

**Internal Revenue Service
District Director**

Department of the Treasury

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SF:EO:81-1355

Date: 7 5 1982

Employer Identification Number:
94-2705719
Accounting Period Ending:
December 31
Foundation Status Classification:
509(a)(2)
Advance Ruling Period Ends:
December 31, 1982
Person to Contact:
EO Desk Officer
Contact Telephone Number:
(415) 556-5353

▷ Santa Cruz Festival of Living
Music
P.O. Box 482
Santa Cruz, CA 95061

Dear Applicant:

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Because you are a newly created organization, we are not now making a final determination of your foundation status under section 509(a) of the Code. However, we have determined that you can reasonably be expected to be a publicly supported organization described in section 509(a)(2).

Accordingly, you will be treated as a publicly supported organization, and not as a private foundation, during an advance ruling period. This advance ruling period begins on the date of your inception and ends on the date shown above.

Within 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period, you must submit to us information needed to determine whether you have met the requirements of the applicable support test during the advance ruling period. If you establish that you have been a publicly supported organization, you will be classified as a section 509(a)(1) or 509(a)(2) organization as long as you continue to meet the requirements of the applicable support test. If you do not meet the public support requirements during the advance ruling period, you will be classified as a private foundation for future periods. Also, if you are classified as a private foundation, you will be treated as a private foundation from the date of your inception for purposes of sections 507(d) and 4940.

Grantors and donors may rely on the determination that you are not a private foundation until 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period. If you submit the required information within the 90 days, grantors and donors may continue to rely on the advance determination until the Service makes a final determination of your foundation status. However, if notice that you will no longer be treated as a section 509(a)(2) organization is published in the Internal Revenue Bulletin, grantors and donors may not rely on this determination after the date of such publication. Also, a grantor or donor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act that resulted in your loss of section 509(a)(2) status, or acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would be removed from classification as a section 509(a)(2) organization.

P.O. Box 36040, San Francisco, Calif. 94102

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If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation change, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. Also, you should inform us of all changes in your name or address.

Generally, you are not liable for social security (FICA) taxes unless you file a waiver of exemption certificate as provided in the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. If you have paid FICA taxes without filing the waiver, you should call us. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Organizations that are not private foundations are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other Federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

You are required to file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, only if your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$10,000. If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay.

You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T. In this letter, we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees. If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

Michael Sam

District Director

This determination is effective from November 10, 1980, your organizations date of Incorporation.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

Santa Cruz Festival of Living Music
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

EIN: 94-2705719

Date:

APR 14 1986

Our Letter Dated:
July 15, 1981

Santa Cruz Festival of Living Music
P.O. Box 482
Santa Cruz, CA 95061

Person to Contact: Taxpayer
Service Representative

Contact Telephone Number:
(800) 424-1040

Dear Applicant:

This modifies our letter of the above date in which we stated that you would be treated as an organization which is not a private foundation until the expiration of your advance ruling period.

Based on the information you submitted, we have determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, because you are an organization of the type described in section 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). Your exempt status under section 501(c)(3) of the code is still in effect.

Grantors and contributors may rely on this determination until the Internal Revenue Service publishes notice to the contrary. However, a grantor or a contributor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act that resulted in your loss of section 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) status, or acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would be removed from classification as a section 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) organization.

We have determined that you are a publicly supported organization of the type described in Sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) as opposed to Section 509(a)(2) of the Code. This change does not affect your exempt status as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, your non-private foundation status or your filing requirements.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown above.

Sincerely yours,

J. J. Miceli

District Director

CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT
OF
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

CHARLES J. SUTTON AND CHARLES F. HALL CERTIFY THAT:

1. THEY ARE THE PRESIDENT AND THE SECRETARY, RESPECTIVELY, OF SANTA CRUZ FESTIVAL OF LIVING MUSIC, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION.
2. ARTICLE I OF THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THIS CORPORATION IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

THE NAME OF THIS CORPORATION IS SANTA CRUZ BAROQUE FESTIVAL.

3. THE FOREGOING AMENDMENT OF ARTICLE OF INCORPORATION HAS BEEN DULY APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
4. THE CORPORATION HAS NO MEMBERS.

WE FURTHER DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA THAT MATTERS SET FORTH IN THIS CERTIFICATE ARE TRUE AND CORRECT OF OUR OWN KNOWLEDGE.

DATE: 6 DECEMBER 1992



CHARLES J. SUTTON, PRESIDENT



CHARLES F. HALL, SECRETARY

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