#### FOUNDATION

(Law No. 16/2001 dated August 6,2001)

## BY THE GRACE OF GOD ALMIGHTY THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA.

#### Considering:

- a. that foundations in Indonesia have so far been established on the basis of custom in the society because legislation regulating foundations has not been existent yet;
- b. that foundations have grown rapidly in Indonesia with various activities, goals and objectives;
- c. that based on the considerations as meant in letters a and b, as well as in order to guarantee legal certainty and order for ensuring foundations to function in accordance with the goals and objectives on the basis of principles of transparency and accountability to the public, it is necessary to enact a law on foundation.

#### In view of:

Article 5 paragraph (1) and Article 20 paragraph (2) of the Constitution of 1945 as already amended by the Second Amendment to the Constitution of 1945;

With the approval of THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

DECIDES:

To stipulate THE LAW ON FOUNDATION.

## CHAPTER I GENERAL PROVISION Article 1

Referred to in this law as:

- Foundations are statutory bodies consisting of assets separated, and allocated to achieve certain objectives in social, religious and humanitarian fields, which has no member.
- 2. Court is the State Court whose jurisdiction covers domiciles of foundations."
- 3. Prosecutor Office is the Public Prosecutor Office whose jurisdiction covers domiciles of foundations.
- 4. Public accountants are accountants securing licenses to undertake jobs as public accountants.
- 5. Day is working day.
- 6. Minister is the Minister of Justice and Human Rights.

#### Article 2

Every foundation has organs consisting of patrons, executives and supervisors.

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#### Article 3

- (1) A foundation can undertake business activities to support the achievement of its goals and objectives by means of establishing business entities and/or participating in a business entity.
- (2) Every foundation is not allowed to distributed proceeds of business activities to patrons, executives and supervisors.

#### Article 4

Every foundation must have a domicile in the territory of the Republic of Indonesia determined in its article of incorporation.

## Article 5

Assets of a foundation being in the form of both money, goods and other assets which are obtained by the foundation on the basis of this law are prohibited from being transferred or distributed directly and indirectly to patrons, executives and supervisors, employees or other parties having interests in the relevant foundation.

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Every loundation is obliged to pay all costs or expenses spent by elements of the foundation in the framework of executing tasks of the foundation.

#### Article 7

- (1) A foundation can set business entitles whose activities are in accordance with goals and objectives of the foundation.
- (2) A foundation can invest in various business entities having bright prospects with the provision that the total investments are 25% (twenty five percent) of the total value of assets of the foundation at the maximum.
- (3) Patrons, executives and supervisors of a foundation are prohibited from holding double positions as members of boards of executive directors or executives and members of Boards of Directors or Supervisors of the business entities as meant in paragraphs (1) and (2).

#### Article 8

Business activities of the business entities as meant in Article 7 paragraph (1) must be in accordance with goals and objectives of the foundation and do not contravene public order, decency and/or laws in force.

#### CHAPTER II ESTABLISHMENT Article 9

(1) A foundation can be established by one person or more by means of setting aside part of assets of its founder/ founders, as an initial asset.

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#### Article 13

reasons, in writing to the relevant applicants along with their Minister must notify the rejection of the endorsement meant in Article 12 paragraph (1) is rejected, the (1) In the case of applications for the endorsement as

nical directives. accordance with provisions in this law and/or its tech-(1) are that the submitted applications are not in (2) The reasons for the rejection as meant in paragraph

#### Article 14

- (2) The article of association at least contains: tion and other information deemed necessary. (1) An deed of incorporation contains article of associa-
- b. goals and objectives as well as activities to achieve a. name and domicile;
- the goals and objectives;
- d. the total of initial assets separated from personal c. period of establishment;
- f. procedures for the appointment, relief and replacee. method of acquisition and use of assets; assets of founders in the form of money or things;
- 9. rights and obligations of patrons, executives and ment of patrons, executives and supervisors;
- elements; h. procedures for organizing meeting of foundation supervisors;
- i. merger and dissolution of the foundation; provisions on the amendment to the article of asso-
- dissolution. or distribution of assets of the foundation after the k. the use of assets being the remainder of liquidation
- executives and supervisors. of birth, as well as citizenship of founders, patrons, tains at least names, addresses, Jobs, place and date (3) The other information as mean; in paragraph (1) con-
- d is stipulated by a government regulation. assets of the founders as meant in paragraph (2) letter (5) The minimum of initial assets separated from personal

#### Article 15

- (S) The name of foundation must be preceded by word b. contravening public order and/or decency. a. already used legitimately by other foundations; or semen so to bewolfs for all notabluors A(1)
- the word "wakat" can be supplemented after the word wakar (property donated for religious/community use), (3) In the case of assets of the foundation coming from "Foundation".
- ther stipulated by a government regulation. (4) Provisions on the use of name of foundation are fur-"Foundation".
- unspecified period stipulated in the article of associa-(1)A foundation can be established for a specified or Article 16

graph (1) is done by a notatial deed and the deed is -stabilishment of the foundation as meant in para-

letter. (E) A foundation can be set up on the basis of a testament made out in the Indonesian language.

in paragraph (2) is stipulated by a government regula-(4) The cost of making out of the notarial deed as meant

government regulation. establishment of the foundation are stipulated by a with foreigners, requirements and procedures for the (1) being established by foreigners or in cooperation (2) In the case of the foundation as meant in paragraph

#### ... Article 10

basis of power of attorney. tounders can be represented by other people on the (1) In making out the notarial deed of a foundation,

basis of a testament letter, the testament recipient acts (2) In the case of a foundation being established on the

reciplents of the relevant testament to implement the from interesting parties, the Court can order heirs or graph (2) being not implemented, based on a request (3) In the case of the testament letter as meant in parato represent the grantor of the testament.

#### Article 11

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Article 9 obtain endorsement from the Minister. the deed of incorporation of foundations as meant in (1) Foundations securing status of statutory bodies after

whose working areas cover domiciles of the relevant Justice and Human Rights on behalf of the Minister, ecuted by Heads of Regional Offices of the Ministry of incorporation of foundations as statutory bodies is ex-(2) The authority of the Minister to endorse the deed of

institutions concerned. meant in paragraph (2) can ask considerations from Offices of the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights as (3) In granting the endorsement, Heads of Regional

#### Article 12

proxies by submitting written applications to the Minisin Article 11 paragraph (1) is filed by founders or their (1) The endorsement of the deed of incorporation as meant

ceipt of complete applications. not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of re-(S) The endorsement as meant in paragraph (1) is granted

or not given in a period of: paragraph (3) being needed, the endorsement is given (3) In the case of the considerations as meant in Article 1.1

derations from institutions concerned; or of receipt of answers of the requests for consia. not later than 14 (fourteen) days as from the date

concerned are not accepted. answers of requests for considerations to institutions b. after 30 (thirty) days, starting from the date when

(2) In the case of the foundation being set up for a specified period, executives can submit applications for the extension of period of the establishment to the Minister not later than one year before the expiration of period of establishment of the foundation.

# CHAPTER III CHANGE IN ARTICLE OF ASSOCIATION Article 17

The article of association is changeable, except goals and objectives of the foundation.

#### Article 18

- (1) Any change in the article of association only can be done on the basis of a decision of patron meeting.
- (2) The patron meeting as meant in paragraph (1) only can be done if 2/3 (two thirds) of the total patrons are present.
- (3) The change in the article of association as meant in paragraph (1) is done by a notarial deed and it is made in the Indonesian language.

#### Article 19

- (1) The decision of the patron meeting as meant in Article 18 paragraph (1) is stipulated on the basis of deliberation to achieve consensus.
- (2) In the case of the decision of the meeting on the basis of deliberation to achieve consensus as meant in paragraph (1) falling to achieve, the decision is stipulated on the basis of approval of at least 2/3 (two thirds) of the total members who are present.

#### Article 20

- (1) In the case of the quorum as meant in Article 19 paragraph (2) falling to achieve, the second patron meeting can be organized fastest 3 (three) days as from the date of execution of the first patron meeting.
- (2) The second patron meeting as meant in paragraph (1) is legitimate if (1/2) a half of the total patrons are present.
- (3) Any decision of the second patron meeting is legitimate if it is made on the basis of the approval of majority votes of the total patrons who are present.

#### Article 21

- (1) Any change in the article of association covering name and activities of a foundation must secure approval of the Minister.
- (2) Any change in the article of association with regard to other matters is sufficient to notify to the Minister.

#### Article 22

The provisions as meant in Articles 11 and 12 are also effective mutatis mutandis for applications for the change in the article of association, the granting of approval or the rejection of the article of association.

#### Article 23

The change in the article of association cannot be done when a foundation is declared bankrupt, unless curator approves.

#### CHAPTER IV ANNOUNCEMENT Article 24

- (1) The article of association of a foundation already endorsed as a statutory body or the change in the article of association already approved must be announced in Supplement to Statute Book of the Republic of Indonesia.
- (2) An application for the announcement as meant in paragraph (1) is submitted by executives of the foundation or their proxies to the State-owned Printing Company of the Republic of Indonesia not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of endorsement of deed of incorporation of the foundation or the date of approval of change in the article of association.

#### Article 25

As long as the announcement as meant in Article 24 is not yet done, executives of the foundation share responsibility for all losses of the foundation.

#### CHAPTER V ASSETS Article 26

- (1) Assets of a foundation come from assets separated in the form of money or goods.
- (2) In addition to the assets as meant in paragraph (1), assets of the foundation can be obtained from:
  - a. donations or assistance which is not binding;
  - b. wakaf (property donated for religious/community use);
  - c. grants:
  - d. testament grants; and
  - e. other sources not contravening the article of association of the foundation and/or laws in force.
- (3) In the case of assets of a foundation coming from wakaf, provisions of law on wakaf apply.
- (3) The assets of the foundation as meant in paragraphs (1) and (2) are used for achieving goals and objectives of the foundation.

#### Article 27

- (1) In certain cases, the state can give assistance to foundations.
- (2) Provisions on requirements and procedures for the state assistance as meant in paragraph (1) are further stipulated by a government regulation.

CHAPTER IV
ORGANS OF FOUNDATION
Part One
Patron

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Article 28 . . .

(2) The composition of executives at least consists of:

a. a chairman;

c. a treasurer. b. a secretary; and

on a decision of the patron meeting, the executives to the foundation when they execute their tasks, based (S) committing actions that patrons consider harmful (3) In the case of the executives as meant in paragraph

are stipulated in the article of association. appointment and relief, and replacement of executives (4) Provisions on the composition and procedures for the can be relleved before their tenure ends.

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date of replacement of executives of the foundation. conveyed not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the (1) The notification as meant in paragraph (1) must be in writing to the Minister and institutions concerned. foundation, patrons are obliged to convey notification (1)In the case of the replacement of executives of a

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Prosecutor Office in this case representing the public confidud et relevant executives or a request of the Public sions in the article of association, based on an application ene of executives being not in accordance with provi-In the case of the appointment, relief and replace: PE 9lbithA " "

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objectives of the foundation. tion, in a full sense of responsibility in interests and for (2) Every executive must execute tasks with good inten-

executives can appoint and relieve executors of foun-(3) In executing the tasks as meant in paragraph (2),

activities are regulated in the article of association of appointment and relief of executors of foundation (4) Provisions on the requirements and procedures for the dation activities.

the case of the relevant person is not according to pro-(2) Every executive holds full responsibility personally, in the foundation.

third party. tasks, which inflicts a loss on the foundation or the visions of the article of association in executing his/her

tion, in the case of: (1) Executives are not authorized to represent a founda-Article 36

> (2) The authority as meant in paragraph (1) covers: this law or the article of association. which is not delegated to executives or supervisors by (1) Patron is an organ of a foundation having authority Fiticle 28:

b. appointment and relief of executives and supervia. decision on the change in the article of association;

basis of the article of association of the foundation; c. stipulation of general policies of a foundation on the c . . . sios

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e. stipulation of decision on the merger or dissolution

patron meeting are considered having high dedication and/or those who are according to a decision of the notablinot a to are foundation as a foundation (3) Who can be appointed as the patrons as meant in para-See Onto the of a:foundation, a "

are obliged to convene a joint meeting to appoint from the date of vacancy, executives and supervisors of whatever reasons, not later than 30 (thirty) days as (4) In the case of a foundation having no patron because to achieve goals and objectives.

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etticle: of ; association. .... tion according to the provisions in this law and/or the

errons are not allowed to hold double positions Article 29

Article 30 as executives and/or supervisors.

and obligations of the foundation in the past year as (2) At the annual meeting, patrons evaluate assets, rights (1) Patrons convene a meeting at least once in one year.

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(1) Executive is an organ of foundation executing the Article 31 Executive

capable of executing legal actions. (X) Who can be appointed as executives are individuals governing activities of the foundation.

pations or supervisors, (3) Executives are not allowed to hold double positions as

period of 5 (five) years and can be reappointed for on the basis of a decision, of the patron meeting for a (1) Executives of a, foundation are appointed by patrons Article 32

another term.

- a. the occurrence of a case in the court between the foundation and the relevant executives; or
- b. the relevant executives having interests which contravene interests of the foundation.
- (2) In the case of the occurrence of the conditions as meant in paragraph (1), who are rightful to represent the foundation are stipulated in the article of association.

#### Article 37

- (1) Executives are not authorized:
  - a. to bind the foundation as a debt guarantor;
  - b. to transfer assets of the foundation, unless patrons
  - c. to burden assets of the foundation for interests of cother parties.
- (2) The article of association can restrict the authority of  $_{\rm HI}$  executives in undertaking legal actions for and on behalf of the foundation.

- (1) Executives are prohibited from making any agreement with organizations affiliated to the foundation, patrons, executives and/or supervisors of the foundation or
- (2) The prohibition as meant in paragraph (1) is not effec-.... tive in the case of the agreement being beneficial for ..... the achievement of goals and objectives of the foundation.

#### Article 39

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- (1) In the case of the bankruptcy occurring due to mistakes or negligence of executives and assets of the foundation being not sufficient to cover the loss arising from the bankruptcy, every executive share responsibility for the loss.
- (2) Executives who can prove that the bankruptcy does not result from their mistakes or negligence do not share responsibility for the loss as meant in paragraph (1).
- (3) Executives declared guilty for governing a foundation that inflicts a loss on the foundation, the public and state on the basis of a decision of the court, cannot be appointed as executives of whatever foundations for a period of 5 (five) years, starting from the date when the decision secures permanent legal power.

#### Part Three :Supervisor Article 40

- (1) Supervisor is an organ of a foundation having the task of supervising and giving advice to executives in undertaking activities of a foundation.
- (2)A foundation has at least one supervisor whose authority, tasks and responsibility are regulated in the article of association.

- (3) Who can be appointed as supervisors are individuals capable of undertaking legal actions.
- (4) Supervisors are not allowed to hold double positions as patrons and executives.

#### Article 41

- (1) A supervisor of a foundation is appointed and can be relieved any time on the basis of a decision of the patron meeting.
- (2) In the case of the appointment, relief and replacement of supervisors being not in accordance with provisions in the article of association, based on an application from the relevant executives or a request of the Public Prosecutor Office in this case representing the public interest, the Court can nullify the appointment, relief or replacement.

Article 42 Supervisors must have good intention and a full sense of responsibility in executing their tasks in interests of their foundations.

#### Article 43

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- (1) Supervisors can relieve provisionally executives by mentioning reasons.
- (2) The provisional relief as meant in paragraph (1) must be reported in writing to patrons not later than 7 (seven) days as from the date of the provisional relief.  $\psi_{i}$
- (3) In the period of 7 (seven) days as: from: the date of receipt of the report, patrons are obliged to summon the relevant executives to be given opportunity for defending themselves.
- (4) Not later than 7 (seven) days as from the date of the self-defense as meant in paragraph (3), patrons are obliged: The transfer of
  - a. to revoke the decision on the provisional relief; or b. to relieve the relevant executives.
- (5) In the case of patrons not executing the provisions as meant in paragraphs (3) and (4), the provisional relief is declared null and void legally. and the second of the second of the second

#### Article 44

- (1) Supervisors of a foundation are appointed by patrons on the basis of a decision of the patron meeting for a period of 5 (five) years and can be reappointed for another term of tenure.
- (2) Provisions on the composition, procedures for the appointment, relief and replacement of supervisors are regulated in the article of association.

#### Article 45

- (1)In the case of the replacement of supervisors of a foundation, patrons are obliged to convey notification in writing to the Minister and institutions concerned.
- (2) The notification as meant in paragraph (1) must be conveyed not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of replacement of supervisors of the foundation.

executives or supervisors must mention their reasons the report as meant in paragraph (1), the relevant (2) In the vase of executives or supervisors not signing

the patron meeting. (3) The report as meant in paragraph (1) is approved by in writing.

#### Article 51

share responsibility for the inflicted parties. being untrue and misleading, executives and supervisors In the case of documents on the annual report

#### Article 52

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other parties amounting to Rp 500,000,000.00 (five a. receiving state assistance, overseas assistance or daily newspaper, in the case of the foundation:

(3) The foundation as meant in paragraph (2) must be 20,000,000,000,000 (twenty billion ruplahs) or more. b. having assets outside wakar amounting to Rp. hundred million rupiahs) or more; or

relevant foundation with a copy made available to the meant in paragraph (3) are conveyed to patrons of the (4) Results of sudit of financial report of the fouridation as audited by a public accountant.

financial accountancy standards in force. in paragraph (1) ins formulated in accordance with the (S) The model of the summary of financial report as meant Minister and institutions concerned.

#### Article 55 INVESTIGATION INTO FOUNDATION CHAPTER III

foundation being suspected: information can be done, in the case of organs of the (1) Investigation into a foundation to obtain data or

a. to commit actions violating the law or contravening

b. to be negligent in executing their tasks; the article of association;

tion, or the third party; or c. to commit actions inflicting a loss on the founda-

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activities of their foundations. tion as well as other matters connected with business writings containing information on rights and obliga-(1) Executives are obliged to make and keep records or

administration. of bookkeeping and supporting data on financial documents of their foundations in the form of evidence (1), executives are obliged to make and keep financial (S) in addition to the obligation as meant in paragraph

#### Phticle 49

contain at least: are obliged to prepare annual reports in writing which sure of the accounting year of a foundation, executives (1) Not later than 5 (five) months as from the date of clo-

tions in the past accounting year as well as results a. report on conditions and activities of their founda-

tles, report on cash flow and records of financial position at the end of the period, report on activib. financial report consisting of report on financial already achieved;

annual report. foundation, the transaction must be mentioned in the other party that cause rights and obligations to the (2) In the case of a foundation making a transaction with report.

tives and supervisors in accordance with provisions in (1) The report as meant in Article 49 is signed by execu-Article 50

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the article of association.

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#### Article 54

(1) The Court can reject or approve the application for the investigation as meant in Article 53 paragraph (2).

- (2) In the case of the Court ruling in favor of the application for investigation into the foundation, the Court issues a stipulation for the investigation and appoint at least 3 (three) experts as auditors to carry out the investigation.
- (3) Patrons, executives and supervisors as well as executors of activities or employees of the foundation can not be appointed to become the auditors as meant in paragraph (2).

#### Article 55

- (1) Auditors are authorized to examine all documents and assets of the foundation in interests of the investiga-
- (2) Patrons, executives and supervisors as well as executors of activities and employees of the foundation are obliged to give information needed for the implementation of the investigation.
- (3) Auditors are prohibited from announcing or notifying results of their investigation to other parties.

#### Article 56

- (1) Auditors are obliged to convey a report on results of the investigation already executed to the Chairman of the Court where the foundation is domiciled not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of completion of the investigation.
- (2) The Chairman of the Court gives a copy of the report on the results of the investigation as meant in paragraph (1) to applicant or the public prosecutor office and the relevant foundation. . .

#### CHAPTER IX MERGER Article 57

- (1) Legal action being the merger of foundations can be done by merging one or more foundations with another foundation and causes the merging foundation to dissolve.
- (2) The merger of the foundations as meant in paragraph (10 can be done by observing:
  - a. Inability of foundations to undertake business activities without the support of other foundations;
  - b. foundations accepting the merger and merging their businesses of the same kind; or
  - c. the merging foundations have never committed actions contravening their articles of association, public order and decency.

- (3) Proposal for the merger of foundations can be conveyed by executives to patrons.
- (4) The merger of foundations only can be done on the basis of a decision of the patron meeting attended by at least 3/4 (three fourth) of the total patron members and approved by at least 3/4 (three fourth) of the total patron members that are present.

#### Article 58

- (1) Executives or the respective foundations that will merge and accept the merger formulates proposals for the merger plan.
- (2) The proposals for the merger plan as meant in paragraph (1) are contained in draft deeds of merger by executives of foundations that will merge and accept the merger.

#### Article 59

Executives of the foundation resulting from the merger are obliged to announce results of life merger in an Indonesian-language daily newspaper not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of completion of the merger.

#### Article 60

- (1) The draft deed of the merger of foundations and draft amendment to articles of association of foundations accepting the merger must be conveyed to the Minister to secure approval.
- (2) The approval as meant in paragraph (1) is granted not later than 60 (sixty) days as from the date of receipt of the application.
- (3) In the case of the application being rejected, the rejection must be notified to the applicant in writing along with its reasons in the period as meant in paragraph (3).

#### Article 61 :

Provisions on procedures for the merger of foundations are further stipulated by a government regulation.

#### CHAPTER X DISSOLUTION Article 62

- A foundation dissolves because of: a. the expiration of the period stipulated in its article of association;
- b. the accomplishment or failure to achieve the objectives of the foundation stipulated in its article of association;

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- :. a decision of the Court already securing permanent legal power on the basis of the following reasons:
  - 1) the foundation violates public order and decency;
  - 2) the foundation is unable to repay its debts after being declared bankrupt; or
  - 3) assets of the foundation are not sufficient to settle its debts after the bankrupt declaration is revoked. Shows Same

Article 63 : (1) In the case of a foundation dissolving because of the reasons as meant in Article 62 letters a and b, patrons appoint liquidators to settle assets of the foundation.

(2) In the case of no liquidator being appointed, executives act as liquidators.

(3) In the case of a foundation dissolving, the foundation cannot take legal action, except to settle its assets in the liquidation process.

(4) In the case of a foundation being in the course of the liquidation process, all outgoing letters are attached by phrase "in liquidation" behind the name of the foundation" 1,632.00 30 dation.

Article 64
(1) If a foundation dissolves because a decision of the Court, the Courts also appoint liquidators.

(2) If a foundation dissolves because of bankruptcy, laws in force in the bankruptcy field apply.

(3) Provisions on the appointment, assignment, provisional relief, relief of authority, obligations, tasks and responsibility as well as supervision over executives also apply to liquidators. To be the first the second of the second

Article 65 Liquidators or curators appointed to settle assets of a foundation which dissolves or is dissolved are obliged to announce the dissolution and the liquidation of the foundation in an Indonesian language daily newspaper not later than 5 (five) days as from the date of the appointment. no the first the gar the state of the will be to the

11. 11. 11. Article,66 : Liquidators or curators are obliged to announce results of the liquidation in an Indonesian language daily newspaper not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of termination of the liquidation process.

#### Article 67

(1) Liquidators or curators are obliged to report the dissolution of the foundation to patrons not later than / (seven) days as from the date of expiration of the liquidation

(2) In the case of the report on the dissolution of the foundation as meant in paragraph (1) and the announcement of results of the liquidation as meant in Article being not made, the dissolution of the foundation is not effective for the third party.

#### Article 68

(1) The remaining assets resulting from the liquidation are given to another foundation having the same goals and objectives as the dissolving foundation.

(2) If the remainder of assets resulting from the liquidation is not given up to the other foundation having the same goals and objectives as meant in paragraph (1), the remaining assets are given up to the state and they are used in accordance with the goals and objectives of the foundation.

### CHAPTER XI FOREIGN FOUNDATION

- Article 69 (1) Foreign foundations which are not Indonesian statutory bodies can undertake their activities in the territory of the Republic of Indonesia, unless the activities of the foundations harm the Indonesian people, nation and country to the second of t
- (2) Provisions on requirements and procedures for the foundations as meant in paragraph (1) are regulated by a government regulation. by a government regulation.

# CHAPTER XII CRIMINAL PROVISION

## Article 70

المراجعة ا المراجعة ال المراجعة ا (1) Every member of foundation organs violating the provision as meant in Article 5 is sentenced to imprisonment of 5 (five) years.

(2) In addition to the imprisonment, the member as meant in paragraph (1) is also subjected to additional sentence in the form of the obligation to return money, goods or assets of the foundation which are transferred . or, shared. The state of the  $\alpha_{0} \circ \beta_{0} \circ \beta_{0$ 

## CHAPTER XIII TRANSITIONAL PROVISION

#### Article 71

- (1) When this law comes into force, foundations already: a. registered at the Public Court and announced in Supplement to Statute Book of the Republic of Indo-:) energia; or a series of the property of the series of the
  - · b. registered at the Public Court and having licenses to undertake activities from institutions concerned; are still recognized as statutory bodies, with the provi-s) sion that not later than 5 (five) years as from the date of enforcement of this law, the foundations must adjust their articles of association to the provisions in this law.
  - (2) The foundations as meant in paragraph (1) must be notified to the Minister not later than one year after the realization of the adjustment.

(3) Foundations.

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(3) Foundations failing to adjust their articles of association in the period as meant in paragraph (1) can be dissolved on the basis of a decision of the court upon a request from the prosecutor office or interesting parties.

#### CHAPTER XIV CONCLUSION Article 72

- (1) Foundations whose assets partly originate from state assistance, overseas assistance and/or public donations, which are obtained as a result of the enforcement of a law are obliged to announce summaries of the annual reports as meant in Article 52 paragraph (1) that cover their assets for 10 (ten) years before the promulgation of this law.
- (2) The announcement of the summaries of annual reports as meant in paragraph (1) does not abolish the right of parties obliged to examine, investigate and sue in the case of the occurrence of legal violations.

#### Article 73

This law starts to be effective one year as from the date of promulgation.

For public cognizance, this law shall be promulgated by placing it in Statute Book of the Republic of Indonesia.

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# ELUCIDATION O N LAW NO. 16/2001 CONCERNING FOUNDATION

#### GENERAL

The establishment of foundations in Indonesia has been based on custom in the society and jurisprudences of the Supreme Court because no law regulates the matter. The fact shows that people tend to set up foundations

to take shelter behind statutory bodies of foundations, which are used as a means to not only develop social, religious, humanit irian activities but also to enrich founders, executives and supervisors. In line with the trend, the condition also results in problems connected with activities of foundations which are not in accordance with goals and objectives mentioned in articles of association, disputes between executives and founders or other parties and allegations that foundations are used to accommodate wealth of founders or other parties which is obtained by means violating law. The problems cannot be settled legally because there is no a positive law on foundations as the judicial basis for the settlement of the problems.

This law is intended to provide true understanding about foundation for the public, to guarantee legal certainty and orderliness, as well as to reposition the function of foundations as a legal instrument in the framework of achieving certain objectives in social, religious and humanitarian fields. This law affirms that foundation is a statutory body having social, religious and humanitarian goals and objectives, established by observing formal requirements which are stipulated in this law.

A foundation is established by a notarial deed and secures the status of a statutory body after the deed of establishment obtains endorsement from the Minister of Justice and Human Rights or the appointed officials. The provision aims at arranging properly the administration of endorsement of a foundation as a statutory body to prevent the establishment of a foundation without the procedures stipulated in this law.

In the framework of providing service and facilities for the public, applications for the establishment of foundations can be submitted to Heads of Regional Offices of the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights overseeing domiciles of the respective foundations. In addition, foundations already securing endorsement must be announced in Statute Book of the Republic of Indonesia. This provision is also intended to ensure that the registration of foundations by a model of application of proper law administration can prevent foundations from committing practices of legal actions harmful to the society.

In order to realize the mechanism of the public supervision over foundations allegedly committing actions which contravene law, article of association or inflicting losses on the public interest, this law regulates the possibilities of investigation into foundations, which is executed by experts on the basis of a stipulation of the Court upon a written request from the interesting third party or the prosecutor office representing the public interest in this case.

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As statutory.

As statutory bodies having social, religious and humanitarian goals and objectives, foundations have organs consisting of patrons, executives and supervisors. The firm separation between functions, authority and tasks of the respective organs as well as the regulation of relationship between the three organs of the foundations are intended to avoid the possibilities of internal conflicts of foundations which can inflict losses on not only the foundations but also other parties.

Assets and activities of foundations are fully managed by executives. Therefore, executives are obliged to make out annual reports on financial conditions and developments of activities of foundations, which are conveyed to patrons. Subsequently, foundations acquiring their assets from state assistance, overseas assistance or other parties or having assets at the amount stipulated in this law, the assets must be audited by public accountants and their annual reports must be announced in an Indonesian language daily newspaper. The provision is in the framework of application of principles of transparency and accountability to the public.

This law also regulates the possibilities of merger and dissolution of foundations because of either initiatives of foundation organs themselves or a decision of the court and the opportunity for foreign foundations to undertake activities in the territory of the Republic of Indonesia as long as they do not inflict losses on the Indonesian people, nation and country.

ARTICLE BY ARTICLE
Articles 1 and 2
Sufficiently clear

Article 3
Paragraph (1)
Sufficiently clear
Paragraph (2)

The provision in this paragraph is in accordance with social, religious and humanitarian goals and objectives of foundations so that someone being patron, executive and supervisor of a foundation must work voluntarily without receiving salary, wage or fixed honorarium.

Article 4

In the case of name of village or treated such that being mentioned in the domicile of a foundation, names of district, regency, city and provinces must also be mentioned.

Article 5 up to article 7
Sufficiently clear

Article 8

Business activities of a business entity in the form of a foundation have wide coverage, including human rights, art, sports, consumer protection, education, environment, health and science.

Article 9 Paragraph (1)

Referred to "people" are individuals or statutory bodies.

Paragraph (2) up to paragraph (5) Sufficiently clear

Article 10

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2)

In the case of the presence of testament letter containing message to establish a foundation, the matter is considered as ar. obligation aimed at those appointed in the testament document as recipients of testament, to execute the testament.

Paragraph (3)

Sufficiently clear

Article 11 up to Article 13
Sufficiently clear

Article 14 Paragraph (1) Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2), Letter a up to letter c Sufficiently clear

Letter d

"Things" means tangible and intangible goods which are valuable by money.

Letter e up to letter k

Sufficiently clear

Paragraphs (3) and (4)

Sufficiently clear

Article 15 up to article 23
Sufficiently clear

Article 24

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2)

Applications for the announcement in Statute Book of the Republic of Indonesia can be submitted directly or sent through registered mail.

Paragraph (3)

The amount of the announcement cost is calculated in accordance with the value of assets of a foundation.

Article 25 Paragraph (1) Sufficiently clear

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Paragraph (2)

Paragraph (2) Letter a

"Donations or assistance not binding" are voluntary donations or assistance received by a foundation, from both the country, public, and other parties not contravening laws in force.

Letter b

"Wakaf" means wakaf from people or statutory bodies.

Letter c

"Grant" means a grant from people or statutory bodies.

Letter d

The amount of grant given up to a foundation may not contravene provisions of the inheritance law.

Letter e

Other sources are, amongst others, dividends, interest on savings in banks, rental fees of buildings or earnings from results of businesses of foundations.

Paragraph (3)

Assets originating from wakaf exclude from bankrupt assets.

Paragraph (4)

Sufficiently, clear

Article 27 Paragraph (1)

State assistance to foundations are given in accordance with the soul of the provision in Article 34 of the Constitution of 1945.

Paragraph (2)

Sufficiently clear

Article 28

Paragraphs (1) and (2)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (3)

The provision in this paragraph is meant that founders of foundations do not automatically become patrons. Patrons can be nominated by executives or supervisors.

Paragraphs (4) and (5)

Sufficiently clear

Articles 29 and 30

Sufficiently clear

Article 31

Paragraphs (1) and (2)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (3)

Prohibition from holding double positions is intended to avoid the possible overlapping of authority,

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tasks, and responsibility between patrons, executives and supervisors that can inflict losses on interest of foundations or other parties.

Article 32 up to article 34
Sufficiently clear

Article 35

Paragraphs (1) and (2)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (3)

"Executors of activities" are day-to-day executives of foundations that execute daily activities of foundations Paragraphs (4) and (5)

Sufficiently clear

Article 36

Sufficiently clear

Article 37

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2).

If executives undertake legal actions for and on behalf of foundations, article of association can restrict the authority by stipulating that prior approval from patrons and/or supervisors are needed for certain legal actions, e.g. to guarantee assets of foundations to build schools or hospitals.

Articles 38 and 39

Sufficiently clear

Article 40

Paragraph (1) up to paragraph (3)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (4)

Look at elucidation on Article 31 paragraph (3)

Article 41 up to article 48
Sufficiently clear

Article 49

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2)

The provision in this paragraph requires foundations to report in details transactions made by foundations and other parties. This reflects the principles of transparency and accountability to the public which must be done by foundations properly.

Article 50 . . . .

Article 50

Paragraph (1)

The report must be signed by all executives and 'supervisors because the report constitutes a form of accountability of executives and supervisors in executing their tasks.

In the case of executives or supervisors not signing the report, their reasons and causes must be explained in writing so that patron meeting can use them as consideration.

Paragraph (2)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (3)

The endorsement of a report by the patron meeting means the granting of settlement and relinquishment of responsibility to executives and supervisors for the relevant accounting year.

Article 51

"Inflicted parties" are the relevant foundations, communities and/or state.

Article 52

Paragraph (1)

The installation of summary of annual report of a foundation at announcement board is done such a way so that the public can read it.

Paragraph (2)

The provision in this paragraph is meant that assistance received by a foundation or foundation having assets at certain amount can be ascertained by the public in accordance with the principles of transparency and accountability.

Paragraph (3) up to paragraph (5)

Sufficiently clear

Article 53

Sufficiently clear

Article 54

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2)

\*Experts" are those having expertise in accordance with subjects to be examined.

Paragraph (3)

Sufficiently clear

Article 55 up to article 62

Sufficiently clear

Article 63

Paragraph (1)

The provision in this paragraph explains that assets of dissolved foundations must be settled (liquidated). As a result of the dissolution, the foundations remain existent up to the moment liquidators are freed from the responsibility.

Paragraph (2) up to paragraph (4)

Sufficiently clear

Article 64

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2)

In the case of the dissolution of a foundation being based on a decision of the court, the liquidator is appointed by the court and the curator is only appointed if the foundation is declared bankrupt.

Paragraph (3)

Sufficiently clear

Article 65 up to article 70

Sufficiently clear

Article 71

Paragraphs (1) and (2)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (3)

"Interesting parties" are parties having direct interests in the foundations.

Articles 72 and 73

Sufficiently clear

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# THE AMENDMENT TO LAW NO. 16/2001 ON FOUNDATION (Law No. 28/2004 dated October 6, 2004)

## BY GRACE OF GOD THE ALMIGHTY

## THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA,

#### Considering:

- a. that Law No. 16/2001 on foundation comes into force as from August 6,2002 but in developments, the law has not accommodated all legal need and developments in the society as well as substances can cause misinterpretation so that the land needs amendment;
- b. that the amendment aims at better guaranteeing legal certainty and order as well as providing right understanding for the society with regard to foundation;
- c. that based on the considerations as meant in letters a and b, it is necessary to enact a law on the amendment to Law No. 16/2001 on foundation;

#### In view of:

1. Article 5 paragraph (1) and Article 20 of the Constitution of 1945;

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2. Law ......

 Law No. 16/2001 (BN No. 6661 pages 24A - 29A and so on) on foundation (Statute Book of 2001 No. 112, Supplement to Statute Book No. 4132);

> With collective approval of THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA AND

THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

#### DECIDES:

To stipulate:

THE LAW ON THE AMENDMENT TO LAW NO. 16/2001 CONCERNING FOUNDATION

#### Article I

Several provisions, general elucidation and elucidation on articles in Law No. 16/2001 on foundation (Statute Book of 2001 No. 112, Supplement to Statute Book No. 4132) are amended as follows:

- Substance of the provision in Article 3 remains unchanged but the elucidation on the provision is amended so the formulation of elucidation on Article 3 is as mentioned in elucidation on article by article point 1 of this law.
- 2. The provision in Article 5 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 5

- (1) The assets of a foundation in the form of money, goods and other wealth obtained by the foundation on the basis of this law cannot be transferred or shared directly or indirectly in the form of salary, wage and honorarium or other forms which can be valued by money to patron, executives and supervisors.
- (2) The exception from the provision as meant in paragraph (1) can be stipulated in memorandum of association of the foundation that executives receive salary, wage or honorarium in the case of the foundation executives:
  - being not founder of the foundation and being not affiliated to the founder, patron and supervisor; and

- executing governing affairs of the foundatio directly and fully.
- (3) The salary, wage or honorarium as meant in para graph (2) is stipulated by the patron in accordance the capability of the foundation.
- 3. The provision in Article 11 is amended so as to reac as follows:

#### "Article 11

- (1)A foundation obtains status of statutory body after the deed of establishment of the foundation as meant in Article 9 paragraph (2) secures ratification from the minister.
- (2) In order to secure the ratification as meant in paragraph (1), the founder or his/her proxy submits application to the Minister through notary making the deed of establishment of the foundation.
- (3) The notary as meant in paragraph (1) is obliged to convey application for ratification to the minister not later than 10 (ten) days as from the date: when the deed of establishment is signed.
- (4) In giving the ratification of the deed of establishment of foundation as meant in paragraph (1), the minister also can ask consideration from institution concerned not later than 7 (seven) days as from the date of receipt of complete application.
- (5) The institution concerned as meant in paragraph (4) is obliged to convey answer not later than 14 (fourteen) days as from the date of receipt of request for consideration.
- (6)The application for ratification of the deed of establishment of foundation is subjected to a cost with the amount stipulated in a government regulation."
- The provision in Article 12 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 12

(1) The application for ratification as meant in Article 11 paragraph (2) is submitted in writing to the minister.

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- (2) The ratification of the application as meant in paragraph (1) is given or denied not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of receipt of complete application.
- (3) In the case of the consideration as meant in Article 11 paragraph (4) being needed, the ratification is given or denied not later than 14 (fourteen) days as from the date of receipt of answer to request for consideration from the institution concerned.
- (4) In the case of the answer to the request for consideration being not received, the ratification is given or denied not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of conveyance of request for consideration to the institution concerned."
- A new article is inserted between Article 13 and Article 14 to become Article 13A reading as follows:
   "Article 13A

Legal actions taken by executives on behalf of a foundation before the foundation secures status of statutory body becomes responsibility of the foundation collectively.

6. The provision in Article 24 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 24

- (1) The deed of establishment of foundation already ratified as statutory body or amendment to the memorandum of association already approved or notified must be announced in Supplement to State Gazette of the Republic of Indonesia.
- (2) The announcement as meant in paragraph (1) is done by the minister not later than 14 (fourteen) days as from the date of ratification of the deed of establishment of the foundation or the approval or receipt of amendment to the memorandum of association by the minister.
- (3) Procedures for announcement are implemented in accordance with the provisions of the law in force.
- (4) The announcement as meant in paragraph (1) is subjected to a cost with the amount stipulated by a government regulation."
- 7. Article 25 is abolished.

8. The provision in Article 32 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 32

- (1) Executives of a foundation are appointed by patron on the basis of a decision of the patron board meeting for a period of 5 (five) years and can be re-appointed.
- (2) Executives of a foundation can be re-appointed after the first cenure ends for the term of office as meant in paragraph (1) and stipulated in memorandum of association.
- (3) The governing board consist of at least:
  - a. a chairperson;
  - b. a secretary; and
  - c. a treasurer.
- (4) In the case of the executives as meant in paragraph (1) during their tenure commit action that the patron considers affecting the foundation, the executives can be dismissed before their tenure ends on the basis of a decision of the patron board meeting.
- (5) Further provisions on composition, procedures for appointment, relief and replacement of executives are regulated in memorandum of association."
- 9. The provision in Article 33 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 33

- (1)In the case of executives being replaced, the replacing executives convey notification in writing to the minister.
- (2) The notification as meant in paragraph (1) must be conveyed not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of replacement of executives of the foundation."
- 10. The provision in Article 34 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 34

- Executives of foundation can be dismissed any time on the basis of a decision of the patron board meeting.
- (2) In the case of the appointment, relief and replacement of executives not according to the provisions

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in memorandum of association, based on application of the interesting parties or request from the prosecutor office in the event representing public interests, the court can nullify the appointment, relief or replacement not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of submission of application for nullification."

11. The provision in Article 38 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 38

- (1) A foundation is prohibited from making agreement with organizations affiliated to the foundation, patron, executive and/or supervisor of the foundation or someone working with the foundation.
- (2) The prohibition as meant in paragraph (1) does not apply in the case of the agreement being beneficial to the accomplishment of goals and objectives of the foundation."
- 12. Article 41 is abolished.
- 13. The provision in Article 44 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 44

- (1) Supervisors of foundation are appointed by a decision of patron board meeting for a period of 5 (five ) years and can be re-appointed.
- (2) The supervisors of foundation can be re-appointed after the first tenure ends for the position as meant in paragraph (1), stipulated in memorandum of association.
- (3) Further provisions on composition, procedures for appointment, relief and replacement of supervisors are regulated in memorandum of association."
- 14. The provision in Article 45 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 45

- (1) In the case of supervisors being replaced, the replacing executives convey notification in writing to the minister.
- (2) The notification as meant in paragraph (1) must be conveyed not later than 30 (thirty) days as from

the date of replacement of supervisors of the foundation."

15. The provision in Article 46 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 46

- (1) Supervisors of foundation can be dismissed any time on the basis of a decision of the patron board meeting.
- (2) In the case of the appointment, relief and replacement of executives not according to the provisions in memorandum of association, based on application of the interesting parties or request from the prosecutor office in the event representing public interests, the court can nullify the appointment, relief or replacement not later than 30 (thirty) days as from the date of submission of application for nullification."
- 16. The provision in Article 52 is amc:nded so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 52

- (1)Summary of annual report of the foundation is announced in billboard in the foundation office.
- (2) Summary of financial statement inseparable from the summary of annual report as meant in paragraph (1) must be announced in Indonesian-language daily newspaper in the case of the foundation:
  - a. obtaining state assistance, overseas assistance and/or other parties amounting to Rp 500,000,000.00 (five hundred thousand million rupiahs) or more in one accounting year; or
  - having assets other than donated property amounting to Rp 20,000,000,000.00 (twenty billion rupiahs) or more.
- (3) The financial statement of the foundation as meant in paragraph (2) must be audited by public accountant.
- (4) Results of audit of the financial statement of foundation as meant in paragraph (3) is conveyed to patron of the foundation and a copy is made available to the minister and institutions concerned.

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(5) The ......

- (5) The financial statement is formulated in accordance the Financial Accountancy Standards in force."
- 17. The provision in Article 58 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 58

- (1) Executives of the respective foundations, which will merge and receive merger formulate proposals of merger plan.
- (2) The proposals of merger plan as meant in paragraph (1) are mentioned in draft deed of merger by executives of the foundations, which will merge and receive merger.
- (3) Draft deed of merger must secure approval from patrons of the respective foundations.
- (4) The draft deed of merger as meant in paragraph
   (3) is mentioned in deed of merger made before notary in the Indonesian language."
- 18. The provision in Article 60 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 60

- (1) If the merger of foundations is followed by amendment to Memorandum of Association needing approval of the minister, the deed of amendment to memorandum of association of the foundation must be conveyed to the minister to secure approval by enclosing deed of merger.
- (2) The approval as meant in paragraph (1) is given not later than 60 (sixty) days as from the date of receipt of the application.
- (3) In the case of the application being rejected, the rejection must be notified to the applicant in writing along with the reasons in the period as meant in paragraph (2).
- (4) In the case of the approval or rejection being not given in the period as meant in paragraph (2), the amendment to memorandum of understanding is deemed approved and the minister is obliged to issue a decision on the approval."
- 19. The provision in Article 68 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 68

- (1) The remaining assets resulting from liquidation are given up to other foundation having similarity of activities to the dissolved foundation.
- (2) The remaining assets resulting from the liquidation as meant in paragraph (1) can be given up to other statutory body having similarity of activities to the dissolved foundation, if the matter is regulated by law on the statutory body.
- (3) If the remaining assets resulting from liquidation are not given up to other foundation or statutory body as meant in paragraphs (1) and (2), the assets are given up the state and they are used in accordance with activities of the dissolved foundation."
- 20. The provision in Article 21 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 71

- (1)Upon the enforcement of this law, four dations:
  - a. which have been registered at the District Court and announced in Supplement to State Gazette of the Republic of Indonesia; or
  - which have been registered at the District Court and had license to undertake activities from institutions concerned;
  - continue to be recognized as statutory bodies with the provision that the foundations are obliged to adjust their memorandum of association to the provisions in this law not later than 3 (three) years as from the date of enforcement of this law.
- (2) Foundations already established and falling to meeting the provision as meant in paragraph (1) can secure status of statutory bodies by means of adjusting their memorandum of association to the provisions in this law and submit applications to the minister not later than one year after the enforcement of this law.
- (3) The foundations as meant in paragraph (1) must be notified to the minister not later than one year after the realization of the adjustment.
- (4) Foundations not adjusting their memorandum of association in the period as meant in paragraph
  - (1) and the foundations as meant in paragraph
  - (2) cannot use word "foundation" in front of their

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names , . . .

names and can be dissolved on the basis of a court decision based on application from prosecutor office or interesting parties."

21. The provision in Article 72 is amended so as to read as follows:

#### "Article 72

- (1) Foundations whose assets partly come from state assistance, overseas assistance and/or public donations obtained as a result of the enforcement of a regulation must announce the matters in the summary of financial statement as meant in Article 52 paragraph (2) which covers their assets for 10 (ten) years before this law is promulgated.
- (2) The announcement of the summary of financial statement as meant in paragraph (1) does not abolish rights of the authorized parties to investigate, inquire and sue in the case of legal violation being allegedly committed.
- 22. Two articles are supplemented between Article 72 and Article 73 to become Article 72A and Article 72A reading as follows:

#### "Article 72A

With the enforcement of this law, the provisions on memorandum of association as meant in Article 71 paragraphs (1) and (2) not yet adjusted to the provisions in this law remain effective as long as they do not contravene this law.

#### Article 72B

With the enforcement of this law, applications for ratification of deeds of establishment of foundations, application for amending memorandum of association of foundations and notification of adjustment to memorandum of association of foundations already received by the minister are processed on the basis of this law and its technical directives."

- 23.General elucidation on the third paragraph, phrase "or the appointed officials" between phrase "the Minister of Justice and Human Rights" and phrase "The said provisions" are abolished.
- 24.General elucidation on the fourth paragraph, phrase "can be submitted to Heads of Regional Offices of the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights overseeing domiciles of foundations" between phrase "applications for establishment of foundations" and phrase "apart

from that" is replaced by phrase "submitted to the minister through notary making deed of establishment of the said foundations."

25.General elucidation on the seventh paragraph, phrase "Foundations whose assets come from state," between phrase "Subsequently, to" and phrase "overseas assistance or other parties" is arrended to become phrase" Foundations obtaining assistance from the state" and phrase "annual report must be announced" between phrase "by public accountants" and phrase "Indonesian-language dally newspaper" is amended to become phrase "their financial statements must be announced."

#### Article II

The law comes into force one year as from the date of promulgation.

For public cognizance, the law shall be promulgated by placing it in Statute Book of the Republic of Indonesia.

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ELUCIDATION
ON
LAW NO. 28/2004
CONCERNING
THE AMENDMENT TO LAW NO. 16/2001
ON FOUNDATION

#### 1. GENERAL

Law No. 16/2001 on foundation, which was promulgated on August 6,2001 has not accommodated all legal need and developments in the society since the date of enforcement, August 6,2002.

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In addition, substances of the law on foundation in the society still contain various interpretations thus being potential to cause legal uncertainty and disorder. The amendment to Law No. 16/2001 on foundation aims at guaranteeing legal certainty and order as well as providing proper understanding for the people with regard to foundation so as to be able to return the function of foundation as legal instrument in the framework of achieving certain objectives in the social, religious and humanitarian fields.

Apart from that, given that the role of foundation in society can create people's welfare, the improvement of Law No. 16/2001 on foundation also aims at enabling the foundation to function in a bid to achieve its goals and objectives in the social, religious and humanitarian fields on the basis of the principles of transparency and accountability.

#### II. ARTICLE BY ARTICLE

Article I
Point 1
Article 3
Paragraph (1)

The provision in this paragraph aims at affirming that a foundation is not used as business instrument and foundation cannot undertake business activities directly but through business entity established or other business entity wherein the foundation invests its assets.

Paragraph (2)
Sufficiently clear

Point 2 Article 5 Paragraph (1)

The provision in this paragraph aims at affirming that assets of a foundation, including outcomes of business activities of the foundation, constitute assets of the foundation fully used for achieving goals and objectives of the foundation so that someone becomes member of patron, executive and supervisor of the foundation work voluntarily without receiving salary, wage or honorarium.

Paragraph (2) Letter a

"Affiliated" means familial relation because of marriage or generation as far as the third degree horizontally and vertically.

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Letter b

"Directly and fully" means executing tasks governing board in accordance with the provisions working day and hour of the foundation, not part tim

Paragraph (3)

Sufficiently clear

Point 3 Article 11

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2)

The provision that applications for ratification statutory body of foundation through notary aims at a cilitating service for the public ir. the submission of approaching for ratification of deed of establishment of foundation in region.

Paragraph (3) up to paragraph (6) Sufficiently clear

Point 4 Article 12

Sufficiently clear

Point 5 Article, 13A

Sufficiently clear

Point 6 Article 24

Sufficiently clear

Point 7

Sufficiently clear

Point 8 Article 32

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2)

Based on this provision, how many times the five year period can executives be re-appointed is men tioned in memorandum of association of the foundation

Paragraph (3) up to paragraph (5) Sufficiently clear

Point . . .

Point 9

Article 33

Sufficiently clear

Point 10

Article 34

Sufficiently clear

Point 11

Article 38

Sufficiently clear

Point 12

Sufficiently clear

Point 13

Article 44

Paragraph (1)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (2)

Based on this provision, now many times the five-year period can executives be re-appointed is mentioned in memorandum of association of the foundation.

Paragraph (3)

Sufficiently clear

Point 14

Article 45

Sufficiently clear

Point 15

Article 46

Sufficiently clear

Point 16

Article 52

Paragraph (1)

Affixing of summary of financial statement of the foundation to billboard is placed in such a way so as to be readable by the people.

Paragraph (2)

The provision in this paragraph aims at enabling the public to ascertain assistance received by the foundation or foundation having assets in certain amount in accordance with the principles of transparency and accountability.

Paragraph (3) up to paragraph (5)

Sufficiently clear

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Point 17

Article 58

Sufficiently clear

Point 18

Article 60

Sufficiently clear

Point 19

Article 68

Sufficiently clear

Point 20

Article 71

Paragraph (1)

The three-year period as meant in this provision aims at opening opportunity for the foundation to determine whether it will continue the existence of the foundation or not. If continued, the foundation must adjust its memorandum of association to this law in the said period.

Paragraphs (2) and (3)

Sufficiently clear

Paragraph (4)

"Interesting parties" mean parties having interests directly in the foundation.

Point 21

Article 72

Sufficiently clear

Point 22

Article 72A

Sufficiently clear

Article 72B

Sufficiently clear

Point 23 up to point 25

Sufficiently clear

Article I

Sufficiently clear

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