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#### Formation of

#### MAHARASHTRA MANDAL NORWAY

**Artcle 1: NAME** 

The name of the organization is "MAHARASHTRA MANDAL NORWAY", hereinafter referred to as "organization".

**Article 2: PURPOSE** 

MAHARASHTRA MANDAL NORWAY is a voluntary organization. The purpose of the organization is to preserve, promote and celebrate the tradition of Maharashtra culture from India in Norway. Maharashtra mandal association for Marathi-speaking people living in Norway. founded to maintain the pride of, preserve or promote the language of Marathi or Marathi culture. In accordance with the purpose, the association can organize national and international gatherings. The organization is committed to creating bonds between members and delivering the best cultural values through festivals, cultural events, language, art and music, etc.

#### Article 3: MEMBERSHIP

Membership is open to anyone associated with Maharashtra culture irrespective of gender, nationality. Each commitment year, new membership is mandatory for members. Membership is valid from January to december of financial year. Every year renewing membership is mandatory.

#### **Artikkel 4: STYRET**

The board shall be responsible for the management of an organisation. The board will implement the policy and decisions at the general meeting in the working period. The board shall be responsible for administrative measures, planning and implementation of events, which have been agreed at the general meeting. The board must make decisions on cooperation with organizations and financial management for the organization's activities. The board shall consist of the chairman, deputy chairman, secretary and up to 4 executive members and up to 8 members of the cultural activities. Each time Voting process valid for 24 months.

#### 4.1 Chairman:

The president shall be chairman of the board of the organisation. The chairman of the board must lead the meetings, ensure that the decisions of the general meeting or previous meetings and sign all official documents. The president is elected every two years by the board.



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#### 4.2 Deputy manager:

The vice-president shall be the deputy chairman of the board's chairman in his absence. The Vice-President shall chair the meeting and may sign all official documents. The deputy chairman is elected every two years by the board.

#### **4.3 SECRETARY:**

The secretary must take the necessary measures to comply with the decisions of the general meeting and the board. The secretary shall carry out all correspondence to members and other authorities when necessary. The Secretary should act as President in the President's absence. The secretary is elected every two years by the board and can be part of the Executive members.

#### 4.4 Board members

4.4.a. Executive members: The board must decide on the delegation of responsibilities together with board members. Executive members can be up to 4. Executive members are responsible for all administrative work towards membership and accounts and general application work. Executive members have the right to vote in the election of the board. Executive members may remain the same for administrative duties and may be changed at will or added to the team at the request of other board members.

4.4.b. Cultural activity members: In addition, there can be up to 8 board members who must provide direct support for the implementation of their respective responsibilities in the cultural activity for the organisation. To be eligible as a Cultural Activity Member, the person must have been a member of the organization for at least one or two years. Cultural activity members have the right to vote in the election of the board. Cultural activity member's working period will be two years. Members of cultural activities can be appointed to the board by self-interests who are willing to volunteer for the organization.



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**ARTICLE 5: RIGHT OF SIGNATURE** 

The chairman of the board and 2 Executive members from the board get joint signature rights.

**ARTICLE 6: ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING** 

The general meeting shall be the highest authority in the organisation, should happen every 2nd year. Every year in the month of December, a nomination request is sent out to all paid members of the organisation. When the candidate's application has been received, the general meeting can conduct with applicants Nominees to form a board, with an agreement with at least four weeks' written notice.

Following should be the agenda for the meeting:

- 1. Discuss annual activities and events to be held.
- 2. Present the annual accounts for the current calendar year
- 3. Elect a new board.
- 4. Planning for the next calendar year
- 5. Other matters that the board members raise.

All members of the organization should receive board status and all information by arranging a common meeting. The agenda for the meeting must be made known in advance of the meeting, and members must have the opportunity to bring any additional questions they wish to discuss.

The members must inform the board in writing/post that he/she wishes to take up the matter during the general meeting, one week before the general meeting.

Following should be the agenda for the meeting:

- 1. Discuss annual activities and events to be held.
- 2. Present the annual accounts for the current calendar year.
- 3. Announcement of a new board.
- 4. Planning for the next calendar year.
- 5. Other matters raised by the board and members.



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The decisions taken at the meeting must be approved by consensus or by a simple majority. Minutes from the meeting must be sent within two weeks of the meeting. The board can call an extraordinary general meeting if it does not want to wait until the next ordinary general meeting. Members can ask the board to convene an extraordinary general meeting by contacting the board. At least 20 members must request such a meeting.

#### **ARTICLE 7: ECONOMY**

Being a non-profit organization means that there should be no dividend or financial profit declared or paid to the board of directors or members thereof. The organisation's income will come from private fees for functions, events and charitable donations. All members, including the board, shall work as volunteers and shall not be compensated in any form for time and effort for services rendered or tasks performed on behalf of the organization.

**Article 8: SPECIAL PROVISIONS** 

According to the regulations, the following shall not be permitted:



- 1. The use of drugs and smoking in any event organized by the organization shall be prohibited.
- 2. Disposal of firearms and other weapons must be reprimanded.
- 3. The organisation's board reserves the right to register events under the auspices of the organisation.
- 4. Participation in organizations that have not been agreed upon at the general meeting must be approved by the board.
- 5. Use of organizational names for all purposes must be approved by the board.



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#### **Article 9: CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**

Any amendment to the constitution must only be made during an ordinary or extraordinary general meeting. Changes must be approved by the acceptance of two thirds of the participants.

Article 10: DISSOLUTION OF THE ORGANIZATION Dissolution of the organization must be accepted during the annual or extraordinary general meeting with at least two thirds of the participants accepting the decision. Disposition and obligations to the authorities must be discussed and carried out before formal dissolution.

NO	NAME	DATE	SIGNATURE
1	SHRIKANT PRABHU	24.1.2023	SARIL
2	SUJATA PRABHU	24.1.2023	Sugarfor Praboling
3	TRUPTI SHRIWARDHANKAR	24.1.2023	Couptoh
4	KIRAN NANDEDKAR	24.1.2023	R
5	DEEP VAISHAMPAYAN	24.1.2023	DEV

