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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION VALLEY-MOUNTAIN REGIONAL CENTER, INC.

FIRST: The name of the corporation is Valley-Mountain Regional Center,

Inc.

SECOND: The purposes for which this corporation is formed are:

(7.) The specific and primary purposes are to operate a nonprofit regional diagnostic, counseling and service center for developmentally disabled persons and their families exclusively for charitable purposes in accordance with the present objectives and provisions of Chapter 3 of Division 25 of the Health and Safety Code and to carry on various other charitable projects for the developmentally disabled and their families, including but not limited to diagnosis, counseling, educational services and public information.

(b) The general purposes and powers are to have and exercise all rights and powers conferred on nonprofit corporations under the laws of California, or which may hereafter be conferred, 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 purpose of this corporation.

THIRD: This corporation is organized as a nonprofit corporation pursuant to the General Nonprofit Corporation Law of the State of California.

FOURTH: The county in this State where the principal office for the transaction of the business of the corporation is located is San Joaquin County.

(a) The number of Directors shall be five until such number shall be changed by an amendment to these articles or by a Bylaw duly adopted by the members.

- (b) The qualifications of the Directors shall be as stated in the Bylaws.
- (c) The names and addresses of the persons who are to act in the capacity of Directors until the selection of their successors are:

Name

Address

Douglas Batz

54 Amador Avenue Altaville, California 95221

Dorothy Cox

3624 Beckwith Road Modesto, California 95351

Lona Crawford

101 McCormick Sonora, California 95370

Virginia Morris

1454 Jackson Gate Road Jackson, California 95642

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Name

## Address

Frances D. Riggs, M.D.

2143 Pennington Court Stockton, California 95207

SIXTH: 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.

SEVENTH: This corporation is not organized, nor shall it be operated, for pecuniary gain or profit, and it does not contemplate the distribution of gains, profits, or dividends to the members thereof, and is organized exclusively for nonprofit charitable purposes. The property, assets, profits, and net income of the corporation are irrevocably dedicated to such nonprofit charitable purposes, and no part of the profits or net income of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of any Director, officer, member, or individual; provided, however, that nothing contained in this paragraph shall be deemed to prevent the corporation's paying a Director, officer, or member for the reasonable value of goods or services durnished by him to the corporation.

EIGHTH: On the winding up and dissolution of this corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the corporation, the remaining assets 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 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and Section 23701 (d) of the Revenue and Taxation Code. If this corporation holds any assets on trust, such assets shall be disposed of in such manner as may be directed by decree of the superior court of the county in which this corporation's principal office is located, on petition therefor by the Attorney General or by any person concerned in the liquidation in proceedings to which the Attorney General is a party.

NINTH: No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation, nor shall this corporation participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, the persons hereinabove named as the first Directors, have executed these Articles of Incorporation on November 19, 20, 23, 27 and 28

Dorothy Cox, Incorporator

Incorporator

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My Commission Expires

Notary Public in and for said County and State of California
Varch 14, 1977

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BERNARD C. BRICH
NOTARY PUBLIC CALIFORNIA
CALAVENAS COUNTY
My commission expires Dec. 16, 1976

Cowdery's Form No. 32—Acknowledgment—General. (C. C. Sec. 1190n)

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN

On this 27th day of November, 1973, before me, Michiko Ryuto, a Notary Public for the State of California, with principal office in San Joaquin County, personally appeared Frances D. Riggs, M.D., known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on the day and year first above written.

Michiko Ryuto, Notary Public



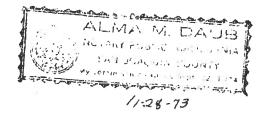
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

County of San Joaquin

On this 28th day of November 1973, before me, Alma Daub, a Notary Public for the State of California, with principal office in San Joaquin County, personally appeared Dorothy Cox, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on the day and year first above written.

Alma Davis, Notar Fublic



## FRANCHISE TAX BOARD

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA 95867

December 12, 1973

In reply refer to E0:JCS:ch

Valley-Mountain Regional Center, Inc. 510 E. Magnolia Street Stockton, CA 95202

Purpose:

Charitable and Educational Corporation

Form of Organization: Accounting Period Ending:

Organization Number:

Gentlemen:

Based on the information submitted and provided your present translations continue unchanged or conform to those proposed in your application, you are exempt from State franchise or income tax under Section 2370ld. Revenue and Taxation Code. Any change in operation, character or purpose of the organization must be reported immediately to this office so that we may determine the effect on your exempt status. Any change of name or address also must be reported.

You are required to file Form 199 (Exempt Organization Annual Information Return) or Form 199B (Exempt Organization Annual Information Statement) on or before the 15th day of the 5th month (4-1/2 months) after the close of your accounting period. See annual instructions with forms for requirements.

You are not required to file state franchise or income tax returns unless you have income subject to the unrelated business income tax under Section 23731 of the Code. In this event, you are required to file Form 109 (Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return) by the 15th day of the 3rd month (2-1/2 months) after the close of your annual accounting period.

Contributions made to you are deductible by donors as provided by Sections 17234 through 17216.2 and 24357 through 24359 of the Code, unless your purpose is testing for Public Safety.

If the organization is incorporating or is a foreign corporation qualifying to do business in California, this approval will expire unless incorporation or qualification is completed within 30 days.

Exemption from federal income or other taxes and other state taxes requires separate applications.

James C. Stewart
Counsel

This letter of excaption is issued on the condition that a federal excaption will be applied for and a copy of the final determination letter is furnished to this office.

cc: Secretary of State (Corp)

cc: Registrar of Charitable Trusts

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I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of \_\_\_\_\_\_ page(s) is a full, true and correct copy of the original record in the custody of the California Secretary of State's office.

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ALEX PADILLA, Secretary of State