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**Articles of Incorporation
Non-profit Corporation**

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Pursuant to KRS 14A and KRS 273, the undersigned applied to qualify and for that purpose submits the following statements:

Article I: The name of the corporation is

THE NATIONAL VETERAN OWNED BUSINESS ASSOCIATION CORP.

Article II: The purpose for which the corporation is organized: **Veterans Entrepreneurship**

Article III: The name of the registered agent is

Matthew Pavelek

and the street address of the corporation's initial registered office in Kentucky is **348 E Main Street, Lexington, KY 40507**

Article IV: The mailing address of the corporation's initial principal office is

348 E Main Street, Lexington, KY 40507

Article VI: The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is **3**

Article VII: The names and mailing addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial board of directors are as follows:

**Heather Herndon-Wright 6555 Sierra Drive, Irving, TX 75039
Brian Hall Shell Oil Company, P.O. Box 2463, Houston, TX 77252
Kyle Whitmire 208 S. Akard Street, Suite 2954, Dallas, TX 75202**

Article VIII: The name and street address of the incorporator is as follows:

Matthew Pavelek 348 E. Main Street, Lexington, KY 40507

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

**Matthew Pavelek
President & CEO
4/7/2023**

I, **Matthew Pavelek**, consent to serve as the Registered Agent on behalf of the corporation.

Matthew Pavelek

President

4/7/2023

