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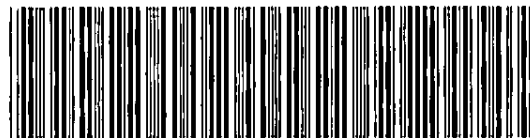
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Name: Chris Vick

Reference #: 1346222

Entity Name: SIKICH CORPORATE FINANCE LLC

☒ Articles of Incorporation/Authorization to Transact Business

☐ Amendment

☐ Change of Agent

☐ Reinstatement

☐ Conversion

☐ Merger

☐ Dissolution/Withdrawal

☐ Fictitious Name

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COVER LETTER

TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: SIKICH CORPORATE FINANCE LLC

Name of Limited Liability Company

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Limited Liability Company for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida," Certificate of Existence, and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign limited liability company to transact business in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Ramona Johnson

Name of Person

SIKICH LLP

Firm/Company

1415 W. DIEHL RD / STE 400

Address

NAPERVILLE, IL 60563

City/State and Zip Code

ramona.johnson@sikich.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Ramona Johnson

Name of Contact Person

at (312)

Area Code

648.6682

Daytime Telephone Number

MAILING ADDRESS:

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

STREET ADDRESS:

Division of Corporations
Registration Section
Clifton Building
2661 Executive Center Circle
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

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

☒ \$125.00 Filing Fee

☐ \$130.00 Filing Fee &
Certificate of Status

☐ \$155.00 Filing Fee &
Certified Copy

☐ \$160.00 Filing Fee, Certificate
of Status & Certified Copy

APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS
IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 605.0902, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY
COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

1. SIKICH CORPORATE FINANCE LLC
(Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company; must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC.")

(If name unavailable, enter alternate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida. The alternate name must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC.")

2. Delaware
(Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)

3. _____
(FEI number, if applicable)

4. _____
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.)
(See sections 605.0904 & 605.0905, F.S. to determine penalty liability)

5. 1415 W. DIEHL RD/STE 400
(Street Address of Principal Office)

6. 1415 W. DIEHL RD/STE 400
(Mailing Address)

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

Name: COGENCY GLOBAL INC.

Office Address: 115 North Calhoun St. Suite 4

Tallahassee

(City)

, Florida 32301
(Zip code)

Registered agent's acceptance:

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company 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/ Eric Hood, Assistant Secretary

(Registered agent's signature)

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8. For initial indexing purposes, list names, title or capacity and addresses of the primary members/managers or persons authorized to manage [up to six (6) total]:

Title or Capacity: **Name and Address:**

☒ Manager Name: SIKICH LLP

☒ Member Address: 1415 W. DIEHL RD/STE 400

☐ Authorized NAPERVILLE, IL 60563

Person _____

☐ Other _____ ☐ Other _____

☐ Manager Name: _____

☐ Member Address: _____

☐ Authorized _____

Person _____

☐ Other _____ ☐ Other _____

☐ Manager Name: _____

☐ Member Address: _____

☐ Authorized _____

Person _____

☐ Other _____ ☐ Other _____

Title or Capacity: **Name and Address:**

☐ Manager Name: _____

☐ Member Address: _____

☐ Authorized _____

Person _____

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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.

9. Attached is a certificate of existence, no more than 90 days old, duly authenticated by the official having custody of records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (If the certificate is in a foreign language, a translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be submitted)

10. This document is executed in accordance with section 605.0203 (1) (b), Florida Statutes. I am aware that any 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.



Signature of an authorized person

Christopher Geier, CEO of Sikich LLP, Managing Member of Sikich Corporate Finance LLC

Typed or printed name of signer

Delaware

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "SIKICH CORPORATE FINANCE LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2021.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "SIKICH CORPORATE FINANCE LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A.D. 2008.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.



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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JBULLOCK", is written over a horizontal line. Below the line, the text "Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State" is printed.

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