



French Connection Academy

Articles of Association

§1 Name and place of residence.

PCS. 1. The name of the association is French Connection Academy

PCS. 2. The place of residence of the association is Denmark

§2 Purpose.

PCS. 1 The Purpose of the association is:

- a. To create more cultural ties and more connection between Denmark and France.
- b. To strengthen the classical music environment in Denmark through high-quality teaching for young international pre-conservatory students and conservatory students.
- c. The aim is to have a majority of professors from France and Denmark (Scandinavia).
- d. All profits go to non-profit and charitable purposes - such as the purchase, with a view to lending, of instruments to young classical musicians.

§3 Membership Circle.

PCS. 1. Anyone who has the desire and willingness to work for the association's purpose is admitted as a member.

PCS. 2. Admission to the association takes place by contacting the board in writing.

PCS. 3. Termination can be done by contacting a board member in writing with effect from the end of a financial year.

PCS. 4. Members pay a fee of DKK 200. The fee is collected in advance of each financial year.

§4 General Assembly.

PCS. 1 The general assembly is the association's highest authority.

PCS. 2. Ordinary general assembly is held once a year before the end of September and is called with at least two weeks' notice.

PCS. 3 Those entitled to attend and vote at the general assembly are all members. You cannot vote by proxy.

PCS. 4. The agenda for the ordinary general assembly must contain at least the following items:

1. Election of tellers
2. Selection of conductor
3. Evaluation
4. Presentation of accounts
5. Processing of received proposals
6. Determining the quota
7. Approval of budget
8. Election of board members

9. Selection of auditor

10. Optionally

PCS. 5. Proposals that are to be dealt with at the general assembly must be in the hands of the board no later than 8 days before the general assembly. Proposals for amendments to the articles of association that are to be dealt with must be in the hands of the board no later than one month before the end of the month in which the ordinary general assembly is to be held.

PCS. 6. The General Assembly takes its decisions by a simple majority (one over half of the validly cast votes) and by a show of hands. However, written voting is used when it is requested by just one meeting participant. In the case of an election, where more than the number to be elected have been proposed, a written vote is always taken. In such elections, the simple majority rule is used.

§5 Extraordinary General Assembly.

PCS. 1. An extraordinary general assembly can be held when the board deems it necessary, and must be held when at least 1/3 of the members make a reasoned request for it in writing to the board. In such cases, the general assembly must be held no later than four weeks after the request has become known to the board.

PCS. 2. The notice period for an extraordinary general assembly is 2 weeks.

§6 The daily management of the association.

PCS. 1. The association's day-to-day management consists of the board consisting of the treasurer and members. The board is elected by the general assembly for a 2-year period.

PCS. 2. The board manages the association in accordance with the present statutes and the resolutions of the general assembly.

PCS. 3. No later than 14 days after new elections to the board, a constituent meeting is held, where the board elects a treasurer and secretary from and among its members. All positions of trust apply until the next general assembly.

PCS. 4. The board also determines its own rules of procedure. It can set up subcommittees and working groups to carry out limited tasks.

§7 Finance, Accounting and Auditing.

PCS. 1. The association's financial year follows the calendar year.

PCS. 2. The board is responsible to the general assembly for the budget and accounts.

PCS. 3. The association's accounts are kept by the treasurer, who also keeps the association's membership register.

PCS. 4. The accounts are audited by an external auditor.

§8 Drawing rules and liabilities

PCS. 1. The association is signed externally by the signature of the chairman and at least one additional board member of the association.

When taking out a loan and when selling/mortgaging real estate, the association is signed by the entire board of directors.

PCS. 2. The association's members do not have any personal liability for the obligations incumbent on the association.

§9 Amendments to the articles of association

PCS. 1. Articles of association can only be amended with a 2/3 majority at a general assembly where the proposed amendment appears on the agenda.

PCS. 2. The changes to the articles of association come into force with effect from the general assembly at which they are adopted.

§10 Resolution

PCS. 1. In the event of dissolution, the association's assets must be used in accordance with the purposes set out in § 2 or for other general purposes. The decision on the specific use of the assets is made by the dissolvable general assembly.

§11 Dating

PCS. 1. Thus adopted at the association's annual general assembly on 19.9.2023.



The conductor's signature
