

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

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FREE MARKET SOCIETY OF CHICAGO  
854 W AINSLIE #A  
CHICAGO, IL 60640

Employer Identification Number:  
36-3900351  
Case Number:  
364187005  
Contact Person:  
L. HALL  
Contact Telephone Number:  
(312) 886-6532  
Accounting Period Ending:  
December 31  
Form 990 Required:  
Yes  
Addendum Applies:  
No

Entered in PCG

1997 - name changed to

~~The Henry Hazlitt Foundation~~

Dear Applicant:

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in section 501(c)(3).

We have further determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code, because you are an organization described in sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).

If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation changes, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. In the case of an amendment to your organizational document or bylaws, please send us a copy of the amended document or bylaws. Also, you should inform us of all changes in your name or address.

As of January 1, 1984, you are liable for taxes under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act (social security taxes) on remuneration of \$100 or more you pay to each of your employees during a calendar year. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Since you are not a private foundation, you are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other Federal taxes, please let us know.

Grantors and contributors may rely on this determination unless the Internal Revenue Service publishes notice to the contrary. However, if you lose your section 509(a)(1) status, a grantor or contributor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act, or the substantial or material change on the part of the organization that resulted in your loss of such status, or if he or she acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would no longer be classified as a section 509(a)(1) organization.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the

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Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of Code sections 2055, 2106, and 2522.

Contribution deductions are allowable to donors only to the extent that their contributions are gifts, with no consideration received. Ticket purchases and similar payments in conjunction with fundraising events may not necessarily qualify as deductible contributions, depending on the circumstances. See Revenue Ruling 67-246, published in Cumulative Bulletin 1967-2, on page 104, which sets forth guidelines regarding the deductibility, as charitable contributions, of payments made by taxpayers for admission to or other participation in fundraising activities for charity.

In the heading of this letter we have indicated whether you must file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax. If Yes is indicated, you are required to file Form 990 only if your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$25,000. However, if you receive a Form 990 package in the mail, please file the return even if you do not exceed the gross receipts test. If you are not required to file, simply attach the label provided, check the box in the heading to indicate that your annual gross receipts are normally \$25,000 or less, and sign the return.

If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. A penalty of \$10 a day is charged when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay. However, the maximum penalty charged cannot exceed \$5,000 or 5 percent of your gross receipts for the year, whichever is less. This penalty may also be charged if a return is not complete, so please be sure your return is complete before you file it.

You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T, Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return. In this letter we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business, as defined in section 513 of the Code.

You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees. If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

If we have indicated in the heading of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

We have sent a copy of this letter to your representative as indicated in

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your power of attorney.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

*Marilyn W. Day*

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District Director

Submit in Duplicate  
mit payment in check or money  
order, payable to "Secretary of  
State."

DO NOT SEND CASH!  
<http://www.sos.state.il.us>

GEORGE H. RYAN  
Secretary of State  
State of Illinois

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT  
under the  
GENERAL NOT FOR PROFIT  
CORPORATION ACT

File #

This Space For Use By Secretary of State	
Date	5-17-97
Filing Fee	\$25.00
Approved	<i>[Signature]</i>

Pursuant to the provisions of "The General Not For Profit Corporation Act of 1986," the undersigned corporation hereby adopts these Articles of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE ONE The name of the corporation is Free Market  
Society of Chicago (Note 1)

ARTICLE TWO The following amendment to the Articles of Incorporation was adopted on April,  
1997 in the manner indicated below ("X" one box only.)

- ☒ By the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors in office, at a meeting of the board of directors, in accordance with Section 110.15. (Note 2)
- ☐ By written consent, signed by all the directors in office, in compliance with Sections 110.15 and 108.45 of this Act. (Note 3)
- ☐ By the members at a meeting of members entitled to vote by the affirmative vote of the members having not less than the minimum number of votes necessary to adopt such amendment, as provided by this Act, the articles of incorporation or the bylaws, in accordance with Section 110.20. (Note 4)
- ☐ By written consent signed by members entitled to vote having not less than the minimum number of votes necessary to adopt such amendment, as provided by this Act, the articles of incorporation, or the bylaws, in compliance with Sections 107.10 and 110.20 of this Act. (Note 5)

(INSERT RESOLUTION)

The Free Market Society of Chicago  
has changed its name to The Henry  
Hazlitt Foundation.

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