

STATE OF NEW YORK) COUNTY OF ALBANY)

SS.:

I, Richard J. Trautwein, Counsel and Deputy Commissioner for Legal Affairs for the New York State Education Department, hereby certify that Historical Society of Jews from Egypt, located in Brooklyn, county of Kings and State of New York, was incorporated by action of the Board of Regents by the issuance of a provisional charter granted on September 20, 1996; that the period for which such corporation was created is perpetual; that no certificate or order of dissolution of such corporation has been filed or issued; and that such corporation is currently authorized to do business in the State of New York.



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the University of the State of New York and of the State Education Department at the City of Albany, New York on this 13th day of May, 2015.

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Richard J. Trautwein Counsel and Deputy Commissioner For Legal Affairs

HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF JEWS FROM EGYPT Tizku le Shanim Rabbot

Dear Members, Friends, and Supporters;

It's almost 20 years since the formation of the HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF JEWS FROM EGYPT (HSJE). Despite its limited staff and resources, its accomplishments are acknowledged worldwide in many publications, and the media.

In order to expand our activities to the benefit(s) of our local communities, we ask for your active participation to develop any of these approved constitutional committees.

As per ARTICLE IV of the society (HSJE) shall have the following committees

- 1. Archives committee- to collect and maintain using professionally accepted methods, historic records, objects etc.
- 2. **Education committee-** shall recommend maintain, and coordinate religious, and secular policy for all educational and group activities provided for the public.
- 3. Genealogy committee-shall collect and maintain genealogical records of all members.
- 4. **Historic Sites committee-** responsible for establishing the historic validity for sites proposed for marking; for marking historic sites; for arranging tours of the sites.
- 5. **Library committee-** responsible for collecting, cataloging, caring for, arranging, and repairing books, manuscripts, newspapers, other historical and/or contemporary source material.
- 6. **Membership committee** shall keep and maintain the membership books of the society and shall be responsible for the collection of dues and other sums and membership obligation that may be assessed from time to time responsible for membership drives and processing new candidates for membership.
- Museum committee- responsible for collecting, cataloging, cleaning, repairing, and storing historic objects; for arranging museum exhibits, and the correct historic interpretation of these exhibits; for the care and upkeep of museum quarters.
- 8. Program Committee- responsible for arranging suitable programs; for setting time, and date of meetings.
- 9. **Publications committee-** responsible for finding ways and means for publishing joint or individual research studies, newsletter to members, a bulletin, or books, for publicity, for staging multimedia productions.
- 10. **Public relations committee-** shall recommend policy for the community relations, membership programs, and development activities of the society.
- 11. **Rabbinical committee-** shall serve as an arbitrator and advisor to the members, to keep and manage records, and direct and supervise all religious affairs.
- 12. **Research committee-** is to conduct careful search and studious inquiry into the historic record conducted in support of the society's stated purpose in order to bring into light new facts or revise accepted conclusions about past events.
- 13. **Social Services** to work with community agencies, and any other agency that may share for the common benefit of all, in all aspects.
- 14. **Youth committee-** shall in conjunction with the education committee and the approval of the executive committee organize and supervise all youth activities of the society.

If you have any interests to join any of the HSJE's committees, please contact Desire Sakkal or Joseph Mosseri. HSJE NEEDS YOUR VIEWPOINTS AND PARTICIPATION.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF JEWS FROM EGYPT **is an equal opportunity employer** and will not discriminate against any employee or applicant on the basis of age, color, disability, gender, national origin, race, religion, sexual orientation, veteran status, or any classification protected by federal, state, or local law.