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Articles of Organization Limited Liability Company

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For the purposes of forming a limited liability company in Kentucky pursuant to KRS Chapter 275, the undersigned organizer hereby submits the following Articles of Organization to the Office of the Secretary of State for filing:

Article I: The name of the company is

APPALACHIAN UTILITY SERVICES LLC

Article II: The street address of the company's initial registered office in Kentucky is

1518 Kentucky Avenue, Ashland, KY 41102

and the name of the initial registered agent at that address is BENJAMIN R COOKSEY

Article III: The mailing address of the company's initial principal office is

1518 Kentucky Avenue, Ashland, KY 41102

Article IV: The limited liability company is to be managed by **Members**

This Filing is Effective on Wednesday, October 11, 2023 Executed by the Organizer on Wednesday, October 11, 2023

BENJAMIN R COOKSEY

Title: Incoporator

I, BENJAMIN R COOKSEY, consent to serve as the Registered Agent on behalf of the limited liability company. on Wednesday, October 11, 2023