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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF CINDERELLA'S CLOSET NKY INC.

The undersigned incorporator executes these Articles of Incorporation for the purposes of forming, and does hereby form, a nonprofit corporation (the "Corporation") under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky (KRS 273.161 et seq.), with all the rights, privileges, and immunities of a corporation organized within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (or corresponding section of any future federal tax code), in accordance with the following provisions:

ARTICLE I Name

The name of the Corporation is Cinderella's Closet NKY Inc. ("Corporation").

ARTICLE II Duration

The period of its duration is perpetual.

ARTICLE III Registered Office and Registered Agent

The street address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is 212 N. 2nd Street, STE 100, Richmond, KY 40475. The name of the initial registered agent at that address is Registered Agents Inc.

ARTICLE IV Principal Office

The physical and mailing address of the Corporation is:

901 Ashridge Ct Erlanger KY 41018

ARTICLE V Directors

The Corporation shall be governed by a Board of Directors consisting of not less than three (3) and not more than fifteen (15) members, the exact number and term of each to be set in the manner provided for in the Bylaws. The initial Board of Directors of the Corporation shall consist of four (4) persons who shall serve until the first annual election of Directors or until their successors are elected and qualify. The names and mailing addresses of said directors are:

Erin Peterson 901 Ashridge Ct Erlanger KY 41018

Amy Richardson 6017 Ricketts Walk Alexandria VA 22312

Stephanie Hill 1748 Teakwood Lane Hebron KY 41048

Samantha Ethier 9183 Pampas Court Covington, KY 41015

ARTICLE VI Purposes and Powers

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in previous articles hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting

to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf or in opposition to any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

Said Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and scientific purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. Corporation shall receive contributions and fees, and shall distribute its funds for charitable, scientific, educational, and religious purposes. The Corporation shall have all the powers allowed corporations by Chapter 273 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes.

Any provision of these Articles of Incorporation to the contrary notwithstanding, the Corporation shall not have capital stock or shareholders and shall not have any purpose or object, nor have or exercise any power, nor engage in any activity, which in any way contravenes, or is in conflict with, the other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation.

Cinderella's Closet NKY Inc.'s mission includes, but is not limited to:

- 1) To provide prom dresses and accessories free of charge to students referred to our organization by their school counselors based on the need of the student;
- 2) To provide special occasion dresses and accessories free of charge to adults with intellectual and/or development disabilities that are referred to our organization by their church or social services program based on the need of the adult;
- 3) To provide college scholarships to students recommended to our organization by their school counselor. Each applicant must be selected by their school counselor, receive at least one letter of recommendation, complete an application and write an essay. Scholarship recipients will be selected by the scholarship committee upon review of the application and accompanying documents.
- 4) To provide support services to high school youth services offices when needed. Examples include Christmas assistance for students, participation in awareness programs or providing for unmet needs that this organization has the ability to provide.

ARTICLE VII Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is

then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VIII Members

The Corporation shall not have members.

ARTICLE IX Exemption From Liability and Indemnification

Indemnification of Directors, officers, employees and agents of the Corporation may be as provided for in the bylaws; provided, however, such identification is not otherwise in conflict with the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation.

ARTICLE X Incorporator

The name and mail address of the Incorporator is:

Erin Peterson 901 Ashridge Ct Erlanger KY 41018

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF INCORPORATOR

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct. Signed and acknowledged by the Incorporator this 28th day of September 2023.

By

Erin Peterson, Incorporator

WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE INITIAL REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned, Bill Havre, President of Registered Agents Inc, hereby consent to serve as initial registered agent.

Bv.

Bill Havre, President Registered Agents Inc.

Commercial Registered Agent

This instrument was prepared by:

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