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Certificate of Authority

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 limited liability company.
- 2. The name of the entity is

SPRINKLE R1 HOLDINGS, LLC

- 3. The state or country under whose law the entity is organized is Delaware.
- 4. The date of organization is 8/15/2024 and the period of duration is perpetual.
- 5. The mailing address of the entity's principal office is

100 Mallard Creek Road, Suite 404, Louisville, KY 40207

6. The name of the initial registered agent is

FBT LLC

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

400 West Market Street 32nd Floor, Louisville, KY 40202

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

| Manager | J. Robert Shaver | 100 Mallard Creek Road, Suite 404, Louisville, KY 40207 |
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| Organizer | J. Robert Shaver | 100 Mallard Creek Road, Suite 404, Louisville, KY 40207 |

8. This entity is managed by Managers.

9. This filing will be effective on Friday, January 3, 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 **Authorized Representative: Stephen Mercer**

I, **Shana Nanney for FBT LLC**, consent to sign for **FBT LLC** who serves as the Registered Agent on behalf of this entity on Friday,

January 3, 2025.

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