

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
CHARTER OF INCORPORATION  
OF HAWAII CHAPTER NO. 1,  
ORDER OF KAMEHAMEHA.

PETITION FOR CHARTER.

TO THE HONORABLE A. J. CAMPBELL,  
TREASURER OF THE TERRITORY OF HAWAII.

SIR:-

The petition of the undersigned JONAH K. KALANIANA'OLE, GEORGE H. HUDDY, MAGARAN FERNANDEZ, CARLOS A. LONG JAMES H. BOYD, GEORGE E. SMITHIES, CHARLES H. ROSE and ABRAHAM FERNANDEZ, all of Honolulu, Island and County of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, respectfully represents that they and other persons of Hawaiian Nationality have organized and formed an organisation for the purpose of rendering aid and assistance to each other in case of sickness and to the families of such as may die, and contemplate the purchase of a lot and the erection of a building to facilitate and extend their benevolent operations, and having its principal place of business in said City of Honolulu, and the object for which the same is organized is as follows:-

1. To inculcate the cardinal principles of Friendship, Charity and Benevolence; to provide for Sick and Funeral Benefits; to aid the widows and orphans; and to improve the social and moral conditions of its members.

2. To make By-Laws for the governance of its members now or hereafter to be admitted.

3. To appoint or elect its officers and standing committees, and to hold periodical sessions in said Honolulu for

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the legitimate prosecution of its business according to its By-Laws, with the privilege of organizing, instituting and forming a Supreme Chapter and subordinate or branch Chapters under its rules, regulations and by-laws within said Territory of Hawaii. Provided, however, that such organization and its meetings shall not be used for political purposes.

Wherefore, your petitioners pray that a Charter of Incorporation be granted to them and their associates and successors under the corporate name and style of "HAWAII CHAPTER NO. 1, ORDER OF KAMEHAMEHA."

Whereby, your petitioners and their associates and successors may be made and constituted a body corporate for Fifty Years, dating from the acceptance of its Charter to the end that it may be enabled legally to acquire and hold such real and personal property in its corporate name as may be necessary to carry out its purposes, and may, as such corporation, be enabled to accept such gifts and bequests as may be made to it, and to manage and control the same with all the rights, privileges and immunities which now are or may hereafter be granted by law to such corporations, and with power to have succession by its corporate name for the period named in its Charter; to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded in all Courts of the Territory of Hawaii having jurisdiction; to make and use a corporate seal, and the same to alter or renew at its pleasure; to hold, purchase, convey, rent, lease, or otherwise acquire and dispose of such real or personal property, not exceeding in value at any one time the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, as the purposes of the corporation shall require, and to mortgage the same to secure any debt of the corporation; to appoint such subordinate officers and agents as the affairs, interests or business of the corporation shall, from time to time, require; to make By-Laws not inconsistent



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with the Charter of the Association and any existing law of the Territory of Hawaii, with power to alter and amend the same at pleasure, for the management of its property, the election and removal of its officers and agents, the regulation of its affairs, and the transfer and disposal of its property.

That no shares of Capital Stock are to be issued by the corporation, and that service of legal process upon the President who is known as the Kaukau Alii, Vice-President who is known as the Lau Alii, Secretary who is known as the Kuauhanu or Treasurer for the time being who is known as the Aipuupuu, shall be taken and deemed to be good service upon the corporation; and that notice in writing of the names and places of residence of such officers shall be kept and filed in the office of the Treasurer of said Territory of Hawaii; and that such Charter shall be in the form hereto annexed marked "Exhibit A" and made a part hereof.

Dated at Honolulu, Island  
and County of Oahu, this  
16<sup>th</sup> day of July,  
A. D. 1907.

George H. Huddy ✓

Wagawan Fernandez

Charles A. Long

W. H. Lloyd

G. E. Smith

Charles H. Rose

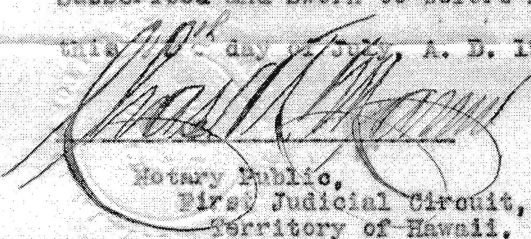
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TERRITORY OF HAWAII, )  
County of Oahu, ) SS:  
District of Honolulu.)

Personally appeared before me JONAH K. KALANIANAOLE,  
who being first duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is one  
of the petitioners hereinabove named, and as such is author-  
ized to make this verification; that he has read the foregoing  
petition and "Exhibit "A" thereto annexed, and knows the con-  
tents thereof, and that the same are true to the best of his  
knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me )  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, A. D. 1907.)

  
Notary Public,  
First Judicial Circuit,  
Territory of Hawaii.



"Exhibit "A"

CHARTER OF INCORPORATION

OF

HAWAII CHAPTER NO. 1,

ORDER OF KAMEHAMEHA.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME;

I, A. J. CAMPBELL,

Treasurer of the Territory of Hawaii,

send GREETING:

W H E R E A S, JONAH K. KALANIANA'OLE, GEORGE H. HUDDY, NAGARAN FERNANDEZ, CARLOS A. LONG, JAMES H. BOYD, GEORGE E. SMITHIES, CHARLES H. ROSE and ABRAHAM FERNANDEZ, all of Honolulu, Island and County of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, have filed in the office of the Treasurer of the Territory of Hawaii, their Petition in writing in form as by law required, praying for a Charter of Incorporation for themselves and their associates and successors as an eleemosynary corporation.

N O W T H E R E F O R E, K N O W Y E, that pursuant to the tenor of said Petition and by virtue of the power in me vested by law, and by and with the consent of the Governor of the Territory of Hawaii, evidenced by his signature hereupon endorsed, I do hereby constitute and appoint the said JONAH K. KALANIANA'OLE, GEORGE H. HUDDY, NAGARAN FERNANDEZ,

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CARLOS A. LONG, JAMES H. BOYD, GEORGE E. SMITHIES, CHARLES H. ROSE and ABRAHAM FERNANDEZ, and their associates and successors a body corporate for charitable and benevolent purposes, and such other purposes incidental thereto and consistent therewith as may mutually benefit its members, under the corporate name of "HAWAII CHAPTER NO. 1, ORDER OF KANEHAMEHA," with all the rights, benefits, privileges, powers and immunities which are now, or may hereafter be secured by law, to incorporated eleemosynary bodies, and subject to all such restrictions, changes, alterations and conditions as may, from time to time, be imposed by law.

Power is hereby conferred upon said corporation to have succession by its corporate name for the period of Fifty Years from the date hereof; to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded in all Courts of the Territory of Hawaii having jurisdiction; to make and use a corporate seal, and the same to alter or renew at its pleasure; to hold, purchase, convey, rent, lease, or otherwise acquire and dispose of such real or personal property, not exceeding in value at any one time the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, as the purposes of the corporation shall require, and to mortgage the same to secure any debt of the corporation; to appoint such subordinate officers and agents as the affairs, interests or business of the corporation shall, from time to time, require; to make By-Laws not inconsistent with this Charter and any existing law of the Territory of Hawaii, with power to alter and amend said By-Laws at pleasure, for the management of its property, the election and removal of its officers and agents, the regulation of its affairs and the transfer and disposal of its property.

There shall at all times be a Grand President who is known as the Aliiaimoku, Retiring President who is known as the



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Mamo Alii, President who is known as the Kaukau Alii, Vice-President who is known as the Lau Alii, Lecturer who is known as the Kakaelelo, Secretary who is known as the Kuauhau, Treasurer who is known as the Aipuupuu, Chaplain who is known as the Kahuna, Marshal who is known as the Kuhilauhupune, Senior Guard who is known as the Pukaua Nui, Junior Guard who is known as the Pukaua Iki, Inner Guard who is known as the Kiai Loko, Kiai Waho who is known as the Outer Guard, and a Board of Trustees consisting of three members, who shall hold office for the period mentioned in the By-Laws of the Corporation, or until their successors shall have been duly elected; and that service of legal process upon the President who is known as the Kaukau Alii, Vice-President who is known as the Lau Alii, Secretary who is known as the Kuauhau, or the Treasurer for the time being who is known as the Aipuupuu, shall be taken and deemed to be legal and sufficient service upon the corporation.

The property of the Corporation shall, at all times, be subject to the payment of its debts and liabilities; provided, however, that the total debts and liabilities of the Corporation, secured and unsecured, are hereby limited to, and shall not at any time exceed in amount, three-fourths of the value of its property, real and personal.

The Treasurer of the Territory of Hawaii shall be kept notified of the names and residences of all officers of the corporation, and a copy of all rules, regulations and by-laws and amendments thereof shall be filed with the Treasurer within fourteen (14) days after their adoption.

No power is granted by this Charter whereby the said Corporation shall issue shares of stock, nor shall it declare dividends of any nature.

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I, A. J. CAMPBELL, Treasurer of the Territory of Hawaii, in compliance with, and by virtue of the power in me vested by law, do hereby grant the foregoing Charter.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do hereunto set my hand and official seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, A. D. 1907.



A. J. Campbell  
Treasurer of the Territory of Hawaii.

I, A. L. C. ATKINSON, Acting Governor of the Territory of Hawaii, do hereby consent to the granting of the foregoing Charter.

A. L. C. Atkinson  
Acting Governor of the  
Territory of Hawaii.