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APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION PRESENTED PURSUANT TO ITEM 6 OF THE
GUIDELINES FOR
PARTICIPATION BY CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS
IN OAS ACTIVITIES [CP/RES. 759 (1217/99)]

[Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret y Derechos Humanos A.C]

REVIEW OF THE APPLICATION BY *LAS REINAS CHULAS CABARET Y DERECHOS HUMANOS* A.C. TO BE REGISTERED WITH THE OAS

This document was prepared by the Relations with Civil Society Section of the Secretariat for Access to Rights and Equity to provide information to the member states of the Organization of American States (OAS) on the civil society organization *Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret y Derechos Humanos*.

The information contained in this report is provided pursuant to resolution CP/RES. 759 (1217/99), “Guidelines for the Participation of Civil Society Organizations in OAS Activities.” This document includes a summary and a list of data and documentation presented by *Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret y Derechos Humanos* in accordance with the aforementioned Guidelines.

1. Background

Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret y Derechos Humanos is a non-profit civil organization that was established in Mexico in 2014. Its mission is to generate artistic initiatives that use humor and pleasure to promote a break from corporal, cultural and institutional mores in order to build a more just, pleasant and happy society.

It is a feminist organization of lesbian and bisexual women that works in three core areas: (a) capacity building; (b) development of social projects with innovative methodologies; and (c) political management and advocacy; all with a human-rights and gender-equality perspective.

Its vision is to be a pacesetting feminist activist organization at the national and international level with an avant-garde cultural center that does solid work in the area of political management and advocacy.

The organization believes that inter-institutional work and the possibility of creating alliances partnerships government and civil society is the way to achieve a socially just world without violence and discrimination against the most vulnerable.

Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret y Derechos Humanos derives its funds from donations in cash and in kind from Mexican and foreign corporations, as well as from some government agencies for specific events. It also raises funds through its various activities.

Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret y Derechos Humanos submitted its application to the OAS on June 23, 2020.

2. Name, address, and date of establishment of the CSO

- Name of the organization: *Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret y Derechos Humanos AC*
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- Website: www.lasreinaschulasac.org
- Director General: Luz Elena Aranda Arroyo
- Date established: January 27, 2014

3. Primary areas of activity and contributions that could be of interest to the OAS

Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret and Human Rights has been participating in regular sessions of the OAS General Assembly and in events and public hearings before the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights. It is a member of international networks that work for LGBTI rights.

4. Identification of potential areas of collaboration with the OAS

Las Reinas Chulas Cabaret y Derechos Humanos A.C. proposes to work with the OAS in the following areas:

Continued collaboration with the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights, specifically its Rapporteurship on the Rights of LGBTI Persons, to achieve a region free of violence and discrimination.

Working with the Department of Social Inclusion of the Secretariat for Access to Rights and Equity to ensure the inclusion of all people, without discrimination, in regional agendas.

Following up on implementation of mandates of the Summits of the Americas and resolutions of the OAS General Assembly and Permanent Council; and

Promoting participation by civil society organizations in activities organized by the OAS and registration of civil society organizations in the OAS roster.

5. Documents submitted by the CSO to the OAS

- Application letter to the Secretary General of the OAS
- Articles of Incorporation and Statute
- 2018-2019 Activities Report
- Institutional mission statement
- 2018 financial statements
- Sources of financing