(5) acquire, own, lease, encumber, and transfer property as necessary to carry out the purposes of the corporation, subject to its constitution and instructions of donors;

(6) sue and be sued; and

(7) do any other act necessary and proper to carry out the purposes of the corporation.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1299.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
21903	36:3303 (less perpetual succession). 36:3307.	July 5, 1935, ch. 373, §§3 (less perpetual succession), 7, 49 Stat. 458, 459.

In clause (1), the words ''to carry out its purposes not inconsistent with the laws of the United States or any States'' are omitted as unnecessary.

In clause (2), the words ''at pleasure'' are omitted as unnecessary.

In clause (3), the word ''activities'' is substituted for ''business'' for consistency in the revised title.

Clause (5) is substituted for ''to receive, hold, own, use, mortgage, and dispose of such real estate and personal property as shall be necessary for its corporate purposes'' in 36:3303 and for 36:3307 for consistency in the revised title and to eliminate unnecessary words.

In clause (6), the words ''in the courts of law and equity'' are omitted as unnecessary.

In clause (7), the words ''do any other act'' are substituted for ''generally to do all such acts and things'' for consistency in the revised title and to eliminate unnecessary words.

§ 21904. Exclusive right to name

The corporation and its State and local branches and subdivisions have the exclusive right to use the name ''The American National Theater and Academy''.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1299.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
21904	36:3305.	July 5, 1935, ch. 373, §5, 49 Stat. 458.

The word ''sole'' is omitted as included in ''exclusive''. The words ''to have'' are omitted as included in ''to use''. The words ''in carrying out its purposes'' are omitted as unnecessary.

§ 21905. Restrictions

(a) PROFIT AND STOCK.—The corporation shall be nonprofit and may not issue stock.

(b) POLITICAL ACTIVITIES.—The corporation shall be nonpolitical and nonsectarian, and may not promote the candidacy of an individual seeking public office.

(c) HONORARY MEMBERS.—The corporation may not have honorary members.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1299.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
21905(a)	36:3302 (1st sentence).	July 5, 1935, ch. 373, §§2 (1st sentence), 4, 49 Stat. 458.
21905(b)	36:3304 (1st sentence).	

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES—Continued

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
21905(c)	36:3304 (last sentence).	

In subsection (a), the word ''capital'' is omitted for consistency in the revised title.

In subsection (b), the words ''as an organization'' are omitted as unnecessary.

§ 21906. Headquarters and meetings

The corporation may have its headquarters and hold its meetings at places the corporation decides are best.

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HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
21906	36:3306.	July 5, 1935, ch. 373, §6, 49 Stat. 458.

The word ''may'' is substituted for ''be, and is hereby, authorized to'' to eliminate unnecessary words. The words ''within or without the District of Columbia'' and ''from time to time'' are omitted as unnecessary.

§ 21907. Service of process

As a condition to the exercise of any power or privilege granted by this chapter, the corporation shall file, with the secretary of state or other designated official of the District of Columbia or of each State, territory, or possession of the United States in which its headquarters, branches, or subdivisions are located, the name and address of an agent in that jurisdiction on whom legal process or demands against the corporation may be served.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1299.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

Revised Section	*Source (U.S. Code)*	*Source (Statutes at Large)*
21907	36:3309.	July 5, 1935, ch. 373, §9, 49 Stat. 459.

The words ''precedent'', ''herein'', and ''or conferred'' are omitted as unnecessary. The words ''with the secretary of state or other designated official'' are substituted for ''in the office of the Secretary or the properly designated officer'', and the words ''territory, or possession of the United States'' are substituted for ''Territory'', for consistency in the revised title. The words ''post-office'' and ''authorized'' are omitted as unnecessary. The words ''in that jurisdiction'' are added for clarity.

§ 21908. Annual report

Not later than January 1 of each year, the corporation shall submit a report to Congress on the activities of the corporation during the prior calendar year, including a complete report of its receipts and expenditures. The report may not be printed as a public document.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1299.)