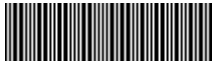


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Revocation of Certificate of Authority

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

IMPORTANT NOTICE

BAL INVESTMENT & ADVISORY, LLC

did not file its 2023 annual report within sixty days after it was due. Accordingly, the Secretary of State revoked the limited liability company's authority to transact business in Kentucky on October 4, 2023.

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Secretary of State