

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
DIVISION OF REVENUE AND ENTERPRISE SERVICES**

FILING CERTIFICATION (CERTIFIED COPY)

**MERKAZ HATZEDAKA CORP
0450452839**

I, the Treasurer of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify, that the above-named did file and record in this department the below listed document(s) and that the foregoing is a true copy of the formation certificate as the same is taken from and compared with the original(s) filed in this office on the date set forth on each instrument and now remaining on file and of record in my office.

*IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and
affixed my Official Seal
13th day of January, 2020*



*Elizabeth Maher Muoio
State Treasurer*

Certificate Number : 4094293672
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NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
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CERTIFICATE OF INC, (NON PROFIT)

MERKAZ HATZEDAKA CORP
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The above-named DOMESTIC NON-PROFIT CORPORATION was duly filed in accordance with New Jersey State Law on 01/13/2020 and was assigned identification number 0450452839. Following are the articles that constitute its original certificate.

1. **Name:**
MERKAZ HATZEDAKA CORP
2. **Registered Agent:**
SHIMON S. JACOBOWITZ
3. **Registered Office:**
30 HIGH STREET
LAKEWOOD, NEW JERSEY 08701
4. **Business Purpose:**
+
See attached for continuation of Business Purpose
5. **Duration:**
PERPETUAL
6. **Effective Date of this Filing Is:**
01/13/2020
7. **Method of electing Trustees as set forth herein:**
AS SET FORTH IN THE BYLAWS
8. **Asset Distribution:**
UPON THE DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION, ASSETS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR ONE OR MORE EXEMPT PURPOSES WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 501(C) (3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE, OR SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, OR TO A STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT, FOR A SIMILAR PUBLIC PURPOSE OR AS DESIGNATED BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION
9. **First Board of Trustees:**
HAIM M. SHTUKHAMER
4701 15TH AVE.
APT. 3
BROOKLYN, NEW YORK 11219

SHIMON S. JACOBOWITZ
30 HIGH STREET
LAKEWOOD, NEW JERSEY 08701-0870

MEIR KLEIN
KNESSET YECHZKEL 43
BEITAR ILLIT, 9054017
Israel
10. **Incorporators:**
HAIM M. SHTUKHAMER
4701 15TH AVE

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11. Main Business Address:

30 HIGH STREET
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Additional Articles/Provisions:

- 12. EXCLUSIVITY OF NON PROFIT PURPOSES CLAUSE**
SAID CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHARITABLE, RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL, AND SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES, 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 THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.
- 13. PROHIBITION OF INUREMENT CLAUSE**
NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF, OR BE DISTRIBUTABLE TO ITS MEMBERS, TRUSTEES, OFFICERS, OR OTHER PRIVATE PERSONS, EXCEPT THAT THE 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 THE PURPOSE CLAUSE HEREOF.
- 14. POLITICAL/LEGISLATIVE/OTHER PROHIBITED ACTIVITY CLAUSE**
NO SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE THE CARRYING ON OF PROPAGANDA, OR OTHERWISE ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE LEGISLATION, AND THE 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. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THESE ARTICLES, THE CORPORATION SHALL NOT CARRY ON ANY OTHER ACTIVITIES NOT PERMITTED TO BE CARRIED ON (A) BY A CORPORATION EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAX UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE, OR (B) BY A CORPORATION, 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.

Signatures:

HAIM M. SHTUKHAMER
INCORPORATOR



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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Elizabeth Maher Muoio".

Elizabeth Maher Muoio
State Treasurer

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Purpose Clause of organization: Tzedaka Vachessed Corp

Tzedaka Vachessed Corp is organized for the promotion of charitable giving and international charitable activity supporting Torah values, needy communities, improving municipal public spaces and public safety and serving underprivileged groups in Israel, by means of organizing, publicizing and encouraging cooperative programs and creating campaigns and charitable giving infrastructure for individuals, groups and institutions. All activity is to be solely for charitable, educational or religious purposes as defined under Section 501(c) (3) of the IRS Code.