

TARHEEL LEATHER CLUB, INC. BY-LAWS

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Article I

Name and Purpose

This North Carolina nonprofit corporation, known as "Tarheel Leather Club, Inc.," is hereinafter referred to as "TLC" or "the Corporation". TLC was originally founded as an association of members on April 1, 1990 in Greensboro, North Carolina. On January 31, 2002, TLC was incorporated as a nonprofit corporation under the laws of the State of North Carolina.

The principal purposes of TLC shall be as follows:

- (a) To provide a source of communication and information for compatible and like-minded individuals involved in or actively pursuing an interest in the leather/SM fetish lifestyle.
- (b) To provide a safe atmosphere for growth and support for the leather/SM fetish lifestyle of the individual while nourishing a sense of sister/brotherhood and camaraderie within the organization and the community.
- (c) To provide information to members and the community on the varied safe/sane/consensual expressions of the leather/SM fetish lifestyle.
- (d) To provide information regarding the leather/SM fetish lifestyle to the general community to encourage a more positive attitude of acceptance and to increase awareness of our positions, contributions and potential within the community.

