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Certificate of Authority
(Foreign Business Entity)

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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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> nonprofit corporation | professional limited liability company |
| business trust | limited liability company | statutory trust |
| limited partnership | ltd cooperative association | public benefit corporation |
| non-profit llc | professional service corporation | other |

2. The name of the entity is Compass Lexecon 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 Maryland

5. The date of organization is September 15, 2003 and the period of duration is perpetual
(If left blank, duration is considered perpetual.)

6. The mailing address of the entity's principal office is
16701 Melford Blvd. Suite 200 Bowie Maryland 20715
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):

Curtis P. Lu	555 12th Street, Suite 700, NW	Washington	DC	20004
Name	Street or P.O. Box	City	State	Zip Code
Jared I. Dunkin	16701 Melford Blvd. Suite 200	Bowie	Maryland	20715
Name	Street or P.O. Box	City	State	Zip Code
Ajay Sabherwal	555 12th Street, Suite 700, NW	Washington	DC	20004
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.

Curtis P. Lu Curtis P. Lu, President August 30, 2024
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.

C T Corporation System Eric Carlson Assistant Secretary 9/9/2024
By: Signature of Registered Agent Printed Name Title Date