



*CONGRESO DE PARAGUAYOS MIGRANTES
EN LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS, INC.*

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Press Release

Congreso de Paraguayos Migrantes en los Estados Unidos, Inc. completes legalization of the organization.

CPMUSA has received notice from the IRS that the organization now falls under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

According to Ana Di Sessa, President of CPMUSA, “This is huge achievement and milestone in the organizations history. The application was very detailed and complicated. The IRS requires a detailed description of our organization and how we govern. Having a rational set of by-laws and a thought out mission statement contributed in obtaining the approval.”

Organizations having 501(c)(3) status enjoy a number of benefits. First, they are exempted from paying federal and state corporate income tax. This will help the group fund more projects to help the Paraguayan community. Second, the group can now request money from other Nonprofit Organizations or Foundations and provide a tax deductible receipt. When these requests are positioned correctly and approved, it will help expand the current and future programs and make them more viable.

“Many thanks to the CPMUSA Board of Directors who all supported this endeavor”, says Ana Di Sessa. “This is the first step in a long journey ahead of us”.

The CPMUSA encourages Paraguayan organizations to review the benefits of 501(c)(3) status. If you feel it may be an option, the CPMUSA can help you understand the process and advantages.

The **Congreso de Paraguayos Migrantes en los Estados Unidos Inc.** is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) Corporation registered in the State of NY. Their main mission is to work on projects and programs which will help enhance the lives of Paraguayans living within the United States, and also help support efforts to enhance the lives of people of Paraguay.

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