

Articles of Incorporation of
California School Nutrition Association

Article I – Name

The name of this corporation is California School Nutrition Association

Article II – Purpose

The purposes for which this corporation are formed are:

A. The specific and primary purposes are the betterment, promotion, and education of those involved in school food service programs

B. The general purposes and powers are to have and exercise all rights and powers conferred on non-profit corporations under the laws of California, including the power to contract, rent, buy or sell personal or real property: provided, however, that this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the primary purposes of this corporation.

Article III

This corporation is organized pursuant to the General Nonprofit Corporation Law of the State of California

Article IV – Principal Office

The county in the State of California where the principal office for the transaction of the business of this corporation is to be located in the County of Los Angeles

Article V – Executive Board

The powers of this corporation shall be exercised, its properties controlled, and its affairs conducted by an executive board, as provided in its by-laws. The number of directors of this corporation shall be six, (6). The number of directors herein provided for may be changed by a by-law duly adopted by the members entitled to vote.

Article VI – Bylaws

The authorized number and qualifications of members of the corporation, the different classes of membership, if any, the property, voting and other rights and privileges of members, and their liability to dues and assessments and the method of collection thereof, shall be as set forth in the bylaws

Article VII – Dissolution

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable purposes and no part of the net income or assets to this organization shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof or to the benefit of any private persons. Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets, remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation, shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501©3 of the Internal Revenue Code. If this corporation holds any assets in trust or the corporation is formed for charitable purposes, such assets shall be disposed of in such manner as may be directed by decree of the Superior Court of the County in which the corporation has its principal office, upon petition. Therefore, by the attorney general or by any person concerned in the liquidation, in a proceeding to which the attorney general is a party