Commonwealth of Kentucky Michael G. Adams, Secretary of State

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Articles of Incorporation Non-profit Corporation

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Please Note: This form does not automatically confer tax-exempt status. For additional information, contact the Internal Revenue Service prior to filing the Articles of Incorporation.Pursuant to KRS 14A and KRS 273, the undersigned hereby forms a nonprofit corporation and for that purpose sets forth the following:

Article I: The name of the nonprofit corporation is

IMPROVED BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER ELKS OF THE WORLD REGION III DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION Inc.

Article II: The purpose of the nonprofit corporation is **To provide Scholarship to students going to collage**

Article III: The name of the initial registered agent is

C. Gregory Robinson

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

5534 Ridgecrest Road, Louisville, KY 40218

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

C. Gregory Robinson 5534 Ridgecrest Road, Louisville, KY 40218

Article V: The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors is **6** The names and mailing addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial board of directors are as follows:

Director	C. Gregory Robinson	5534 Ridgecrest Road, Louisville, KY 40218
Director	Darlene Smith	4836 Briargrove Drive, Groveport, OH 43125
Director	Gerald P Walton Sr	541 Yorkshire Dr. apt # q, Rochester Hills, MI 48307
Director	Richetta Akins	541 Yorkshire Dr., Rochester Hills, MI 48307
Director	Sherritine Thornton	5505 Jeanine Drive, Louisville, KY 40218
Director	Annie Cosby	7751 Stillwell Road apt # 2, Cincinnati, OH 45237

Article VI: The name and mailing address of the incorporator is as follows:

Incorporator	C. Gregory Robinson	5534 Ridgecrest Road, Louisville, KY 40218
Incorporator	Darlene Smith	4836 Briargrove Drive, Groveport, OH 43125

This filing will be effective on Wednesday, March 12, 2025.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the la Kentucky that the foregoing is true and corre

Signature of individual signing on behalf of In Gregory Robinson

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l, **C. Gregory Robinson**, consent to sign for **C. Gregory Robinson** who serves as the Registered Agent on behalf of this entity on Wednesday, March 12, 2025.

