

## SIETAR BC CONSTITUTION

1. The name of the society is

The International Society for Intercultural Education, Training and Research, British Columbia Chapter.

- 2. The purpose(s) of the society is (are)
- a) The purposes of the society are to promote cooperative interactions and effective communication among peoples of diverse cultures, races and ethnic groups;
- b) to encourage the development and application of knowledge, values and skills which enable effective intercultural interracial and interethnic interactions at the individual, group, organization and community levels;
- c) to promote the goals of the International Society for Intercultural Education, Training and Research in this region;
- d) to raise intercultural awareness at the individual, group, organizational and community level and to celebrate the diverse ethnic origins of the people living in this geographical area;
- e) to encourage and develop knowledge, skills, and values to facilitate intercultural interactions in the community;
- f) to raise awareness of the intercultural professions and support those who practice
- them, providing opportunity for professional development and experience and leadership in the standards of ethical service, as well as social relationships;
- g) to promote cooperative interaction and build a network among members to provide mutual support and exchange of information locally, regionally, nationally and internationally.