

**ASSOCIATION MISSION STATEMENT UNDER THE
NAME “ACTIVE CITIZENS”**



PART I

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 1

Establishment– Appellation – Official Stamp/ Seal

The Association under the appellation of “ACTIVE CITIZENS” is established under all the legal provisions. Its official appellation is followed by the official logo of the association which is essential and attached to the establishment of the association by the following trademark  besides the official appellation as mentioned above.

The Association bears an official stamp/seal which holds the official appellation “ACTIVE CITIZENS OF LARISSA” and the official logo as mentioned above.

Article 2

Base of Operations

The base of operations of the Association is the city of Larissa. This base may change in accordance to the decisions made by the trustees.

The Association may establish official branches or offices both in Greece and abroad.

Article 3

Goals and Basic Principles

The Association aims to outstand as a production cell of ideas and brainstorming, a base of action for the democratic transformation of our society. It will also seek to promote social benefit, the sense of solidarity of citizens and volunteering.

In particular, the Association seeks:

1. to improve the quality of life for the citizens of Larissa
2. to provide update and better information to raise awareness for the activation of the citizens of Larissa to claim their rights
3. to develop environmental awareness and initiate the protecting of the natural environment from any interference
4. to promote activities in order to keep alive the local culture and traditions
5. to raise the social cultural and intellectual standards of the residents in the region of Larissa
6. to develop bonds of friendship, solidarity and creative collaboration on common grounds and goals
7. to support the research, study and promotion of social, economical, intellectual, environmental and general issues of the region of Larissa and its citizens as well as issues related directly or indirectly to the quality their life
8. to contribute through an open dialogue, exchange of ideas, submit realistic proposals and actions to address and solve the problems of our local community
9. to cooperate and develop good relations with the public and private administrative bodies with similar goals and aims
10. to support events, screenings, exhibitions, lectures, workshops which will aim to introduce the audience to the activities of the Association and raise awareness so that citizens become actively involved

11. to promote mutual understanding, cooperation, culture communication and solidarity relations between members of the Association and exchange of experiences and ideas among its members and other associations and organizations at European, national and local level
12. to achieve activation and mobilization of residents and the administrative bodies for all the reported problems with the creation of working groups where there will be reflection and proposals for resolving all problematic topics
13. to pursue the conduction of local referendums on matters of local interest
14. to support the function of think tank workshops on political issues and an open dialogue, which will highlight the most complete and secure operation of our Democratic State.

Basic Fundamental Principles of the Association:

The Association under the appellation “Active Citizens of Larissa” is a nonprofit civil movement, open to the public of Larissa, without social or other discrimination, not linked to any political party, government, state or other body and constitutes a civil point of contact, via which the volunteers who are members of this association aim:

- to inform, raise awareness and get citizens actively involved in daily life topics and how to improve their quality of life
- to highlight issues in a social, economical, ecological and political dimension

By adopting the moto “Together we can do it differently” and through selected actions the Association joins forces to defend the quality of our lives and the services provided by the bodies concerning our life and dignity as human beings.

The Members of the Citizens' Movement are of all business and social background and operate on the *basic principle of liberty, equality and democracy*.

All its members are equal and there is no permanent segregation of duties. The Association is for any sensitive fellow citizens who would like to take part in the initiatives and events of the association.

As member of the Association is considered any citizen who agrees with the general principles of this Mission Statement and thus actively participates in making and executing decisions. Each proposal is deposited into the members of the association and- if approved- a small committee is being established in order to coordinate the further implementation of the action.

Article 4

Tools and Means of Action

The goals of the Association can be pursued by all legal means, in particular:

1. by organizing offices to facilitate the interaction of its members
2. by supporting the conduction of scientific meetings, discussions, lectures, workshops, seminars, symposiums, conferences and excursions
3. by conducting entertainment events, gatherings, dances, performances
4. by issuing a newsletter in print and electronic format and by creating a library
5. by organizing radio and television talk shows
6. by publishing publications, studies, statistical analysis, grants, scholarships, by supporting or managing the social and cultural institutions, structures or bodies, collaborating with organizations and collectives
7. by cooperating with the local and regional authorities, to serve the needs and achieve the objectives of the Association without compromising its independence

8. by participating in collaborative platforms with other cultural institutions, registering in the relevant public records held by the public bodies and initiating the promotion of joint actions and partnerships
9. by making agreements to carry out research or development programs with public bodies, local authorities, governmental or intergovernmental bodies, organizations etc.
10. by developing a website for the Association in order to interact effectively with the citizens, to exchange ideas and opinions and generally to promote its objectives
11. by inviting Greek and foreign scientists, artists, social organizations and non-government associations
12. by regularly briefing its members on issues relating directly or indirectly to local developments
13. by representing its members and associates at the Greek or international authorities and Greek or international organizations
14. by developing public relations among its members and associates with similar or related Greek or international associations or organizations
15. by projecting the point of views and concerns of its members and associates and by pursuing the participation of the Association in preparatory work on the drafting of legislative and regulatory texts related, directly or indirectly, with issues relating to its objectives
16. by encouraging free expression of opinion for its members, pluralism and democratic development and constructive dialogue between citizens and the social, government and trade unions, and the scientific community
17. by creating all necessary logistics to support all of the above means and purposes
18. the Association seeks the consent of members and associates to support its positions, to manage its affairs and undertakes to take into account the views of its members and associates
19. by establishing working groups and committees with specialists concerning labor issues that concern all citizens
20. by appointing a legal team to deal with the study and promotion of issues that arise
21. by organizing product distribution directly from the producers without any intermediaries.

To achieve all of the above objectives and goals, the Association creates and implements programs, activities, where these are necessary, in accordance with the limits specified above. The determination of the place, time and duration of the specific needs of each program and in general of each activity, and their economic is approved by the decision of the Board of Trustees, which may delegate part or all of this responsibility to authorized bodies of the Association .

Article 5

Duration

The duration of the Association is being defined for an indefinite period.

Article 6

Resources of the Association

1. The Resources of the Association are supported by:
 - Donations of its members, associates or third parties, inheritancies, bequests and general financial aid or grants accepted by decision of the Board.
 - From any Income of the Association's activities (such as publications, events, meetings, trips, implementation of projects and studies, conferences, seminars etc.).

- The annual contribution of its members, the amount of which is determined by the Board of Trustees by majority decision.
 - All special contributions established by the General Assembly and the Board of Trustees.
 - Income from the management of the Association's property.
 - Any other income or contribution coming from a legitimate source.
2. The registration fee and the annual fee of the members of the Association are determined each time by the Board of Trustees.
 3. Bequests and donations are accepted with approval of the Board of Trustees. The inheritances, bequests and donations to the Association for a particular purpose will be under special management within the Association's budget, any proceeds will not be used exclusively for the conditions placed by the testator or donor.
 4. Donations, inheritances, bequests, sponsorships or any other benefits that engage the Association to act contrary to its purposes or by which there is intervention in a negative way trying to control the operation of the Association will be declined.
 5. The total revenue of the Association from all sources will be available to serve its purposes.
 6. The managing period of the Association is annual, starting the 1st of January and ending the 31st of December of each year, with the exception of the first year that serves from the Association's establishment and ends the 31st of December of this same year.

Article 7

Legal Books of the Association

1. The Association holds the following legal books:
 - a. Registry Book for the Members of the Association
 - b. Registry Book with the Proceedings of the General Assembly
 - c. Registry Book with the Proceedings of the Board of Trustees
 - d. Cash Book
 - e. Registry of Incoming and Outgoing Documents
 - f. Documents of duplicate receipts of earnings and payment orders.
 - g. Registry Book with the Proceedings of the Audit Committee Meetings
 - h. Registry Book of the Logistics and Assets of the Association
2. The Board of Trustees must ensure regularly the maintenance and updating of the Association's membership registry book, which must contain a) all details of its members and b) register and exit date of membership and all related to its member's decisions at the Board of Trustees or the General Assembly.
3. The Registry Book for the Members of the Association is checked annually.
4. The Board of Trustees decides to keep further legal booking if needed.

PART II

MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION

Article 8

Members

1. The members of the Association are divided into regular, associated, honorary and benefactors. The status of a regular or an associated member is acquired after the Board of Trustees' approval which decides on the request of the applicant, within one month of the submission.

The rights to vote and to be elected are for regular members only if they have met all of the Association's financial obligations.

Regular Members

A regular member may be any native or foreigner individual (over 18 years) by submitting an undersigned request to the Board of Trustees and pay the registration fees and annual subscription, which is defined by the Board of the Association.

The Board shall decide on the acceptance or not during the initial session after the submission of the application. If the Board rejects the application or does not make a decision within one month of the submission, the applicant is entitled to request the General Assembly to take a final decision on appeal for registration.

Honorary Members

The honorary members may be, upon decision of the Board, individuals who receive special recognition for their outstanding contribution in the field of protection of social rights, who are distinguished for their social and scientific activity and contribution and their exceptional scientific knowledge and experience can contribute to achieving the objectives of the Association. Honorary members can be made, except individuals, organizations, non-profit companies, associations and committees of local government bodies.

Honorary members are exempt from the obligation of financial assistance to the Association.

Associate Members

The associate members of the Association are nominated by the Board of Trustees those individuals who want to help in meeting the objectives of the Association with logistical, financial or other offer.

2. All members and partners are entitled to receive information about the work of the Association and to participate actively.

3. The members of the Association upon their registration take note of this Mission Statement and unconditionally accept its terms.

Article 9

Impediments upon Registration and Member Exclusion

It is prohibited for an individual to be registered as a member at the Association who was deprived of his political rights as a consequence of an irrevocable criminal conviction and the during while this deprivation still exists, and who irrevocably sentenced for high treason, murder with intent, espionage, theft, robbery, embezzlement, fraudulent bankruptcy, corruption and venality, rape, forgery, forgery, dishonesty, fraud and extortion. The final conviction of any member of the Association for any of the above offenses lead to the automatic disqualification from membership.

Individuals are not accepted as associated or regular members, if they are already registered they are deleted upon decision of the Board of Trustees, who belong to any organization whose fundamental objectives and action contradicts to the purposes or goals or guidelines of the Association. Upon decision of the Board, individuals who take unfairly public advantages of the status of the Association of State for political, economic or other special interests, are also excluded as members of the Association.

Article 10

Obligations of the Members

1. The members are required to pay an annual contribution to the Association a minimum height of five (5) euros for the regular members. The amount above may vary each year upon the Board's decision, it can not, however, be less than the aforementioned. Failure to pay membership fees for two years entails

the cancellation upon decision of the Board after a written notice to the cashier of the Association and within 15 days of receipt of the letter. However, reenlistment is provided after the payment of the fees.

2. The regular members are obliged:

- to participate at the General Assembly's meetings
- to contribute for achieving the Association's goals and aims
- to comply with the provisions of this Mission Statement, internal regulations and the legal decisions of the Board and General Assembly.

Article 11

Rights of the Members

All members of the Association have equal rights, in accordance to the provisions and subheadings of this Mission Statement. All members are entitled to actively participate at the General.

Article 12

Resignation of the Members

1. The members of the Association Association Members may withdraw their membership by submitting a written resignation addressed to the Board.
2. Resignation must be announced at least three (3) months before the end of the year and applies to the end of this, the resigning member is compelled to pay the full contribution for that year.
3. The resigned members may reenlist by following the procedure laid down in the mission statement for new members and by paying their contributions from the year of resignation until their reenlistment.

Article 13

Member Deletion

1. According to the Board's decision, a member of the Association may be deleted for one of the following reasons:
 - Death
 - Legal Incapacity
 - Extreme cause, including the proven activity that contradicts to the purposes of the Association, offends or discredits this
 - Non payment of the annual fee
2. The Board shall notify the individual of the imminent deletion in a written letter mailed and registered thirty (30) days prior to the decision on this deletion and which invites one to meet the deadline that all overdue financial obligations and / or to comply with the mission statement. After the expiration of the above deadline, the member is deleted from the Association.
3. The provisions of paragraph 2 do not apply in cases of deletion because of death or lose of legal capacity, in which case the Board shall automatically delete the member, after getting the required update.
4. The reenlistment of a deleted member may occur only upon decision of the Board.

PART III

GENERAL ASSEMBLY – ELECTION COMMITTEE

Article 14

General Assembly

The General Assembly consists of the members of the Association, those who have met the financial requirements. The General Assembly is the supreme organ of the Association and decides on any topic and it is not subject to the jurisdiction of another body.

The General Assembly meets regularly once a year and in under special conditions when the Board decides that or when it is requested by the 1/5 of the members with a written request addressed to the Board that includes the topics for discussion. These special meetings of the General Assembly must be convened within 15 days from the date that the request is made.

The invitation to the General Assembly's meeting is being posted in the offices of the Association and sent by regular post or by e-mail (if the member has has registered such personal info) to the members of the Association eight (8) days before the initial date for the meeting and it includes exclusively the place, date and time of the meeting's convening and the agenda.

The General Assembly is in quorum and convenes legitimately at the presence or representation half of the members who have no financial pending issues. If there is no quorum the meeting is convened again after eight days. In the case of the repeating of the meeting, the invitation to members of the Association is being posted at the Association's offices five (5) days prior to the conduction of the meeting, sending extra invitations to the members is not required. The repeat meeting of the General Assembly is taking place validly regardless the number of the members who are present.

Article 15

Procedure at the General Assembly

The General Assembly elects the its committee consisting of the President, the Secretary and a member, at the beginning of the meeting.

All decisions of the General Assembly take place after open vote (nominal or by raising hands), except of the personal or confidence or censure issues for the Board of the Trustees or for the election of the Board members or upon request of 1/3 of the members who are present and follow the procedure of the secret vote.

It is mandatory to include at the daily agenda of the annual regular meeting of the General Assembly, the report of the Board of Trustees and the Audit Committee, and the election of the Board members according to the procedure that is provided in the Article 20 of this mission statement. The General Assembly approves the budget and the report on the Administration.

Article 16

Election Committee

The elections are held by a three-member Election Committee, which is elected by the members who are present at the regular meeting of the General Assembly and it is chaired by the elected President.

The Election Commission takes care of all issues related to the elections, at the end of the procedure it gathers all votes and is designated to announce the successful candidates and their scores. The Electoral Procedure that is being followed is the majority system. The results are being stated at the Registry Book that keeps track of the proceedings.

PART IV

BOARD OF THE TRUSTEES

Article 17

Establishment and Managing period of the Board of Trustees

The Association is ran/managed by the Board of Trustees, which consists of eleven (11) regular members. The Board stays true to the alternation of its members and it will be reorganized every 12 months.

The term in office of the Board, as a formal body, is designated for two years, starting with the annual regular General Assembly's meeting at which elected. Board members is freely re-elected.

On special cases the term in office of the elected Board expires when this mission statement is approved and it is considered as the Boar is automatically resigned and is obliged to convene the first regular General Assembly to elect the permanent Board within two (2) months from the approval of this mission statement.

Article 18

Election Procedure

The Board of Trustees is elected for two years according to the following:

a. Submission and registration of the candidates.

In order to enable the updating on time of the Association's members, the written nominations for the election of the Board are submitted to the President of the outgoing Board of Trustees no later than fifteen (15) days before the date of the annual regular General Assembly.

There may not be candidates who hold any decisive position within any political party or religious organizations.

The nominations are listed in alphabetical order in a single ballot, from which each regular member of the Association selects the candidates by marking a cross next to the name of the candidate they prefer. While the voting procedure exists, each member of the Association has the right to hold a number of crosses, at maximum, as many as the Board positions. The members elected are those who collect the largest number of votes. In case of a tie there is a draw among the candidates who collect the same number of votes. The alternate members participate at the Board procedures with no right to vote and their term in office is set for two years.

If a position of a regular member remains vacant, the position must be filled by the alternate member who collected the most votes in the event of a tie by a draw. The alternate member who is to occupy the position of the regular member has all the rights and obligations and accepts the term in office.

The electoral material is delivered to the Board and it must be kept until the expiration of thirty (30) days to appeal against the elections or until the final decision (if contested).

Article 19

Establishment and Formation of the Board of Trustees- Responsibilities

Right after the election of the Board, its members meet under the responsibility of the first in votes consultant and it is formed into a body thus by secret ballot the Board elects the President, the Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Special Secretary, the Organizing Secretary, Assistant Treasurer the Press and Public Relations Officer and the Controller Hardware and Library.

If the consultant, as referred above, does not convene the Board, the responsibility of convening goes to the next consultant who holds the necessary amount of votes, etc.

The Board is authorized to decide on all matters concerning the administration of the Association and the management of its assets, except those cases which, by law or by this mission statement are under the jurisdiction of the General Assembly.

The Board may decide to authorize members of the Association acting separately or jointly to undertake, withdraw and generally handling deposits of the Association in bank accounts up to the amount that would be determined by the resolution of the Board, signed in duplicate receipts and payment orders and generally pay and collect on behalf of the Association.

Article 20

Meetings- Quorum- Decision making of the Board

The Board is obliged to meet at least once a month regularly and in special cases, whenever it seems necessary upon requested by the Chairman or the written request of five (5) members, and must indicate the topics on the agenda. The Board is at quorum when it is attended by at least six members. The Board decisions are made by a majority of the members who are present. In the case of a draw the vote of the President prevails.

The Board in case of a member who is absent with no special reason in three consecutive meetings may consider that the member has resigned and proceeds to replace the member as described above.

If a member of the Board or the Election Committee, regular or alternate, is a candidate to become a member of the board at the local authorities at any level, is automatically forfeit from any position at the Board or at the Election Committee of the Association and the position is filled by the next alternate in votes and the process of the distribution at the offices is repeated.

All meetings at the Board, both regular or special, are recorded and registered in the book of the Board's proceedings and is signed on the day of the meeting or at the latest before the start of the next meeting. The meetings are open.

Article 21

The President

The President represents the Association before any judicial, administrative, or other Tax Authority before any third person or entity, in all relationships, transactions and events.

The President convenes the meetings of the Board at which he/she presides. He/ she also convenes upon decision of the Board the regular or special meetings of the General Assemblies. The President takes care of the general compliance and implementation of the Internal Regulations of the Association and respects the decisions of the General Assembly and the Board by taking every measure to ensure the interests of the Association even without decision of the Board if the deferral endangers the Association's interests.

The President along with the Treasurer jointly undersign to open, handle and close any of the Association's account at any bank and any amount.

The President is responsible for every action besides the ones that are assigned to any other body of the Association.

Article 22

The Vice President

The Vice President replaces the President in case of his absence or if the president is unable to handle his/her duties, throughout the extent of the rights and duties and takes in as many additional services defined by the Board. The Vice President controls and coordinates the procedure and the activities of the various groups that are attached to the Association and is supplementary to their operation, and informs

the Board on their activities. He/she is responsible for the management of the blood bank of the Association.

When the Vice President is absent, or incapable to perform his duties, the VP replaces the President with another member of the Board designated by the decision of the Board.

Article 23

General Secretary

The Secretary General is the rapporteur and executer of the Board's decisions. He/ she is responsible for the correspondence of the Board of the Association, drafts the proceedings of the Board and the General Assembly, signs along with the President every outgoing document, keeps the register of the members and keeps the seal of the Association.

In case of absence or unavailability, the General Secretary is replaced by the Special Secretary or another member of the Board designated according to decision of the Board.

Article 24

Special Secretary

The Special Secretary replaces the General Secretary in his absence, incapacity, or in case he/she declares unavailability or when he/she requests to be replaced. The Special Secretary assists the General in his/her work and the recording of the proceedings of the of Board's and the General Assembly's. It is stated that for any reason, the Special Secretary is responsible permanently or temporarily part or wholly the General Secretary's duties upon decision of the Board. Thus, he/she manages to carry out all responsibilities and liabilities as defined in the above article 25. In case of absence or unavailability, the Special Secretary is replaced by the Special Secretary or another member of the Board designated according to decision of the Board.

Article 25

Executive Secretary

The Executive Secretary investigates and recommends to the Board any action and activity that can assist with the implementation of the Association's objectives, expanding the Association's relations and taking care of its proper functioning and efficient operation. Recommends to the Board all communications on organizational topics with other movements and associations and implements decisions of the Board. He/ she organizes and schedules the various events (gatherings, meetings, lectures, conferences, missions, etc.). In collaboration with the General Secretary they coordinate the organizational contacts and relations with other movements. In case of absence or unavailability, the Executive Secretary is replaced by the another member of the Board designated according to decision of the Board.

Article 26

The Treasurer

The Treasurer keeps the financial registry books, duplicate receipts according to which the membership fees and miscellaneous revenues of the Association are collected and all bank statements. He/ she delegates some of these jurisdictions to the executive bodies of the Association (eg Accounting), while maintaining responsibility for the financial management of the Association's resources, in accordance with the decisions of the Board.

The Treasurer shall deposit at any bank that the Association holds an account the collected money, with the exception of an amount, which is determined each time by the Board, according to foreseeable

needs. The Treasurer shall keep at the disposal of the Board for control fund whenever it is necessary. The Treasurer shall ensure the regular membership dues and keep the Board updated for the arrears. In case of absence or unavailability, the Treasurer is replaced by the Assistant Treasurer or another member of the Board designated according to decision of the Board.

Article 27

Assistant Treasurer

The assistant treasurer replaces the Treasurer in case of absence, incapacity or inability. It provided that the responsibilities of the Treasurer assigned to the Assistant Treasurer, temporarily or permanently, upon decision of the Board. For the time period that the Treasurer is replaced, the Assistant Treasurer is responsible for the execution of all responsibilities and liabilities as defined in the above article 27. In case of absence or unavailability, the Assistant Treasurer is replaced by another member of the Board designated according to decision of the Board.

Article 28

Press and Public Relations Officer

This individual is the one who takes care of the Association's projection and its various events in the local community.

He/ she implements the decisions of the Board and informs the media about these decisions and also informs the Association's site and groups on social media.

He/ she is responsible to get in contact with the various sponsors of the Association and investigates the market for new sponsors, also takes care of the arrangements for guest hospitality for representatives of other solidarity movements. Organizes in cooperation with the Organizing Secretary interviews and various cultural events. In case of absence or unavailability, the Press and Public Relations Officer is replaced by another member of the Board designated by decision of the Board.

Article 29

Logistics and Library Officer

The Logistics and Library Officer is responsible for the Association's material good condition, maintenance of the equipment and its assets. He/she is responsible for the condition and operation of the library and for the overall facilities owned by or licensed to the Association as well as the material of the Association. He/ she keeps a Registry Book for the Material of the Association and always knows where the products of services are allocated. Supplies the actions with the materials requested by the responsible action leaders by recording their needs.

All kinds of assets of the Association, are not sold/ donated/ rented/ transferred/ allocated for any use to any third party or other Entity or Company or Association or group of people and is used solely for the purposes of this mission statement.

Article 30

Action Group Leaders

For better and more complete success of the Association's main goals and aims, the Board sets up action groups and provides operators of the Actions Groups Leaders of the Association, whose mission of activity is determined each time by decision of the Board:

1. Operation of Action Groups for each sector of the Association upon Board'w decision
2. The person responsible for each Action Group is appointed by the Board and holds the operation of the Group.

3. These groups recommend to the Board through their leader for any issue they are responsible for deciding and implementing specific decisions.
4. The selection of team members, the good operation, coordination and implementation of the decisions are taken by the Leader of the Group. The number of members may not be less than three and in any case it is necessary to form an odd number.
5. All the meetings are disclosed and they are announced by the Leader of the Action Group and they are open to the members of the Association and the citizens of the region with a right to actively participate.
6. The Action Groups of the Association are constituted upon the Board's decisions which approves or rejects them.

PART V OTHER PROVISIONS

Article 31

Regulations

1. The Board decides to establish and maintain regulations about the Association's function and operation of all actions.
2. The approved regulations are notified to the members and is implemented by the Board, the members and the non- members of the Association who participate in the activities.

Article 32

The Audit Committee

The Audit Committee (AC) is elected by the General Assembly along with the Board and its term in the office is determined for two years. All regular members of the Association may participate. The AC is composed of three (3) regular members and three (3) alternate members. These members can not be members of the Board.

The Audit Committee gathers upon decision of the majority of the member on the first meeting in a week's election and they elect the President. The President directs the work, keeps the book with proceedings of its meetings, proposes the annual audit reports to the General Assembly, and is responsible for the overall functioning of the Commission.

The Audit Committee has a quorum and may validly meet when it is represented by two (2) of its members.

The Audit Committee monitors and controls the financial state of the Association and rbrings it at the attention of the General Assembly no later than two (2) months after the end of the financial year.

The audit of the financial management is conducted every year and involves the management control from January 1st until December 31st of the previous year. The Audit Committee examines the books and submits written reports to the General Assembly

The decisions are taken by absolute majority of the members who are present. The member who disagrees may expresses in writing his disagreement. In case of a tie there is a casting vote of the President which prevails.

Article 33

Amendment of the Mission Statement

The mission statement of the Association may be amended upon decision of the regular or the special General Assembly of the Association. In order to decide it is required the presence of ½ of the regular members who meet the financial requirements and the majority of ¾ of those members who are present

at the General Assembly who also meet the financial requirements, according to the provisions of Article 99 of the Greek Civil Code.

Article 34

Dissolution of the Association

The Association can be dissolved by the General Assembly of the Association. In taking that decision it is required the presence of $\frac{1}{2}$ of the regular members who meet the financial requirements of the Association and the majority of $\frac{3}{4}$ of those regular member who present to the General Assembly and who also meet the financial requirements.

In case of dissolution of the Association, the last General Assembly of the Association shall decide on the disposal of property to a non-profit organization, which serves purposes similar to the purposes of the Association.

Article 35

Potency of the Mission Statement

All issues that are not provided by this mission statement is thus regulated by the legislation on Associations according to the Greek Civil Code.

This mission statement, consists of thirty- five (35) articles, and it is read and approved by each article and as a whole by the founding members of the Association, it applies from the registration in the Public Record Books at the County Court of Larissa.

Larissa, 12th of April 2016
The Founding Members