ASSOCIATION OF THE BLIND OF CANTON SARAJEVO

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STATUTE

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Based on articles 12. and 14. of the Law on Associations and Foundations (Official Gazette FBiH No. 45/02) and Article 33 of the Statute of the Association of the Blind Citizens of Canton Sarajevo, Assembly of the Association of the Blind Citizens of Canton Sarajevo, on the 9th session held on the 15.12.2014. brings

STATUTE

OF THE ASSOCIATION OF THE BLIND OF CANTON SARAJEVO

I - GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 1

This statute regulates the:

- Name, address and area of the operation of the Association;
- Mission, objectives and activities of the Association;
- Ways of advocating and representing the Association;
- Association Authorities, their responsibilities, the elections and appointing, mandate term, quorum and voting rules;
- Shape and content of the stamp and the seal of the Association;
- Shape and content of the symbol of the Association;
- Acquisition and disposition of assets;
- Way of making the Curriculum, financial plan, report on activities and financial report;
- Procedure for adoption of the Statute, its amendments, and adoption of the other general acts of the Association;
- Conditions and manner of membership, rights and duties of members and termination of membership;
- Conditions and procedures of joining, separation, transformation or the termination of the Association's work;
- Transparency;
- Rules for distributing the remaining assets in case of termination of the Association;
- Other issues of importance for achieving the aims of the Association;

The Association of the Blind of Canton Sarajevo (hereinafter: Association) is free, voluntary-on, non-party, non-governmental, non-profit organization.

II - NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE ASSOCIATION

Article 3

The name of the Association is: "THE ASSOCIATION OF THE BLIND OF CANTON SARAJEVO".

The headquarters of the Association is in Sarajevo, address: Podgaj No. 7.

The Association is a legal entity and performs its activities on Canton Sarajevo.

III - THE SHAPE AND CONTENT OF THE SEAL, SYMBOL AND THE STAMP OF THE ASSOCIATION

Article 4

The Association has a stamp and a seal.

The seal of the Association is of round shape, 30 millimeters in diameter, with the text in the outer circle inscribed in Latin script: "THE ASSOCIATION OF THE BLIND OF CANTON SARAJEVO", in the middle is the Association's symbol.

The symbol of the Association is an open Braille book with both hands on the right side of the book.

The stamp of the Association is of rectangular shape, length 55 mm and 20 mm width, with the same texts as on the seal. In the lower part of the stamp, there is space left for entering data for reception and dispatch of official acts.

IV - ADVOCATING AND REPRESENTING THE ASSOCIATION

Article 5

The Association is advocated and represented by its president, vice president and executive director of the Association.

Article 6

Work in the Association is, by the rule, voluntary based. The Association's Managing board may decide some activities within the Association bodies to be paid or rewarded.

Activities of the Association are social-humanitarian type.

V - MISSION OF THE ASSOCIATION

Article 8

The mission of the Association:

The creation of prerequisites and conditions for social inclusion, equal participation and overall affirmation of the blind and other people with disability in the social community and taking actions with the objective of decreasing and eliminating discrimination and prejudices toward the blind and other people with disability.

VI - OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES OF THE ASSOCIATION

a) Objectives of the Association

Article 9

The objectives of the Association are:

- 1. The rally of the blind people for their organized action and empowerment of their entire status in the community;
- Empowerment and development of conditions for achieving the right of the blind and other
 people with disability in the fields of: education, social protection, healthcare, child
 protection, rehabilitation, employment, retirement-disability insurance, provision of assistive
 devices, access to information, culture, sport etc.
- 3. Development and improvement of the social care and support concerning the blind and other people with disability, for successful and complete satisfaction of their needs as well as the protection of their rights and interests;
- 4. Making contributions to functioning the municipal, city and cantonal bodies, participation in realization of different activities of some other cantonal institutions and organizations by performing the jobs and activities on the basis of legal authorities and other regulations;
- 5. Encouragement of the development of personal integrity and the socialization of the blind and the visually impaired people and other people with disability, by organizing and realizing different activities suitable to their abilities, preferences and needs;
- 6. Encouragement of the material, organizational and human capacities of the Association due to its viability;

b) Activities of the Association

Article 10

In order to achieve the objectives, the Association conducts the necessary activities, particularly:

- 1. Organizes and performs the activities on timely detection and record of the blind and their membership in the Association;
- 2. Lobbies state agencies, state institutions, political parties, NGO's, and other social entities and the international community representatives, for improving and upgrading the legal framework which guarantees a better social and economic position of the blind;
- 3. Organizes and stimulates research and studies on the causes and consequences of blindness and visual impairments, for their prevention;
- 4. Monitors and encourages the development and improvement of protection and rehabilitation of the blind;
- 5. Insists at the relevant departments and institutions, all blind people to be covered by adequate special and integrated education and assists their families on providing proper education;
- 6. Works on the organizing and implementing the basic rehabilitation of the blind;
- 7. Organizes and conducts Braille literacy of the blind;
- 8. Organizes activities with the objectives of upgrading computer literacy and the usage of assistive computer technologies, including the activities considering the creation of conditions for the development of such technologies;
- 9. Organizes different forms of education and training for the blind for an independent life, orientation and mobility;
- 10. Investigates and monitors the employment of the blind and works on stimulating their employment;
- 11. Produces technological assistive devices from the state and abroad, by using provided dedicated funding;
- 12. Works on providing equitable access to information, prints, records and reproduces books, literature, publications, etc., in Braille, large print and recordings;
- 13. Organizes cultural and artistic activities and provides the blind with the information in accessible formats (Braille, large print, or audio recordings);
- 14. Organizes sports events, chess and recreational activities of the blind;
- 15. Assists the blind people on exercising their rights, privileges and benefits that are established by laws and other regulations;
- 16. Establishes cooperation with related organizations and institutions in the country and abroad;
- 17. Organizes the gathering of financial and other resources in the country and abroad for financing the programme activities of the Association;
- 18. Encourages the collection of donations and humanitarian aid on technological and other assistive devices, in the country and abroad or, on the behalf of the Association, accredits these tasks to humanitarian organizations, governmental and non-governmental organizations, individuals, groups of citizens or other organized institutions in the country and abroad;

- 19. Organizes or directly performs certain economic and service activities or establishes commercial entities due to the acquisition of funds for financing the programme activities of the Association;
- 20. Performs other duties of the interest of the blind, in accordance with the law and this statute;

The Association may establish economic and other entities to conduct certain businesses and services in order to acquire funds to finance the Association's basic activities, in accordance with the law. Mutual relationships between the association and entities mentioned in paragraph 1 of this article are more closely determined by contract.

VII - THE ACQUISITION AND DISPORSITION OF ASSETS

a) The Association's assets

Article 12

The assets of the Association consist of:

- 1. Membership fee;
- 2. Voluntary contributions and personal and legal entities' gifts;
- 3. Funds awarded from the budget;
- 4. Incomes from interests, dividends, profits from capital, rents, fees and similar sources of passive incomes;
- 5. Incomes gained by performing economic activities and the earned profit of the economic entities established by the Association;
- 6. Other incomes gained in accordance with the law and the Statute;

b) The rules for the disposition of the rest of the assets in case of termination of the Association

Article 13

Assets owned by the Association are managed by the Association Assembly and Association Managing board..

In case of termination of the Association, its property is handed over to the authority or the organization that takes over conducting the activities of the Association if the Association Assembly does not make a different decision.

If the Association's Assembly does not make the decision concerning the disposition of assets by the day of the Association's removal from the register, Cantonal body will make the decision concerning

the disposition of the remaining assets to another association which is registered in the Canton Sarajevo and which performs the same statute activity.

VIII -RIGHTS, DUTIES AND RESPONISIBILIES OF THE MEMBERS

a) Members of the Association

Article 14

Membership in the Association is voluntary.

Members may be regular, helping and honorary.

b) The conditions and the way of becoming a member

Article 15

Regular members of the Association may be only the blind people who reside in Canton Sarajevo.

A blind person is considered a person with visual impairment on the level determined under the definition of legal blindness prescribed by the competent institution and adopted by the Association Assembly.

Blind persons are classified into categories according to the degree of vision loss.

Supporting members are the citizens who take active participation in the activities of the Association or help the Association in achieving its objectives and tasks.

Supporting members may be legal entities that assist in achieving the objectives of the Association.

Article 16

Beside the application for joining the Association, the regular members are required to submit the finding and opinion of an ophthalmologist in the prescribed form.

Regular and supporting members are issued with identification cards.

Article 17

Regular and supporting members pay a membership fee.

The amount of the annual fee is determined by the Association's Assembly according ot its own decision.

Honorary members are declared the citizens that have a social merit on accomplishing the Association's objectives and tasks.

Honorary members are delivered the Charter.

c) The rights of the regular members

Article 19

The rights of the regular members are:

- To elect and be elected to the Association bodies, unions and associations in which the Association is a member;
- To participate in the decision-making, directly or through their representatives;
- To raise questions of their representatives accountability and recall within the Association bodies, unions and associations in which the Association is a member;
- To seek help from the Association in solving their problems in accordance with the objectives and activities set forth by the statute.

d) Duties and responsibilities of the members

Article 20

The duties and responsibilities of the members are:

- To contribute to the achievement of goals and activities of the Association and to keep the reputation of the Association, as well as the unions and associations in which the Association is a member;
- To work according to the provisions of this statute;
- To perform obligations in accordance with their abilities.

Article 21

The scope of rights and privileges of the regular members that is provided by the Association depends on the degree of vision loss and is defined by the general acts of the Association.

Article 22

For violations of the rights and duties, especially for violations of the Statute provisions and the Association's reputation infringement, the members may be imposed the following measures:

- Written reprimand and expulsion from the Association.
- Measures of the preceding paragraph are primarily imposed by the first instance of the Association - Managing board and the Association Assembly decides about the appeal.
- The decision of the Assembly is final.

e) Termination of the membership

Article 23

The membership in the Association ceases:

- Due to death;
- Withdrawal;
- Removal from the register and
- Exclusion.

Any member may withdraw from the Association according to their liking.

A member is removed from the register if:

- The member changes his or her residence or moves away from the Canton Sarajevo area;
- Joins another association of the blind, except when it comes to the association with specific objectives;
- Pays no dues in a row of two years;
- The member's sight improves to the extent that it cannot be subsumed under the prescribed definition of blindness.

IX - PRINCIPLES OF ORGANIZATION, OPERATION AND ASSOCIATION

Article 24

To achieve the objectives and activities, performing certain tasks and implementing the activities of the Association, sections, tips, clubs, member choirs etc., may be organized.

a) The work and jurisdictions of the Choirs members

Article 25

Member choirs are organized to carry out the elections, take up states on strategic issues, Association activities and development issues and information.

Choirs are convened and managed by the President of the Association.

The election of representatives in the Association Assembly is decided in the member choirs, in one constituency, which is made up of all the municipalities in the Canton Sarajevo area.

The quorum for the choirs meeting where the elections of the Assembly's representatives are done, is 15% of the regular members of the Association.

In case if the quorum from the preceding paragraph did not exist, another member choir is organized, for the Assembly's representatives election, and the quorum for this session to take place is made up of all of the present members of the Association.

The choir in which the elections for the representatives of the Assembly are held, makes the decision according to the majority of votes of the present members, public voting.

Article 26

The basis for electing members into Association bodies is entire Association membership.

The elections of members for all Association bodies is generally conducted by public ballot, unless the body at the meeting decides otherwise.

Association bodies' work and decisions are valid if the session is attended by two thirds of body members.

Decisions of the bodies' sessions are made when the majority of the total number of votes, unless this statute determines a different procedure.

Members of the Association authority respond to the authority they work in and the structures which they were elected by.

b) The mandate term of the Association bodies

Article 27

The Association bodies mandate lasts four years.

c) Termination of the mandate of the Assembly bodies' members

Article 28

Body members' terms cease by recall, removing, resignation and by termination of membership in the Association.

If body members are unable to perform their functions or fail to perform them properly, they can be impeached or deposed before the expiration of the term.

Revocation and replacement of members is conducted according to the procedure following the way of electing.

The resignation is submitted in writing.

New members are elected for the lasting of current mandate.

X - IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ELECTIONS WITHIN THE ASSOCIATION

Article 29

The election in the Association are conducted every four years.

Elections are announced by the Managing board at least two months before the expiry of the mandate.

Elections are organized by the Managing board.

The decision about the criteria for the elections within the Association is made by the Managing board.

The basic criteria for the nomination and selection of candidates are:

- Ability, knowledge, creativity, willingness and ability to work in the Association.
- Each member of the Association may be a candidate for any organ of the Association.
- Candidates of the body may be proposed by the organs and groups consisting of at least 10
 Association members.
- Nominations shall be submitted the Managing board no later than 15 days before the scheduled elections.
- List of candidates to be elected members of the Association bodies and the position of president and vice president are determined by the Association Managing board.
- In the nomination and election of members to the Association bodies, territorial, sexual and national structure of membership should be taken into consideration.

Article 30

If the candidates list consists of more candidates than is necessary to conduct the elections, the elected candidate is considered the one who received the most votes of all body members or the majority of votes of members present at the member choirs.

If none of the proposed candidates receives the required majority of votes in the first round, voting is repeated.

In the second round, voting for two candidates who got the largest number of votes during the first round is conducted.

XI - JOINING, SEPARATION, TRANSFORMATION AND THE TERMINATION OF THE ASSOCIATION'S WORK

Article 31

The Association may join in alliances and other forms of organization, joining, separating and transforming, which is decided, on the proposal of the Managing board, by the Association Assembly, by more than a half majority of the elected representatives within the Association Assembly.

The decision of the termination of the Association's work, on the proposal of the Managing board, is decided by the Association Assembly, by (2/3) more than two thirds of the majority of the elected representatives within the Association Assembly.

XII - ASSOCIATION BODIES

Article 32

The Association bodies are:

- a) The Assembly
- b) The Managing board.

1) The Association Assembly

Article 33

The Association Assembly has 30 mandataries, who are elected at municipalities members choirs and according to the criteria prescribed by the Managing board.

The mandate of the elected Association representatives is verified by the Association Assembly at its constitutive session.

Constitutive session is convened by the Managing board and its work, till electing of a new president, is managed by the president of the Association of current mandate.

a) Jurisdictions of the Association Assembly

Article 34

In exercising its functions, the Association Assembly:

- Adopts the Statute, the Statute amendments and other Statute acts;
- Gives approval to the legal actions taken in the procedure of establishing of the Association;
- Elects and impeaches the President of the Association, Vice President, Managing Board members and unions and other association mandataries;
- Adopts the reports prepared by the Managing Board;
- Decides on joining Unions, merges, separations, transformation, termination and other status changes of the Association;

- Adopts the annual Agenda of the Association, financial plan, a report on the activities and financial operations of the Association;
- Decides about the amount of the annual membership fee for the regular members of the Association;
- Supervises the legality of the Association activities;
- Examines the actualization of the Association activities, the principles of organization and establishes guidelines for long-term orientation and development of the Association;
- Adopts an ordinance granting of rewards and recognitions and other general acts in accordance with this Statute;
- Makes decisions on designation of honorary members;
- Decides in the second instance on appeals against decisions of the Association Managing Board;
- Perform other duties in accordance with the law and this statute;

b) Scheduling of the sessions of the Assembly

Article 35

The Association Assembly meets as needed, at least once a year.

The decision on convening the session of the Association Assembly is made by the Association Managing Board which also determines the draft agenda.

Convening the Association Assembly session, the draft agenda, time and venue of the session are announced as a rule 15 days before the session.

The President of the Association is obliged to convene the Association Assembly sessions, regardless of the Managing Board state, upon half of the Assembly members' or the Executive Director's written request within 15 days from the filing date.

If the President of the Association fails to comply with the requests of the precieding paragraph, the Assembly session is convened by the Association Vice President or Associations Executive Director.

XIII - ADOPTION OF THE FINANCIAL REPORT AND THE REPORT ON THE ASSOCIATION'S WORK

Article 36

The financial report and the report on the Association activities is prepared by the professional service of the Association, and in a form of an adoption proposal is adopted by Association's Managing Board which then sends it to the Association Assembly.

The financial report and the report on the Association activities is adopted by the Association Assembly by the votes of more than a half of the elected representatives of the Association Assembly.

In case the Association Assembly does not adopt the financial report and the report on the Association activities, they are returned to the Managing Board for alterations and new Association Assembly session will take place within 60 days from the filing date.

2) The Association's Managing Board

Article 37

The Association Managing Board is the body of the Association Assembly.

The Association Managing Board consists of 7 members.

The president and the vice president are members of the Association Managing Board by their seniority.

The remaining 5 members of the Association Managing Board are elected among the members elected to the Association Assembly, after the election of the President and Vice President.

a) Jurisdictions of the Managing Board

Article 38

In exercising its function, the Association Managing Board:

- Prepares the Assembly sessions;
- Prepares a draft and determines the Statute proposal and its amendments, and the proposal of the other acts passed by the Assembly;
- Pursues policies, decisions and conclusions of the Assembly;
- Manages the assets of the Association
- Submits the annual or periodic reports on its work to the Assembly adoption;
- Determines the proposals of program and general acts which are adopted by the Association Assembly;
- Establishes rulebooks and other general acts which are not within the competence of the Assembly;
- Determines the proposals of the agenda, financial plan, report on the activities and the Association financial report;
- Appoints and deposes the executive director and decides on the amount of his salary;
- Decides on the admission of regular membership, their expulsion and removal from the membership registry and on the form and content of the identification;
- Initiates activities on systematic procurement of technological assistive devices;
- Creates the Association journals in accessible formats, appoints the chief editor and editorial board;
- Establishes economic and other subjects;
- Appoints its working bodies;

- Decides on the organization of sections, councils and clubs, determines the way of their elections and scope of work;
- Decides on the procurement of fixed assets, which are not under the jurisdiction of the executive director;
- Awards prizes and recognitions in accordance with the Ordinance and Statute;
- Performs other duties in accordance with the law, this Statute and other general acts.

b) Appointing the sessions of the Managing Board

Article 39

The Association Managing Board meets as needed, at least once every three months.

The decision of convening the session of the Association Managing Board is made by the president of the Association who also determines the draft agenda.

President of the Association is obliged to convene The Association Managing Board session, upon a half of Managing Board members' or the Executive Director's written request within 7 days from the filing date.

If the President of the Association fails to comply with the requests of the preceding paragraph, the Managing Board session in convened by the Association vice president or Association executive director.

The Association President in agreement with the Association executive director, in case of emergency, may decide the session to be held electronically.

XIV - THE ASSOCIATON PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Article 40

The president and the vice president of the Association are elected among the Assembly members, for a 4 year term, which may be renewed for another term.

a) Jurisdictions of the Association president

Article 41

- Represents the Association;
- Convenes the Association Assembly and Managing Board sessions and manages their work;
- Signs general and individual acts passed by the Association Assembly and the Managing Board;
- Harmonizes and coordinates the work of the Association bodies;

- In cooperation with the executive director, makes direct contacts and cooperation with state authorities, organizations and other institutions, companies and individuals, in order to ensure the realization of interests and needs of the Association and its members;
- Together with the executive director, prepares materials for the Association bodies' sessions;
- Takes care of applying the Association Statute and of the realization of its members rights;
- Approves bodies members' official trips in the state, in consultation with the Executive Director;
- Performs other duties in accordance with the law, this Statute and other general acts of the Association.

In case of absence or inability of the President of the Association to perform the assigned rule, the president is replaced by the vice president, with all the rights and responsibilities.

XV - EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Article 43

The Managing Board appoints an Executive Director, in accordance with the law and this Statute, for a period of four years, and the appointment can be repeated without termination.

If the executive director cannot be re-appointed or ceases to perform this function due to other reasons, remains unemployed at the Association and is assigned to suitable positions.

Executive Director may be appointed a person who has a university degree, completed social department faculty and 3 year work experience on the same or similar occupation or higher education on social department and five year work experience in the same or similar occupation. Preference is given to the regular Association members who have excelled on organizational work of the Association as well as on the advancement of the protection of the blind.

a) Jurisdiction of the Executive Director

Article 44

The Executive Director:

- Represents the Association;
- Takes care of the defined policy implementation and the implementation of the Association program activities;
- Provides monitoring and studying of the legal and other regulations and directly participates in their creation, collects data and informs members of the forms of protection, of their rights and privileges and provides assistance for their achievement;

- Organizes the processing and preparation of the materials needed by the bodies and provides technical assistance to the bodies and forms of action;
- Participates in the sessions' preparation and is directly involved in the implementation of the decisions and conclusions;
- Brings resolutions according to laws, general acts, decisions and conclusions of the Association bodies;
- Gives orders concerning the Association financial plan;
- Sings financial documents and business correspondence;
- Responsible for the legality of the Association work;
- Cooperates with state agencies and other institutions and organizations for the advancement of all forms of protection of the blind;
- Coordinates the activities of working bodies;
- Participates in the work of the Board without the right to vote;
- Makes contacts and business relations on behalf of the Association;
- Organizes the administrative affairs and manages the work of the Association professional staff;
- Decides on investment maintenance expanses and on acquisition of fixed assets to the value of 30.000,00 KM, annually;
- Decides on the purchase of small inventory and supplies;
- Concludes contracts in connection with the implementation of the Association program activities;
- Concludes contracts on projects realization and makes decisions on expenditure of funds for their implementation;
- Decides on renting office space, equipment and devices of the Association, unless a lease is longer than one month;
- Decides on official travel of Professional staff employees in the country and abroad, for performing necessary tasks for the Association;
- Decides on his/her and Association bodies' members travel within the country and abroad;
- Decides on the use of the passenger car in accordance with the Regulations;
- Works on the acquisition of materials, financial resources and provides conditions for the smooth operation of the Association bodies and its professional staff;
- Decides on admission of supporting members;
- Monitors and provides the realization of the Association financial plan;
- Manages the Association professional staff;
- Decides on the establishment and termination of employment of Association professional staff employees;
- Decides on the rights, obligations and responsibilities of employees;
- Decides on the amount of employee salaries, meals, payments and other rights and benefits arising from employment, and on vocational education and training of employees;
- Decides on the commitment of workers to perform temporary and short-time jobs;
- Decides on performing the activities based on piece of work agreements;
- Responds to the Association Managing board for his/her work;
- Performs other duties in accordance with the law, this Statute and other general acts;

XVI - ASSOCIATION PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Article 45

Professional, financial, administrative and other current affairs are conducted by the Association professional staff in accordance with the law and this Statute.

Number of permanent employees in professional staff is determined by the Managing Board upon the executive director's proposal.

For their work, Association professional staff employees respond to the Association executive director.

XVII - WORK TRANSPARENCY

Article 46

The work of all bodies is public.

The Association work transparency is provided on the members' choirs, bodies' sessions, by submitting materials, through the media and the Association journals and other ways which are in accordance with the law and this Statute.

XVIII - REWARDING AND GIVING RECOGNITIONS

Article 47

Association awarded prizes and recognitions for work over the years, the special merits or on the occasion of significant anniversaries and other events.

The Association may launch an initiative for awarding decorations and other social recognitions to the members and citizens who have merits in pursuing the objectives of the Association.

Highest Association awards are:

- Plaque
- Acknowledgement.

Awards given in the preceding paragraph are given by the Association Managing Board.

Other awards and recognitions, the way of granting and launching the initiative for awarding and other social recognitions are defined by the Rulebook on awarding and giving recognitions.

XIX - PROCEDURE FOR THE STATUTE AMENDMENTS, AND MANDATE AND THE WAY OF DEFINING OTHER GENERAL ACTS

Article 48

The Association Managing Board prepares and defines the Draft of the Association Statute Board, its amendments and submits them to the public hearing, which cannot be shorter than 15 days.

After conducting the public hearing, the Association Managing Board defines the Statute proposal or its amendments and submits it to the Association Assembly for adoption.

The adoption of the Statute or its amendments requires more than a half majority of elected mandataries of the Association Assembly.

Article 49

The initiative for the adoption of a new Association Statute or its amendments can be launched by the Association bodies or at least 30 Association members.

In case the initiative was launched by the Association members, it must be written on paper and signed by at least 30 members.

Article 50

Proposal of general acts within the competence of the Association Assembly are prepared by the Association Managing Board.

XX - TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS

Article 51

For the issues that are not regulated by this Statute, the provisions of the Law on Associations and Foundations in FB&H shall be applied.

General acts of the Association shall be adopted or matched with this Statute within 6 months from the date of adoption of this Statute.

The Association Assembly provides the interpretation of this Statute.

Article 52

This Statute enters into force upon its adoption and will be applied after the certification at the Ministry of Justice and Administration of the Canton Sarajevo, in Sarajevo.

The Association bodies continue their work until the end of their term, in which they were appointed, after which the elections will be held in accordance to this Statute.

Article 54

The coming into force of this Statute repeals the Statute of the Association of the Blind Citizens of Canton Sarajevo, No.: 01-12-1/06 of 27.04.2006.

PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION

/ Senija Okić /

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