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Non-Profit Corporation Annual Report

Filing Period: February 1 - May 1

In accordance with R.I.G.L. 7-6-94, each corporation failing or refusing to file its annual report within the time prescribed by law (R.I.G.L. 7-6-91) is subject to a penalty fee of \$25.00.

ANNUAL REPORT YEAR - ENTER THE CURRENT YEAR **2024**: <u>2024</u>

- 1. Corporate ID No. <u>001666104</u>
- 2. Name of Corporation SANKOFA ART AND SOLACE
- 3. State of Incorporation

State: RI

### **NAICS CODE**

Using the dropdown labeled NAICS Code below, select the classification title that describes the primary type of activity in which your entity engages. The box to the right of the dropdown will populate a NAICS Code based on the chosen selection. If the NAICS Code is known, enter it into the box on the right. For further assistance with selecting a classification <u>click here.</u>

NAICS Code

813319

#### 4. Principal Office Address

No. and Street: 2 BROADWAY

City or Town: <u>NEWPORT</u> State: <u>RI</u> Zip: <u>02840</u> Country: <u>USA</u>

#### 5. Brief Description of the Character of the Affairs Conducted in Rhode Island

THE SPECIFIC PURPOSE OR PURPOSES FOR WHICH THE CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED ARE:

A)TO COMBINE SELF-CARE, COMMUNITY CARE, AND EXPRESSIVE ARTS TO PROMOTE

HEALING, ENHANCE MENTAL WELL-BEING, AND UPLIFT MARGINALIZED COMMUNITIES.

B)SAID CORPORATION IS ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHARITABLE, RELIGIOUS,

EDUCATIONAL, AND SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES, INCLUDING, FOR SUCH PURPOSES, THE

MAKING OF DISTRIBUTIONS TO ORGANIZATIONS THAT QUALIFY AS EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS

<u>UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING</u>

SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.

C)NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT

OF, OR BE DISTRIBUTABLE TO ITS MEMBERS, TRUSTEES, OFFICERS, OR OTHER PRIVATE

PERSONS, EXCEPT THAT THE CORPORATION SHALL BE AUTHORIZED AND EMPOWERED TO PAY

REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED AND TO MAKE PAYMENTS AND

<u>DISTRIBUTIONS IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES SET FORTH IN ARTICLE</u> THIRD

HEREOF. NO SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE THE

<u>CARRYING ON OF PROPAGANDA, OR OTHERWISE ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE LEGISLATION,</u>

AND THE CORPORATION SHALL NOT PARTICIPATE IN, OR INTERVENE IN (INCLUDING THE

<u>PUBLISHING OR DISTRIBUTION OF STATEMENTS) ANY POLITICAL CAMPAIGN ON</u> BEHALF OF

OR IN OPPOSITION TO ANY CANDIDATE FOR PUBLIC OFFICE.

**NOTWITHSTANDING ANY** 

OTHER PROVISION OF THESE ARTICLES, THIS CORPORATION SHALL NOT, EXCEPT TO AN

INSUBSTANTIAL DEGREE, ENGAGE IN ANY ACTIVITIES OR EXERCISE ANY POWERS THAT

ARE NOT IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES OF THIS CORPORATION.

D)UPON THE DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION, ASSETS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR

ONE OR MORE EXEMPT PURPOSES WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE

INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX

CODE, OR SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, OR TO A STATE OR

SHALL BE DISPOSED OF BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION OF THE COUNTY IN

WHICH THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION IS THEN LOCATED, EXCLUSIVELY

FOR SUCH PURPOSES OR TO SUCH ORGANIZATION OR ORGANIZATIONS, AS SAID COURT

SHALL DETERMINE, WHICH ARE ORGANIZED AND OPERATED EXCLUSIVELY FOR SUCH

PURPOSES.

#### 6. Names and Addresses of the Officers and Directors:

All Directors and Officers must be listed individually. The number of DIRECTORS of a Rhode Island Corporation shall not be less than 3.

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
PRESIDENT	MELANIE MCKINNEY	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
SECRETARY	SUSAN KENNEY	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	AMY MCKINNEY	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	DELLICIA ALLEN	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	SUSAN KENNEY	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA
DIRECTOR	MELANIE MCKINNEY	2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840 USA

- 7. REGISTERED AGENT IN RHODE ISLAND DO NOT ALTER Changes Require Filing of Form 641 R.I.G.L. 7-6-13 / 7-6-78
  - J. NIKO MERRITT 2 BROADWAY NEWPORT, RI 02840
- 8. This report must be signed by either the President, Vice President, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, duly Authorized Representative, Receiver, or Trustee.

Signed this 21 Day of April, 2024 at 6:43:50 PM by the authorized person. This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the company, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-6.

## By J. NIKO MERRITT

Signature of Authorized Person

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