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IN WITNESS WHEREOF. I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of

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Articles of Incorporation Marxists Internet Archive (MIA)

Articles of Incorporation of the under-signed, who are citizens of the United States, desiring to form a Non-Profit Corporation, do hereby certify:

- (I) The name of the corporation is Marxists Internet Archive.
- (ii) The name and address in the state of California of this corporation's initial agent for service of process is: David Walters P.O. Box 1541 Pacifica, CA 94044.
- (III) (a) This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for public purposes.
 (b) The Marxists Internet Archive is organized exclusively for educational and literary purposes, including, for such purposes, the free distribution of information on, or related to, Marxism to the public.
- (IV) (a) The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to public purposes and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to any directors, volunteers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in article III. (b) No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office. (c) This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for public purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3), Internal Revenue Code, (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.
- (V) In the event of the dissolution of the corporation, all information distributed by the Marxists Internet Archive remains in the public domain save for information, where noted, that is redistributed with permission of the copyright holder. In such an event, all assets shall be distributed, by the undersigned, to a public, nonprofit Marxist organization(s).

Brian Basgen, Incorporator

