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APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. Advocates for Basic Legal Equality, Inc.
(Enter name of corporation; must include "INCORPORATED," "COMPANY," "CORPORATION," "Inc.," "Co.," "Corp.," "Inc.," "Co.," or "Corp.")
Advocates for Basic Legal Equality, Inc.
(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)
2. Ohio 3. 23-7376131
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
4. 9/23/1969 5. N/A
(Date of incorporation) (Date of duration, if other than perpetual)
6. 6/26/2023
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration)
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)
7. 962 Bentstation Lane #400, Lake Mary, Florida 32746
(Principal office street address)
Same as above
(Current mailing address, if different)

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

Name: Rebecca Shope
Office Address: 101 E. Kennedy Blvd., Suite 2800
Tampa, Florida 33602
(City) (Zip code)

9. 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.

/s/ Rebecca Shope
(Registered agent's signature)

10. 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.

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

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A. DIRECTORS

☐ Chairman Name: Heather Hall

☐ Vice Chairman Address: 525 Jefferson Avenue, Ste 300

☒ Director Toledo, Ohio, 43604

☐ President _____

☐ Vice President _____

☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer

☐ Other _____ ☐ Other _____

☐ Chairman Name: Denise Ford Saxon

☐ Vice Chairman Address: 525 Jefferson Avenue, Ste 300

☒ Director Toledo, Ohio 43604

☐ President _____

☐ Vice President _____

☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer

☒ Other Director of HR ☐ Other _____

☐ Chairman Name: Nikoleta Cook

☐ Vice Chairman Address: 525 Jefferson Avenue, Ste 300

☒ Director Toledo, Ohio 43604

☐ President _____

☐ Vice President _____

☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer

☒ Other Director of Finance ☐ Other _____

☐ Chairman Name: _____

☐ Vice Chairman Address: _____

☐ Director _____

☐ President _____

☐ Vice President _____

☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer

☐ Other _____ ☐ Other _____

☐ Chairman Name: _____

☐ Vice Chairman Address: _____

☐ Director _____

☐ President _____

☐ Vice President _____

☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer

☐ Other _____ ☐ Other _____

☐ Chairman Name: _____

☐ Vice Chairman Address: _____

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☐ Vice President _____

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☐ Other _____ ☐ Other _____

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12. Heather Hall
Signature of Director or Officer

The officer or director signing this document (and who is listed in number 11 above) affirms that the facts stated herein are true and that he or she is aware that false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

13. Heather Hall
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF OHIO
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Frank LaRose, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign business entities; that said records show ADVOCATES FOR BASIC LEGAL EQUALITY, INC., an Ohio not for profit corporation, Charter No. 388975, having its principal location in Toledo, County of Lucas, was incorporated on September 25, 1969 and is currently in GOOD STANDING upon the records of this office.



Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 26th day of June, A.D. 2023.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Frank LaRose".

Ohio Secretary of State

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