

- History of New York Cactus & Succulent Society

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Chuck,

The Society was formed in 1955 by the well known collector, Dr. Gerald Barad. To the best of our knowledge, it never became a legal entity either as a corporation or an official unincorporated association.

Over

a period of time it dissolved and reformed, which is the reason that it has no IRS exemption. It has had an unofficial constitution and by laws, last revised in 1982. However, it operates in an informal manner. It has a web site and newsletter, which is electronic.

Meetings are held monthly from September to June.

Let me know if you would like any further information.

Richard