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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
 OF
 OREGON SEX WORKERS COMMITTEE**

**ARTICLE 1
 Name**

The name of the corporation is Oregon Sex Workers Committee (the "Corporation").

**ARTICLE 2
 Type**

The Corporation is a public benefit corporation.

**ARTICLE 3
 Members**

The Corporation will have members.

**ARTICLE 4
 Purposes and Powers**

- 4.1 General Purpose.** The Corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes set forth in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Corporation must be operated exclusively for charitable, scientific, testing for public safety, or educational purposes, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 4.2 Net Earnings.** No part of the Corporation's net earnings may inure to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual.
- 4.3 Influencing Legislation.** No substantial part of the Corporation's activities may consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation (except as otherwise provided in Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code).
- 4.4 Political Campaigns.** The Corporation may not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements), any political campaign on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for public office.
- 4.5 General Restrictions.** Notwithstanding any provision in these Articles of Incorporation to the contrary, no part of the Corporation's assets may be used in any manner, and the Corporation may not participate in any activity, that would cause the Corporation to cease to qualify as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

**ARTICLE 5
 Liability of Directors**

The personal liability of a director to the Corporation for monetary damages for conduct as a director is eliminated to the fullest extent permitted by law.

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**ARTICLE 6
Indemnification**

- 6.1 Indemnification.** The Corporation will indemnify an individual against liability incurred in a proceeding to which the individual was made a party because the individual is or was a director to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- 6.2 Advance for Expenses.** The Corporation will pay for or reimburse the reasonable expenses incurred by a director who is a party to a proceeding in advance of final disposition of the proceeding to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- 6.3 No Elimination or Impairment.**
 - (a) The Corporation may not amend these Articles of Incorporation or the Corporation's bylaws so as to eliminate or impair a director's right to indemnification after an act or omission occurs that subjects the director to a proceeding or to liability for which the director seeks indemnification under the terms of these Articles of Incorporation or the Corporation's bylaws.
 - (b) The Corporation may not amend or rescind these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation's bylaws, or a resolution that authorizes a payment of expenses so as to eliminate or impair a director's right to payments after an act or omission occurs that subjects the director to a proceeding for which the director seeks payment.

**ARTICLE 7
Distribution of Assets on Dissolution**

Upon dissolution, the Corporation must distribute its assets to an organization organized for a public or charitable purpose, a religious corporation, the United States, a State, or an organization which is recognized as exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

**ARTICLE 8
Registered Office and Registered Agent**

The street address of the Corporation's initial registered office and the name of its initial registered agent at that location is:

CRS LLC
621 SW Morrison Street, Suite 900
Portland, OR 97205

**ARTICLE 9
Incorporator**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Katherine Ruth Marquez
2034 Fremont Street
Klamath Falls, OR 97601

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ARTICLE 10
Mailing Address for Notices

The mailing address to which notices may be mailed is:

621 SW Morrison Street, Suite 900
Portland, OR 97205

Dated: January 12, 2022

I declare under penalty of perjury, that this document does not fraudulently conceal, fraudulently obscure, fraudulently alter or otherwise misrepresent the identity of the person or any members, managers, employees or agents. This filing has been examined by me and is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, correct, and complete. Making false statements in this document is against the law and may be penalized by fines, imprisonment or both.

Incorporator:

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Katherine Ruth Marquez

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