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Certificate of Authority Foreign Business Entity

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Pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 14A and KRS Chapter 273 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 **nonprofit** corporation.
- 2. The name of the entity is Matthew Shepard Foundation A Nonprofit Corporation.
- 3. The name of the entity to be used in Kentucky is **Matthew Shepard Foundation Corporation**.
- 4. The state or country under whose law the entity is organized is **Wyoming**.
- 5. The date of organization is 11/30/1998.
- 6. The mailing address of the entity's principal office is 301 Thelma Drive, Unit 512, Casper, WY 82609.
- 7. The street address of the entity's registered office in Kentucky is **453 Hart Rd**, **Lexington**, **KY 40502** and the name of the registered agent in that office is **David Cupps**.
- 8. The names and business addresses of the entity's representatives:

Jason Marsden 1530 Blake Street, Suite 200, Denver, CO 80202

Judy Shepard 301 Thelma Drive, Unit 200, Casper, WY 82609

- 9. I certify that, as of the date of filing of this application, the above-named entity validly exists under the laws of the jurisdiction of its formation.
- 10. This application will be effective on filing.

Signature of Authorized Representative: **Jason Marsden**

I, **David Cupps**, consent to serve as the Registered Agent on behalf of the business entity.

Signature of Registered Agent or individual signing on behalf of the company serving as Registered Agent:

David Cupps