

**Commonwealth of Kentucky**  
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**Certificate of Existence**

I, Michael G. Adams, Secretary of State of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby certify that according to the records in the Office of Secretary of State,

**FORT PAYNE EXPLORATION, LLC**

has eliminated all the grounds for dissolution, paid all fees and penalties owed to the Secretary of State, and met all other requirements for reinstatement. The Secretary of State hereby cancels the certificate of dissolution issued on Tuesday, October 4, 2022. The effective date of reinstatement is Thursday, January 18, 2024.

I further certify that FORT PAYNE EXPLORATION, LLC is a limited liability company duly organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, whose date of organization is Monday, July 30, 2012, and whose period of duration is perpetual.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 18th day of January, 2024.



*Michael G. Adams*

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