



**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
of
Stelleo Scientific Foundation**

Pursuant to the Alabama Nonprofit Corporation Law, the undersigned incorporator hereby forms a nonprofit corporation and adopts the following Articles of Incorporation:

Article I – Name

The name of the corporation is **Stelleo Scientific Foundation**.

Article II – Duration

The duration of the corporation is **perpetual**.

Article III – Purpose

This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, scientific, and educational purposes as defined under **Section 501(c)(3)** of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law). The specific purposes include:

- Supporting and conducting research and education in the fields of physics, quantum theory, energy storage, material science, consciousness studies, infrastructure resilience, and environmental systems.
 - Disseminating scientific knowledge and discoveries to the public.
 - Promoting innovation and collaboration between public and private institutions in support of scientific progress and public benefit.
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Article IV – Nonprofit Nature

Stelleo Scientific Foundation, a 501(c)(3) organization. 216 South 8th Street Opelika, AL 36801

This corporation is a **nonprofit** and **shall not issue shares of stock**. No part of the net earnings shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, its members, trustees, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation may pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and make payments in furtherance of its exempt purposes.

Article V – Prohibited Activities

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 distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

Article VI – Private Foundation Restrictions (Required under IRC Section 508(e))

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles, **if the corporation is determined to be a private foundation** as defined in Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, the corporation shall be subject to the following provisions as required by Section 508(e):

1. The corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to subject it to tax under **Section 4942** of the Internal Revenue Code.
 2. The corporation shall not engage in any act of **self-dealing** as defined in **Section 4941(d)** of the Internal Revenue Code.
 3. The corporation shall not retain any **excess business holdings** as defined in **Section 4943(c)** of the Internal Revenue Code.
 4. The corporation shall not make any **investments** in such manner as to subject it to tax under **Section 4944** of the Internal Revenue Code.
 5. The corporation shall not make any **taxable expenditures** as defined in **Section 4945(d)** of the Internal Revenue Code.
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Article VII – Dissolution

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 shall be distributed to the federal government or to a state or local government for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction in the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes.

Article VIII – Registered Office and Agent

The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

Stelleo Scientific Foundation -

The name of the registered agent at this address is:

Jon Howard Brasher

Article IX – Incorporator

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Jon Howard Brasher

216 South 8th Street

Opelika, AL 36801
