

**497.3 Filing — certificate of incorporation.**

The original articles of incorporation of associations organized under [this chapter](#) shall be filed with the secretary of state, and be by the secretary recorded in a book kept for that purpose; and if such articles comply with the provisions of [sections 497.1](#) and [497.2](#), the secretary shall issue a certificate of incorporation to the association. No publication of notice of the incorporation of such an association shall be required.

[SS15, §1641-r3; C24, 27, 31, 35, 39, §8461; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, §497.3]

[94 Acts, ch 1055, §9](#)