

ANSHE SVAARD
GALICIA
[MCKEESPORT]

ANSHE SVAARD GALICIA) IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS NO. TWO OF ALLEGHENY
CONG. OF CITY OF MCKEESPORT,) COUNTY, PA.
PENNSYLVANIA) In Re Petition of (Anshes Svard)
CHARTER) Galicla Congregation of the City)
) of McKeesport, Pennsylvania) No. 1177 July
) FOR) Term, 1908.
) A Charter of Incorporation)

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF SAID COURT:

In compliance with the requirements of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, 1874 and the supplements thereto, the undersigned, three at least of whom are citizens of the State of Pennsylvania, having associated themselves together for the purpose of the support of public worship in accordance with the Galician Ritual of the Hebrew Faith and belief, and desiring that they may be incorporated according to law, do hereby certify:

FIRST: Name.

The name of the proposed corporation is Anshes Svard Galicia Congregation of the City of McKeesport, County of Allegheny and State aforesaid, said words, "Svard Anshes Galicia" translated into the English Language mean, "Persons praying according to the Svardish Ritual of the Hebrew Faith."

SECOND: Purpose

Said corporation is formed for the purpose of the support of public worship according to the faith, doctrine, discipline and usages of the Hebrew Faith or Creed in accordance with the Galician Ritual or method of prayer of said creed or faith.

THIRD: Place of Business.

The business of said corporation is to be transacted in the City of McKeesport, in the County of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania.

FOURTH: Existence.

Said Corporation is to exist perpetually.

FIFTH: Officers and Trustees.

The number of officers and trustees of said corporation is fixed at seven, to wit: a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer and three trustees, all together composing the directory of said congregation, the majority of whom shall be lay members and the names and residence of those, who are chosen officers and trustees for the first year are as follows:

NAMES	RESIDENCES
David Shrager, President	McKeesport, Pa.
Samuel Ehrenpreis, Vice President.	" "
J. I. Rubenstein, Treasurer	" "
J. L. Weinbaum, Secretary	" "
E. Weintraub, Trustee	" "
A. Rosen	" "
M. Ghotiner	" "

SIXTH: INCOME

The yearly income of this corporation other than that derived from real estate shall not exceed the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars. This Corporation is to be supported and maintained from voluntary contributions, donations and from monthly dues of Fifty (.50) cents payable by the members thereof. This congregation was organized in November, 1897 for the purpose set forth in the second paragraph of this application, it now has ninety (9) members and has since the time of its organization maintained a place of worship on Market Street, in the City of McKeesport, aforesaid.

SEVENTH: Property

That whosoever any property, real or personal shall hereafter be bequeathed, devised or conveyed to said ecclesiastical corporation, for the use of said church, congregation or religious society for religious worship or sepulture or the maintenance of either; the same shall not be otherwise taken and held or emure than subject to the control and disposition of the lay members of said church, congregation or religious society or such constituted officers or representatives thereof as shall be composed of a majority of the lay members citizens of Pennsylvania, having a controlling power according to the rules, regulations, usages or corporate requirements thereof so far as consistent therewith.

EIGHTH:

This Congregation has already been incorporated by a Charter granted by the Court of Common Pleas No. 2 of Allegheny County, Pa., on Feb'y 19th, 1898 at No. 168 April Term, 1898, said Charter being recorded in Charter Book Vol. 24 Page 233, and it appearing that said original Charter is defective in that the acknowledgement of the subscribers thereto was inadvertently taken by an Alderman instead of a Notary Public or Recorder of Deeds as required by law, this application is therefore made in order to correct said defect and re-chart-er said Congregation.

WITNESS our hands and seals this 15th day of June, A. D. 1908.

J. I. Rubenstein (SEAL)	Sam Ehrenpreis (SEAL)
Frank Feldman (SEAL)	O. Jubelirer (SEAL)
Eugene Goldberg (SEAL)	D. Shrager (SEAL)
	J. L. Weinbaum (SEAL)

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA) Personally appeared Samuel Ehrenpreis, O. Jubelirer, D. Shrager, and J. L. Weinbaum Four (4) members and subscribers to the foregoing application for charter; who being duly sworn according to law, depose and say, that they are duly naturalized citizens of the State of Penn'a.
Sworn to and subscribed) Sam Ehrenpreis
June 15, A. D. 1908.) O. Jubelirer
Israel A. Simon) D. Shrager
(N. P. Seal)) J. L. Weinbaum
Notary Public)

My Commission Expires January 16th, 1909.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA) Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County
COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY)SS personally appeared Sam Ehrenpreis, O. Jubelirer, D. Shrager, J. L. Weinbaum, members of the within named congregation, who are citizens of the State of Pennsylvania and subscribers to the above and foregoing Certificate of Incorporation and in due form of law, acknowledged the same to be their act and deed.
Witness my hand and Official seal this 15th day of June, One Thousand Nine Hundred and eight.

Israel A. Simon (N. P. Seal)
Notary Public

My Commission Expires January 16th, 1909.
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA) J. I. Rubenstein, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is one of the subscribers to the within application for charter and that Samuel Ehrenpreis, O. Jubelirer, D. Shrager and J. L. Weinbaum, four of the persons, who signed and acknowledged said application are citizens of the State of Pennsylvania.
Sworn to and subscribed) J. I. Rubenstein
June 18th, A. D. 1908.)
Harry S. Loughry (N. P. Seal))
Notary Public)
My Commission Expires January 16th, 1911.)

And now, to wit: June 27th, 1908, within Petition presented in open Court and the same is ordered filed and notice thereof to be published Sec. Reg.
Per Curiam.

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D E C R E E

And now this 28th day of July, 1908, within Charter and Certificate of Incorporation having been presented in Open Court, accompanied by due proof of publication of notice of this Court in such cases made and provided, I certify that I have examined and perused the said writing and have found the same to be in proper form and within the purposes named in the first class specified in Section Second of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874 and the supplements thereto, and the same appearing to be lawful and not injurious to the community, I do hereby on motion of J. M. Friedman, Esq., Attorney for petitioners, order and direct that the said Charter of Anshes Svard Galicia Congregation, of the City of McKeesport, Pa., aforesaid, be and the same is hereby approved, and that upon the recording of the same and of this Order, the subscribers thereto and their associates shall be a corporation by the name of Anshes Svard Galicia Congregation of the City of McKeesport, Pa., for the purposes and upon the terms therein stated.

From the Record Robt. S. Frazer,
Wm. B. Kirker (Court Seal) President Judge Court of Common
Pro. Pleas No. 2

Recorded July 30th, 1908.

STALNAKER IRON CO.) TO THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA:
CHARTER) SIR: In compliance with the requirements of an Act of the
) General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled
"An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations,"