

## MEMBERSHIP APPROVAL

Be It Known To All Men

That we, the International Delphic Council, Klaustaler Str. 1, D-13187 Berlin / Germany, the founder and parent organisation of the International Delphic Movement, acting for itself and on behalf of said Delphic Movement, pursuant to the authority contained in Section 12, Paragraph 1, as amended in accordance with Section 22 of the IDC Statutes,

DO HEREBY MAKE, CONSTITUTE AND CONFIRMS

## the Membership Approval of the

# DELPHIC MOVEMENT OF RUSSIA ACTING AS NATIONAL DELPHIC COUNCIL

registered under the Name of DELPHIC MOVEMENT OF RUSSIA in the City of St. Petersburg, Russia on the 4<sup>th</sup> of November 1995 under the No. 219 UR

to exercise all the power and authority necessary, desirable and proper to achieve the objectives set forth in the Mission Statement below, which Statement is an integral part of the Delphic Movement Objectives below.

### **Delphic Movement Objectives**

The Purpose for which the International Delphic Movement was founded is to contribute to friendly and peaceful relations among nations and their citizens by promoting and encouraging friendly, tolerant and respectful relations among the diverse cultures of the world through crosscultural artistic exposure and education. This undertaking is supported by the creation by the International Delphic Council of various unbiased forums for the international promotion and display of national and regional cultures and arts through performances, exhibitions and competitions. Such cultural exchanges result in increased cultural awareness, understanding, and appreciation of humanity's cultural diversity, and encourage ever widening and necessary channels of communication between and among the various cultures of a global society in a shrinking world, to bind humanity together in mutual understanding, respectful, and therefore tolerant, peaceful CO-existence and co-operation.

#### Motivating Forces Behind the International Delphic Movement

- The Recognition that the arts reflect the common ground of our humanity and transcend our cultural differences.
- The Shared Belief that arts education greatly enriches the character and quality of the creative capacity of the individual, thereby enabling the world citizenry to face the challenges of the future with a balanced perspective.
- **The Hope** that through promoting artistic expression on an international level, we can cultivate a deeper respect and understanding of the cultural traditions driving international relations, and thereby become a harmonising influence.

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### **Mission Statement**

The **Delphic Movement of Russia** – thereafter referred as **National Delphic Council** – shall undertake active efforts aimed at the sponsorship, establishment and promotion of Delphic branches, formed at the city, province and/or regional levels within the geographic area of the Russian Federation, with unified or diversified cultural specialities, as the 'grassroots' foundation activity to support the cultural and educational aims of the IDC.

Additionally, the **NATIONAL DELPHIC COUNCIL** shall be authorised to undertake, at his discretion, all form of discussions and negotiations with any parties which, in his opinion, could lead to progress in the above specified activities, and other activities and situations related to the IDC.

In the performance of these duties, the **NATIONAL DELPHIC COUNCIL** shall regularly consult with the Secretary-General of the IDC and report on the progress of his activities. The official operating languages of the IDC are German and English. Translations of this document into other languages are for information purposes only.

The Power and Authority – according to the Statutes, Charter, pending By-Laws and Resolutions of the Executive Board and Session of the IDC – conferred herein shall be unlimited.

*NOW THEREFORE*, I, J. Christian B. Kirsch, duly elected Secretary-General of the International Delphic Council, pursuant to the authority contained in Section 11, Paragraph 11.1 do hereby declare the applicant to be the:

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and admitted for membership in the International Delphic Council as of the date of application, with all rights and obligations appertaining thereto.

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF*, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Official of the International Delphic Council at Berlin / Germany on First of March, Twothousand-five (01.03.2005).

SIGNED BY:

Prof. Divina Bautista

**IDC-President** 

J. Christian B. Kirsch IDC Secretary General