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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

#### OF

### BLACKBIT DRILLING, INC.

(a Florida corporation for profit)

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation for profit under the provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation.

### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of this corporation is BlackBit Drilling, Inc.

# ARTICLE II DURATION

This corporation shall have perpetual duration. The corporate existence shall begin with the date and time of the filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the Florida Department of State.

# ARTICLE III PURPOSES AND POWERS

This corporation is organized for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Florida Business Corporation Act, including, but not limited to, marketing, development and consulting.

The corporation shall have all the rights, privileges and powers now or hereafter available to corporations for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

### ARTICLE IV <u>AUTHORIZED SHARES</u>

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation is authorized to issue is Ten Thousand (10,000) shares of common stock. Such shares shall consist of one class only and shall have a par value of \$1.00 per share.

### ARTICLE V PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The street address of the corporation's initial principal office shall be 233 E. Park Avenue, Suite 102, Lake Wales, FL 33853, and the corporation's initial mailing address shall also be 233

E. Park Avenue, Suite 102, Lake Wales, FL 33853

### ARTICLE VI INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the corporation's initial registered office is 233 E. Park Avenue, Suite 102, Lake Wales, FL 33853, and the name of its initial registered agent at that office is Paul S. Blackburn.

# ARTICLE VII MANAGEMENT OF THE CORPORATION'S AFFAIRS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by, or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the corporation shall be managed under the direction of the board of directors of the corporation.

### ARTICLE VIII OFFICERS

The officers of the corporation shall consist of a president, a vice president, a treasurer, a secretary, and such other officers as may be authorized by the bylaws. The officers shall be elected by the board of directors. An officer need not be a resident of the State of Florida nor a shareholder of the corporation.

### ARTICLE IX INITIAL OFFICERS

The names of the persons who shall serve as officers of the corporation until the first election of officers by the board of directors are as follows:

President:

Carrie W. Blackburn

Vice President:

Paul S. Blackburn

Secretary:

Paul S. Blackburn

Treasurer:

Carrie W. Blackburn

The persons serving in such officer positions shall be elected and reelected as set forth in the Bylaws.

# ARTICLE X BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of directors constituting the initial board of directors of the corporation shall be two (2). The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time in accordance with the bylaws, but shall never be less than one (1). Members of the board of directors need not be residents of the State of Florida nor shareholders of the corporation. The directors shall be elected at the first annual shareholders' meeting and at each annual shareholders'

meeting thereafter, and shall hold office, in the manner set forth in the bylaws. Directors shall be removed and vacancies filled in the manner provided in the bylaws.

The name and address of each person who shall serve as a member of the initial board of directors are as follows:

> Carrie W. Blackburn 233 E. Park Avenue, Suite 102 Lake Wales, FL 33853

> Paul S. Blackburn 233 E. Park Avenue, Suite 102 Lake Wales, FL 33853



The name and address of the incorporator(s) of this corporation is as follows:

Carrie W. Blackburn 233 E. Park Avenue, Suite 102 Lake Wales, FL 33853

Paul S. Blackburn 233 E. Park Avenue, Suite 102 Lake Wales, FL 33853

### ARTICLE XII **BYLAWS**

The initial bylaws for the corporation shall be made and adopted by the board of directors of the corporation and may thereafter be amended, altered, or rescinded only in accordance with the provisions of the bylaws or the Florida Business Corporation Act, or any successor thereto.

### ARTICLE XIII **MEETINGS OF THE SHAREHOLDERS**

Annual and specially called meetings of the shareholders of this corporation shall be held as provided in the bylaws.

### ARTICLE XIV **QUORUM AT SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING**

A majority of the shares entitled to vote, represented in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at a meeting of the shareholders of the corporation.

### ARTICLE XV AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES

The corporation reserves the right to amend these Articles of Incorporation, from time to time, in any and as many respects as may be desired, in accordance with the manners and procedures provided by the Florida Business Corporation Act, or any successor thereto.

The undersigned, for the purpose of forming this corporation for profit under the laws of the State of Florida, have executed these Articles of Incorporation this 312 day of October, 2022.

Carrie W. Blackburn

Paul S. Blackburn

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### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above named corporation, at the place designated, 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 relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I state that I am familiar with, and accept, the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Dated: Oak. 31 ,2022