

## MEMORANDUM FOR THE "MAYDAN" ASSOCIATION FOR SOCIAL PROMOTION

In the year 2018, in the month of July, on Monday the 23rd in Reggio Calabria (RC), at the legal office, 178 Via Pio XI, the following people were present:

Gianluca Solera, born in Riva del Garda (TN) on 27 July 1966, resident of Florence (FI), postal code 50127, at 8 Via Ippolito Rosellini - National Insurance Number SLRGL-C66L27H330B

Anna Lodeserto, born in Fasano (BR) on 23 January 1979, resident of Rome (RM), postal code 00137, at 17 Via Luciano Zuccoli - National Insurance Number LDSNNA79A-063D508X

Ibhraim Hegatelislam Soliman Soliman, born in Aldakahlia, Egypt (EE) on 23 July 1983, resident of Milan, postal code 20162, at 8 Via Asturie - National Insurance Number HGTBHM83L23Z336W

Maria Lucia Parisi, born in Reggio Calabria (RC) on 30 November 1977, resident of Reggio Calabria, postal code 89133, at 178 Via Pio XI - National Insurance Number PRSMCL-77S70H224N

Francesca Romana Piro, born in Rome on 6 September 1969, resident of Rome, postal code 00198, at 8 Via Rubicone - National Insurance Number PRIFNC69P46H501C

Lisa Iliana Ariemma, born in Toronto, Canada (EE) on 23 December 1966, resident of Meana di Susa (TO), postal code 10050, at 3 Via Campo Castello - National Insurance Number RMMLLN66T23Z401S

Giovanni Serra, born in Cosenza (CS) on 14 May 1964, resident of Cosenza, postal code 87100, at 12 Via Antonio Lanza - National Insurance Number SRRGNN64E14D086L

Debora Del Pistoia, born in Viareggio (LU) on 21 August 1984, resident of Tunisi, Tunisia (EE), postal code 1004, at 10 Via Cremieux, Menzah 1 - National Insurance Number DL-PDBR84M61L833Y

Lidia Lo Schiavo, born in Messina (ME) on 8 August 1970, resident of Messina (ME), postal code 98158, at 34 Via Faro Superiore - National Insurance Number LSCL-DI70M48F158K

who, by mutual accord, agreed and stipulated the following:

ART. 1 - Established between the members present according to D. Lgs. 117/2017, a tertiary sector body in the form of an unregistered association with the following name: MAYDAN - Association for Social Promotion (ASP)

ART. 2 - The ASP has its legal office in: Reggio Calabria at 178 Via Pio XI, postal code 89133

ART. 3 - The Association, solely or primarily, carries out one or more non-profit activities of general interest with civic, solidarity and social benefit objectives as indicated in the list that follows:

1. Organisation and management of cultural, artistic or recreational activities of social relevance, including editorial activities, that promote and disseminate culture and volunteerism and initiatives of general interest according to the following Article (Lett. i Art. 5 dlgs 117/2017);
2. Cooperation promoting development according to Law no. 125 of 11 August 2014, and successive modifications (Lett. n Art. 5 D. Lgs. 117/2017);
3. Promotion of the culture of lawfulness, of peace among peoples, of nonviolence and unarmed self-defence (Lett. v Art. 5 D. Lgs. 117/2017);
4. Promotion and safeguarding of human, civil, social and political rights, as well as the rights of beneficiaries of activities of the general interest, which this present article refers to, promoting equal opportunity and initiatives for mutual support, including time-banking exchanges referred to in Art. 27 of Law no. 53 of 8 March 2000, and solidarity purchasing groups referred to in Art. 1 c. 266 of Law no. 244 of 24 December 2007 (Lett. w Art. 5 D. Lgs. 117/2017).

ART. 4 - The Association has an unlimited duration.

ART. 5 - The Association unites women and men, militants and intellectuals, activists, artists, academics and researchers coming from different social and cultural environments and diverse countries from across the Mediterranean, who are convinced that the Mediterranean is part of their common destiny. After a collective process which began in autumn 2014, and the forum named "Sabir Maydan", started from the grassroots and conceived through a series of events which have concentrated on the concept of transnational citizenship in the Mediterranean, an Association was established with the objective of promoting a network of organisations and actors from civil society and those who work toward a new Mediterranean integration through initiatives of various types and tools that are accessible to citizens.

The Association recognises itself in the collective and participatory writing process of the "Manifesto for Mediterranean Citizenship" launched during the "2017 SabirFest" event. The Manifesto is a charter that expresses principles and values aimed at defining a new concept of citizenship, belonging to the region and aspires to be a regenerative project that inspires actions aimed at facilitating dialogue and debate in the Mediterranean basin to build a space in which the main characteristics are integration, social justice, environmental justice, participatory democracy, social and economic solidarity, peace and mutual understanding. The Association, moreover, intends to convey its work on the Mediterranean to actors and members of civil society in other geographical areas of the

globe such as Latin America.

The Association will have as its guiding principles, considered in detail in the attached Articles of Association and an integral part of the present Memorandum, the following: non-profit, democratic structure, transparent electoral processes, free services furnished by volunteers, sovereignty of the board, predominance of services by volunteers, rights and obligations of members, norms for the devolution of remaining assets in case of dissolution, norms regarding organisation, administration and organisational representation, requisites to admit new members.

ART. 5 Bis - The Association will collaborate with pre-existing events that are inspired by the values of the Association, such as "SabirFest - Festival of Culture and Mediterranean Citizenship (Sicily and Calabria)" - promoting the diffusion of this model in other areas of Italy and Mediterranean countries.

ART. 6 - Those present below, establish that the Board of Directors, for a two-year mandate, will consist of nine members and nominate the following people:

1. Gianluca Solera
2. Anna Lodeserto
3. Ibhram Hegatelislam Soliman Soliman
4. Maria Lucia Parisi
5. Francesca Romana Piro
6. Lisa Iliana Ariemma
7. Giovanni Serra
8. Debora Del Pistoia
9. Lidia Lo Schiavo

Mr. Gianluca Solera and Ms. Anna Lodeserto have been elected as co-Presidents.

The other elected positions are:

- ☐ Mr. Ibhram Hegatelislam Soliman Soliman (Treasurer)
- ☐ Ms. Maria Lucia Parisi (Secretary)

The membership quota for the Association is €30.00 (EUR thirty/00) annually. The quota will be reviewed subsequently subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

ART. 7 - The expenses related to this Memorandum, appendices and human resources are exclusively bared by the Association constituted here.

The first financial year will close 31 December 2018.

This is an integral part of the Articles of Association, defined in 20 articles which follow on a 10-page typewritten document.

Read, signed and undersigned.



















