being filed without prior reservation, leave this line blank)

Greater Atlanta Tamil Sangam, Inc.

Corporate Name (List exactly as it appears in articles)

2. Abdul M. Jabbar

404-727-8001

Name of person filing articles (certificate will be mailed to this person, at address below)

Telephone Number

4573 Creek Forest Court

Address

Lilburn

GA

30047

City

State

Zip Code

3.

Mail or deliver the following items to the Secretary of State, at the above address:

- 1) This transmittal form
- 2) Original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation
- 3) Filing fee of \$100.00 payable to Secretary of State. Filing fees are NON-refundable.

I certify that a Notice of Incorporation or Notice of Intent to Incorporate with a publication fee of \$40.00 has been or will be mailed or delivered to the official organ of the county where the initial registered office of the corporation is to be located. (List of legal organs is posted at web site; or, the Clerk of Superior Court can advise you of the official organ in a particular county.)



Authorized signature of person filing documents

2/26/07

Date

Request certificates and obtain entity information via the Internet: <http://www.georgiacorporations.org>