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Articles of Incorporation

The Career Center for Early Educators, Inc.

(Kentucky Non-Profit Corporation)

Pursuant to KRS Chapter 273, the undersigned applies to qualify and for that purpose submits the following statements:

Article 1 Name

The name of the corporation is The Career Center for Early Educators, Inc.

Article 2 Purpose

The specific purpose for which the corporation is initially organized is to empower non-college scholars in the childcare field by providing accessible training programs to help them earn their credentials. Our mission is to provide a clear pathway for career advancement and professional growth for early educators. The purpose for which this corporation is organized are exclusively religious, charitable, scientific, literary and/or educational, 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.

Article 3 Registered Office and Agent

The name of the registered agent is Asia Rivers and the street address of the corporation's initial registered office in Kentucky is:

7909 Nottoway Circle

Louisville, KY 40214

Article 4 Mailing Address

The mailing address of the corporation's principal office is:

7909 Nottoway Circle

Louisville, KY 40214

Article 5 Directors

This corporation shall have three (3) directors, constituting the initial directors. The initial directors whose positions and duties are set forth in the bylaws will manage the affairs of this corporation.

The name and address of the initial directors who are to serve are as follows:

Asia Rivers

Saretha Williams-Clark

7909 Nottoway Circle

4623 Westchester Avenue

Louisville, KY 40214

Louisville, KY 40211

Rashawn Carter-Kamau

616 NE Main Street

Lee's Summit, Missouri 64063

Article 6 Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Asia Rivers

7909 Nottoway Circle

Louisville, KY 40214

Article 7 Membership

This corporation shall not have members.

Article 4 Mailing Address

The mailing address of the corporation's principal office is:

7909 Nottoway Circle

Louisville, KY 40214

Article 5 Directors

This corporation shall have not less than three (3) directors. The initial directors whose positions and duties are set forth in the bylaws will manage the affairs of this corporation.

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Article 8 Term and Dissolution

The term of this corporation shall be perpetual.

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for payment of all liabilities of the Corporation, including the costs and expenses of such dissolution, dispose of all the assets of the Corporation exclusively for the exempt purposes of the Corporation or distributed to an organization described in section 501 (c)(3) or 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, 1986 or the corresponding provisions of any future federal law, as shall be selected by the last Board of Directors. None of the assets will be distributed to any officer or director of the Corporation. Any such assets so disposed of shall be disposed of by, and in manner designated by, the state court having jurisdiction over the matter.

Article 9 Additional Provisions

No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization 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 the purpose clause hereof. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of this document, the organization shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by an organization, contribution to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

We declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct.

DocuSigned by:
Asia Rivers
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Asia Rivers, Incorporator

July 2, 2024

Date

I, Asia Rivers, consent to serve as the registered agent on behalf of the corporation.

DocuSigned by:
Asia Rivers
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Asia Rivers, Registered Agent

July 2, 2024

Date