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**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**  
 Department of State  
 Bureau of Corporations and Charitable Organizations  
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION - NONPROFIT**  
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Pennsylvania Department of State

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In compliance with the requirements of [15 Pa.C.S. § 5306](#) (relating to articles of incorporation) or [15 Pa.C.S. § 7102](#) (relating to cooperative corporations generally), the undersigned, desiring to incorporate a nonprofit/nonprofit cooperative corporation, hereby state(s) that:

Nonprofit Corporation Type

Filing type Domestic Nonprofit Corporation  
 Nonprofit filing subtype Nonprofit Corporation

Corporation Name

Business name Flagship Dog Sports, Inc.

Effective Date

The filing shall be effective when filed with the Department of State

The corporation is incorporated under the Nonprofit Corporation Law of 1988 for the following purpose or purposes. To further the advancement of and do all in its power to protect the interests of scent work trials, to further educate about dog sports, and to grow the bond between owners and dogs.

Additional Information

**The corporation does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit, incidental or otherwise.**

The incorporators constitute a majority of the members of the committee authorized to incorporate such association by the requisite vote required by the organic law of the association for the amendment of such organic law.

This corporation shall have members.

Registered Office

The address of this corporation's proposed registered office in this Commonwealth is  
6085 NORTHERN DR  
FAIRVIEW, PA 16415-2226  
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Stock

The corporation is organized on a nonstock basis

Incorporators

| Name of individual or organization | Address                                   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Lisa Yan                           | 6085 Northern Drive<br>Fairview, PA 16415 |

Additional provisions, if any

Additional provisions DOCS-#1886636-v1-Flagship\_Dog\_Sports\_-\_Articles\_of\_Incorporation\_(Exhibit).pdf

I qualify for a veteran/reservist-owned small business fee exemption (see help)

Electronic Signature

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the incorporator(s) has/have signed these Articles of Incorporation

*Lisa Yan*

Lisa Yan

*10/21/2024*

Date

Exhibit

to the Articles of Incorporation of  
FLAGSHIP DOG SPORTS, INC.  
(the "Corporation")

11. ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its directors or officers, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes herein set forth. It is intended that the Corporation shall have, and continue to have, the status of a corporation which is exempt from federal income taxation as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"), and these Articles of Incorporation shall be construed accordingly, and all powers and activities hereunder shall be limited accordingly. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted, to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

The Corporation shall be required to distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and such manner as not to subject the Corporation to tax under Code Section 4942. The Corporation shall be prohibited from engaging in any act of self-dealing (as defined in Section 4941(d) of the Code), from retaining any excess business holdings (as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Code), from making any investments in such manner as to subject the Corporation to tax under Section 4944 of the Code, and from making any taxable expenditures (as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Code).

Upon the dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the Corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the Corporation exclusively for the purposes of the Corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania which are

organized and operated exclusively for charitable purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), outright and in such amounts or proportions as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of Erie County, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine.

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