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Certificate of Authority

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Pursuant to the provisions of KRS 14A.9 - 030 the undersigned hereby applies for authority to transact business in Kentucky on behalf of the entity named below and, for that purpose, submits the following statements:

- 1. The entity is a **profit corporation**.
- 2. The name of the entity is

MATEWAN FUEL COMPANY INCORPORATED

3. The name of the entity to be used in Kentucky is

MATEWAN FUEL COMPANY

- 4. The state or country under whose law the entity is organized is **West Virginia**.
- 5. The date of organization is 12/4/2023 and the period of duration is perpetual.
- 6. The mailing address of the entity's principal office is

338 MATE STREET, MATEWAN, WV 25678

7. The name of the initial registered agent is

CORNERSTONE INVESTMENT GROUP

and the street address of the entity's initial registered office in Kentucky is

140 ADAMS LANE SUITE 200, PIKEVILLE, KY 41501

8. The names and business addresses of the entity's representatives:

Officer DON BLANKENSHIP PO BOX 717, MATEWAN, WV 25678

9. This filing will be effective on Thursday, March 13, 2025.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature of individual signing on behalf of **PRESIDENT: DON BLANKENSHIP**

I, **RONNIE SPENCE**, consent to sign for **CORNERSTONE INVESTMENT GROUP** who serves as the Registered Agent on behalf of this entity on Thursday, March 13, 2025.