In order to create conditions favorable for the full enjoyment of the rights of freedom of association granted by the Constitution of the Republic of Poland; in accordance with Universal Declaration of Human Rights as well as International Pact of Civil and Political Rights; in order to give all the citizens, notwithstanding their individual convictions, equal rights to actively participate in public life, to pursue individual interests and express diversified opinions; considering historical traditions and commonly accepted achievements of association movement, the following has been proclaimed: