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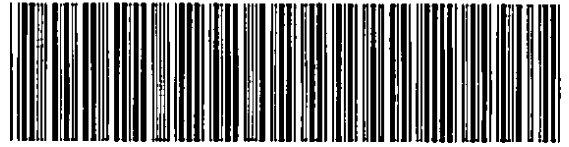
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## COVER LETTER

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** BLACK WELLNESS & PROSPERITY CENTER  
Name of Corporation – must include suffix

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Not for Profit Corporation for Authorization to Conduct its Affairs in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", or "Certificate of Status" and check are submitted to register the above referenced not for profit corporation to conduct its affairs in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Shantay R. Davies-Balch

Name of Person

BLACK WELLNESS & PROSPERITY CENTER

Firm/Company

1133 S Street

Address

Fresno, CA 93721

City/State and Zip Code

shantay@black-enterprises.com

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Shantay R. Davies-Balch

Name of Person

at ( 559 ) 790-1905  
Area Code Daytime Telephone Number

**Mailing Address:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

**Street Address:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
The Centre of Tallahassee  
2415 N. Monroe Street, Suite 810  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

Please make check payable to: **FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

☐ \$70.00 Filing Fee      ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status      ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy      ☒ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO  
CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN FLORIDA**

*IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 617.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO  
REGISTER A FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN  
THE STATE OF FLORIDA:*

1. **BLACK WELLNESS & PROSPERITY CENTER**

(Name of corporation: must include the word "INCORPORATED" or "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present. "Company" or "Co." may not be used as a corporate suffix by a nonprofit corporation.)

**BLACK WELLNESS & PROSPERITY CENTER INCORPORATED**

(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)

2. California 3. 84-3848144  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. 11/19/2019 5. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date of Incorporation) (Date of duration, if other than perpetual)

6. December 1, 2021  
(Date first conducted affairs in Florida if prior to registration. See sections 617.1501 & 617.1502, F.S. to determine penalty liability.)

7. 1133 S Street, Fresno, CA 93721  
(Principal office street address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Current mailing address, if different)

8. The purpose of the nonprofit is supporting the black community, including but not limited to black maternal health.  
(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in the state of Florida)


9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box **NOT** acceptable)

Name: Rocket Lawyer Corporate Services LLC  
Office Address: 155 Office Plaza Drive 1st Floor  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301  
(City) (Zip Code)

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10. Registered agent's acceptance:

*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this application, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.*

 Asst. Secretary for Rocket Lawyer Corporate Services  
LLC (Registered agent's signature)

11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated, not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is incorporated.

12. For initial indexing purposes, list names, titles and addresses of the primary officers and/or directors [up to six (6) total]:

**A. DIRECTORS**

☒ Chairman Name: Shantay R. Davies-Balch  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1133 S Street  
☒ Director Fresno, CA 93721  
☒ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Elliott Balch  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1133 S Street  
☒ Director Fresno, CA 93721  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Secretary ☒ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

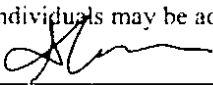
☐ Chairman Name: Venise Curry, M.D.  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1133 S Street  
☒ Director Fresno, CA 93721  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Laura E Ward  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1133 S Street  
☒ Director Fresno, CA 93721  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Subhashini Ladella, M.D.  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1133 S Street  
☒ Director Fresno, CA 93721  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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☐ Vice Chairman Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Director \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: Important Notice:** Use an attachment to report more than six (6). The attachment will be imaged for reporting purposes only. Non-indexed individuals may be added to the index when filing your Florida Department of State Annual Report form.

13.   
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Shantay R. Davies-Balch, President and Director  
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)



## Secretary of State Certificate of Status

I, SHIRLEY N. WEBER, Ph.D., Secretary of State of the State of California, hereby certify:

**Entity Name:** BLACK WELLNESS & PROSPERITY CENTER  
**File Number:** C4532462  
**Registration Date:** 11/19/2019  
**Entity Type:** DOMESTIC NONPROFIT CORPORATION  
**Jurisdiction:** CALIFORNIA  
**Status:** ACTIVE (GOOD STANDING)

As of December 14, 2021 (Certification Date), the entity is authorized to exercise all of its powers, rights and privileges in California.

This certificate relates to the status of the entity on the Secretary of State's records as of the Certification Date and does not reflect documents that are pending review or other events that may affect status.

No information is available from this office regarding the financial condition, status of licenses, if any, business activities or practices of the entity.



**IN WITNESS WHEREOF.** I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of December 15, 2021.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shirley N. Weber".

**SHIRLEY N. WEBER, Ph.D.**  
Secretary of State

**Certificate Verification Number:** Y6829KZ

To verify the issuance of this Certificate, use the Certificate Verification Number above with the Secretary of State Certification Verification Search available at [bebizfile.sos.ca.gov/certification/index](http://bebizfile.sos.ca.gov/certification/index).