

**United States of America  
State of Ohio  
Office of the Secretary of State**

*I, Jon Husted, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign business entities; that said records show MIDWEST BIODIVERSITY INSTITUTE, INC., an Ohio not for profit corporation, Charter No. 990490, having its principal location in Columbus, County of Franklin, was incorporated on September 02, 1997 and is currently in GOOD STANDING upon the records of this office.*



*Witness my hand and the seal of the  
Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio  
this 30th day of January, A.D. 2013*

*Jon Husted*

Ohio Secretary of State