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Certificate of Authority

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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 business entity is a limited liability company.
- 2. The name of the entity is: VB VENTURES, LLC
- 3. The name of the entity to be used in Kentucky is (if applicable): N/A
- 4. The state or country whose law the entity is organized is Tennessee.
- 5. The date of organization is 8/12/2019 and the period of duration is perpetual.
- 6. This entity is managed by Members

7. Principal Office

302 N Maple Street Somerset, KY 42501-1442

8. Registered Agent/Office

Alton E. Blakley III 302 N Maple Street Somerset, KY 42501

I, Alton E. Blakley III, consent to serve as the Registered Agent on behalf of this Entity. on Wednesday, February 15, 2023

As the Authorized Representative, I, **Alton E. Blakley III**, declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct. Title: **Member**