



**State of Rhode Island
Department of State - Business Services Division**

Application for Registration

FOREIGN Limited Liability Company

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Pursuant to the provisions of RIGL 7-16-49, the undersigned foreign limited liability company hereby applies for a Certificate of Registration to transact business in the State of Rhode Island, and for that purpose submits the following statement:

1. The name of the limited liability company is:		
Cherokee Nation Defense Solutions, L.L.C.		
Is this company organized in its state or country of formation as a low-profit limited liability company? Yes No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
The name, if different, under which it proposes to register and transact business in Rhode Island is:		
2. The LLC is organized under the laws of: Cherokee Nation		
3. The date of its organization is: 06/02/2008		
And the period of its duration is: CHECK ONE BOX ONLY		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Perpetual (on-going)		
Date certain for dissolution _____		
4. The name and address of the resident agent/office in Rhode Island is:		
Agent Name C T Corporation System		
Street Address (NOT a P.O. Box) 450 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Suite 7A		
City/Town East Providence	State RHODE ISLAND	Zip Code 02914
5. The purpose or purposes which it proposes to pursue in the transaction of business in Rhode Island are: Government contract fulfillment primarily for the DOD.		
Check the box to indicate an attachment		

MAIL TO:

Division of Business Services
148 W. River Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02904-2615
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6. The RI Department of State is appointed the agent of the foreign limited liability company for service of process if, at any time, there is no resident agent or if the resident agent cannot be found or served following the exercise of reasonable diligence.

7. The address of the office required to be maintained in the state or country of its organization by the laws of that state or, if not so required, of the principal office of the foreign limited liability company is:
 777 W. Cherokee Street, Corp. Bldg. 2, Catoosa, Oklahoma 74015, United States

8. The mailing address for the limited liability company is:
 777 W. Cherokee Street, Corp. Bldg. 2, Catoosa, Oklahoma 74015, United States

9. Management of the Limited Liability Company: **CHECK ONLY ONE BOX**

Members (Owners) DO NOT complete the chart below.	OR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Managers (Individuals hired by the members with no ownership interest) Complete the chart below.	
X		MANAGER NAME	ADDRESS
		Clint Bickett	777 W. Cherokee Street, Catoosa, Oklahoma 74015, United States
		Karl Gaskin	777 W. Cherokee Street, Catoosa, Oklahoma 74015, United States

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10. This application must be accompanied by a Certificate of Good Standing/Letter of Status from the state or country of formation dated within 60 days of the date of filing.

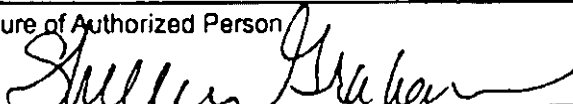
11. Date when this application for Certificate of Registration will be effective: **CHECK ONE BOX ONLY**

Date received (Upon filing)

Later effective date (Date must be no more than 90 days from the date of filing) _____

Under penalty of perjury, I declare and affirm that I have examined this Application for Registration, including any accompanying attachments, and that all statements contained herein are true and correct.

Type or Print Name of LLC Cherokee Nation Defense Solutions, L.L.C.	Date 9/13/23
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Signature of Authorized Person


If you have any questions, please call us at (401) 222-3040, Monday through Friday, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., or email corporations@sos.ri.gov.

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CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING DOMESTIC FOR PROFIT BUSINESS COMPANY

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, do hereby certify that I am, by the laws of said Nation, the custodian of the records of the Cherokee Nation relating to the right of certain business entities to transact business in this Nation and am the proper officer to execute this certificate.

I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT Cherokee Nation Defense Solutions, L.L.C. whose registered agent is Robert A. Huffman, Jr., with its registered office at 777 West Cherokee Street, Catoosa, OK 74015, USA, is a Domestic For Profit Limited Liability Company duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Cherokee Nation and is in good standing according to the records of this office. This certificate is not to be construed as an endorsement, recommendation or notice of approval of the entity's financial condition or business activities and practices. Such information is not available from this office.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the Cherokee Nation, done this Fourteenth day of September, 2023.

*Chuck Hoskin, Jr. Principal Chief
Cherokee Nation*