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Certificate of Authority
 (Foreign Business Entity)

Pursuant to the provisions of KRS 14A – 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:
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| profit corporation | <input type="checkbox"/> | nonprofit corporation | <input type="checkbox"/> | professional limited liability company | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| business trust | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> limited liability company | <input type="checkbox"/> | statutory trust | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| limited partnership | <input type="checkbox"/> | ltd cooperative association | <input type="checkbox"/> | public benefit corporation | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| non-profit llc | <input type="checkbox"/> | professional service corporation | <input type="checkbox"/> | other | <input type="checkbox"/> |

2. The name of the entity is Preting LLC
 (The name must be identical to the name on record with the Secretary of State.)

3. The name of the entity to be used in Kentucky is (if applicable): _____
 (Only provide if "real name" is unavailable for use; otherwise, leave blank.)

4. The state or country under whose law the entity is organized is Cherokee Nation

5. The date of organization is 11-29-2021 and the period of duration is _____
 (If left blank, duration is considered perpetual.)

6. The mailing address of the entity's principal office is
777 W. Cherokee St., Corp. Bldg. 2 Catoosa OK 74015
Street Address **City** **State** **Zip Code**

7. The street address of the entity's registered office in Kentucky is
306 W. Main Street, Suite 512 Frankfort KY 40601
Street Address (No P.O. Box Numbers) **City** **State** **Zip Code**

and the name of the registered agent at that office is C T Corporation System

8. The names and business addresses of the entity's representatives (secretary, officers and directors, managers, trustees or general partners):

<u>Brad Barnhart</u>	<u>777 W. Cherokee St., Corp. Bldg. 2</u>	<u>Catoosa</u>	<u>OK</u>	<u>74015</u>
Name	Street or P.O. Box	City	State	Zip Code
<u>Beth Inglis</u>	<u>777 W. Cherokee St., Corp. Bldg.</u>	<u>Catoosa</u>	<u>OK</u>	<u>74015</u>
Name	Street or P.O. Box	City	State	Zip Code
<u>Clifford Prether</u>	<u>777 W. Cherokee St., Corp. Bldg.</u>	<u>Catoosa</u>	<u>OK</u>	<u>74015</u>
Name	Street or P.O. Box	City	State	Zip Code

9. If a professional service corporation, all the individual shareholders, not less than one half (1/2) of the directors, and all of the officers other than the secretary and treasurer are licensed in one or more states or territories of the United States or District of Columbia to render a professional service described in the statement of purposes of the corporation.

10. I certify that, as of the date of filing this application, the above-named entity validly exists under the laws of the jurisdiction of its formation.

11. If a limited partnership, it elects to be a limited liability limited partnership. Check the box if applicable:

12. If a limited liability company, check box if manager-managed:

13. This application will be effective upon filing.

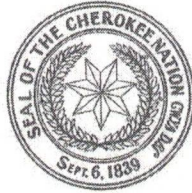
DocuSigned by:
Brad Barnhart Brad Barnhart, Exec.General Manager 10/24/23
Signature of Authorized Representative **Printed Name & Title** **Date**

I, C T Corporation System, consent to serve as the registered agent on behalf of the business entity.
Type/Print Name of Registered Agent
 By: Stephanie Hencz Stephanie Hencz Assistant Secretary 11/08/2023
Signature of Registered Agent **Printed Name** **Title** **Date**

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OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY OF STATE
CHEROKEE NATION

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING DOMESTIC FOR PROFIT BUSINESS COMPANY

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, do hereby certify that I am, by the laws of said Nation, the custodian of the records of the Cherokee Nation relating to the right of certain business entities to transact business in this Nation and am the proper officer to execute this certificate.

I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT Preting LLC whose registered agent is Robert A. Huffman, Jr., with its registered office at 777 West Cherokee Street, Corporate Building No. 2, Catoosa, OK 74015, USA, is a Domestic For Profit Limited Liability Company duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Cherokee Nation and is in good standing according to the records of this office. This certificate is not to be construed as an endorsement, recommendation or notice of approval of the entity's financial condition or business activities and practices. Such information is not available from this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the Cherokee Nation, this Twenty Ninth day of September, 2023.



Chuck Hoskin, Principal Chief
Cherokee Nation