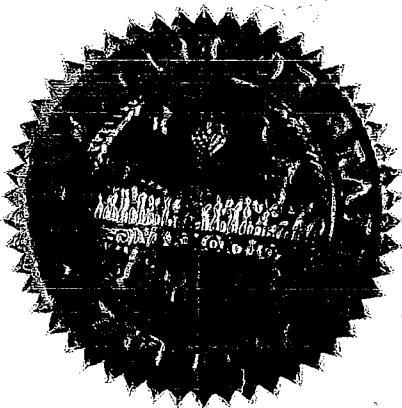




STATE OF VERMONT  
Office of Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I certify that the attached is a true copy of the Articles of Incorporation of  
The North American Association for the Study of Religion, Inc.  
filed with the Office of the Secretary of State on February 23, 19 87.  
The corporate existence shall begin upon the issuance of this Certificate of Incorporation, and this  
Certificate shall be conclusive evidence that all conditions precedent to incorporation required to be  
performed by the incorporators have been complied with and that the corporation has been incorpor-  
ated under the Vermont Non-Profit Corporation Act (11 V.S.A. Chapter 19).



February 23, 1987  
Date

Paul S. Gilhe  
Deputy Secretary of State