

**Commonwealth of Kentucky**  
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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 **nonprofit corporation**.

2. The name of the entity is

**BOOKS INC**

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

**BOOKS ACADEMY INC.**

4. The state or country under whose law the entity is organized is **Missouri**.

5. The date of organization is **1/30/2022** and the period of duration is **perpetual**.

6. The mailing address of the entity's principal office is

**269 Meadowcrest Drive, Ferguson, MO 63135**

7. The name of the initial registered agent is

**Keela Gore**

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

**7601 Skyview Drive apt 101, Louisville, KY 40272**

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

**Director**                      Kerrie Barnes                      Po Box 2092, Clarksville, TN 37042

9. This filing will be effective on **Sunday, October 13, 2024**.

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 **Owner: Kerrie Barnes**

I, **Keela Gore**, consent to serve as the Registered Agent on behalf of this entity on Sunday, October 13, 2024.