

# Tricopian, Inc., dba FuelRod



## ANNUAL REPORT

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### BUSINESS

**OVERVIEW** - Since its founding in 2011 as a California limited liability company headquartered in San Diego, the Company (DBA FuelRod) has adopted the vision of becoming a leading brand in the fast-growing, multi-billion-dollar market of providing sustainable, portable charging products and services to users of mobile devices including smartphones, tablets, and other electronic devices. FuelRod was converted into a Delaware corporation in 2016 and has a wholly owned subsidiary based in Shanghai, China that is currently focused on supply chain management and sourcing on behalf of the parent company in the US with the long-term goal of entering the China and Asia-Pacific markets.

With 11 US and international patents in its IP portfolio, FuelRod is a first mover and leading provider of market-differentiating, patented, sustainable, portable power solutions. FuelRod's portfolio of eleven patents provide the IP protection in the US, Japan and China. They collectively cover the key aspects of FuelRod's uniquely innovative business model including automated exchanges/swaps (two-way vending), automatic identification of swappable products at any FuelRod kiosks nationwide, and the system and method for providing our customers with high-quality, reliable, re-usable, eco-friendly batteries such as portable chargers.

The company offers a swappable, reusable, and affordable charging system that is convenient for consumers who use their mobile devices on the go. FuelRod is well-positioned for fast, sustainable growth as the demand for mobile device charging solutions continues to increase and while FuelRod continues its growth trajectory to take market shares from the incumbents with its unique, patented, swap-enabled, market-differentiating, sustainable, and innovative products and services.

As of December 2023, FuelRod has sold approximately 2.2 million FuelRod portable chargers (i.e. the initial purchases or starter kits) through its online and offline channels, and served over 6 million mobile devices on the go through its network of uniquely innovative, "swap as a service" kiosks nationwide. The revenue increased by 14% in 2023 relative to 2022, strengthening our first-mover position while validating our business model and go-to-market growth strategy.

**INDUSTRY** - FuelRod operates in the mobile device charging industry including portable chargers, power banks, and other on-the-go essentials and accessories. The company's products and services are used by consumers to charge their smartphones, tablets, and other mobile devices without being tethered to a power outlet.

**CORPORATE HISTORY** - Tricopian, Inc. DBA FuelRod was incorporated on June 6, 2011, in the state of California as Tricopian, LLC. Tricopian, LLC, a California limited liability company converted to Tricopian, Inc., a Delaware corporation on July 1, 2016.

### Previous Offerings

Name: Preferred Stock

Type of security sold: Equity

Final amount sold: \$2,500,000.00

Number of Securities Sold: 3,500,000

Use of proceeds: Start-up activities such as product development, operations, business development, marketing, and G&A



Date: July 31, 2015  
Offering exemption relied upon: Section 4(a)(2)

Type of security sold: Convertible Note  
Final amount sold: \$70,000.00  
Use of proceeds: Growth capital--G&A, business development, marketing, etc.  
Date: February 07, 2022  
Offering exemption relied upon: Section 4(a)(2)

## REGULATORY INFORMATION

The company has not previously failed to comply with the requirements of Regulation Crowdfunding;

## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

## AND RESULTS OF OPERATION

### Operating Results - 2023 Compared to 2022

Circumstances which led to the performance of financial statements:

#### Revenue

Revenue for fiscal year 2022 was \$13,522,238 compared to \$15,364,711 in fiscal year 2023. The growth in revenue was driven primarily by increased demands for the company's products and services, growth in revenues derived from e-commerce platforms, increased brand awareness resulting from increased investment in digital marketing and promotional campaigns, and installation of new kiosks.

#### Cost of sales

Cost of Sales for fiscal year 2022 was \$7,469,907 compared to \$8,122,572 in fiscal year 2023. The increase was consistent with overall revenue growth with a slight cost reduction due to the increase in scale.

#### Gross margins

Gross margins for fiscal year 2022 were \$6,052,331 (45% of revenue) compared to \$7,242,139 (47% of revenue) in fiscal year 2023. The economy of scale and continuous improvements in operating efficiencies (e.g., cost reduction, product quality, kiosk reliability, and up-time, etc.) contributed to the margin improvement.

#### Expenses

Expenses for fiscal year 2022 were \$3,884,962 compared to \$4,768,986 in fiscal year 2023. The increase in expenses was in line with the need to support topline growth, reflecting additional spending in staffing, marketing and promotion, customer service, and post-sales technical and logistical support.

#### Historical results and cash flows:

The Company is currently in the growth stage and revenue-generating. We are of the opinion that the historical revenue and cash flows will not be indicative of the revenue and cash flows expected for the future because top line revenue is expected to increase as the management team executes the growth plan, while cash flow may decrease due to the investment nature of growing the company. Past cash was primarily generated through sales of products and services. Our goal is to continue driving sales through our current channels while heavily investing capital into growing our kiosk network, developing new distribution and sales channels, introducing new products, continue to build brand awareness by executing our digital- and social-media centric marketing and promotional strategies.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

At December 31, 2023, the Company had cash of \$1,873,723.00. [*The Company intends to raise additional funds through an equity financing.*]

#### Debt

Creditor: Ashford  
Amount Owed: \$12,810.07  
Interest Rate: 14.0%  
Maturity Date: January 08, 2026  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: Brenner  
Amount Owed: \$75,259.14  
Interest Rate: 14.0%  
Maturity Date: April 04, 2022  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.



Creditor: EEI  
Amount Owed: \$55,686.48  
Interest Rate: 14.0%  
Maturity Date: December 25, 2025  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: Fan  
Amount Owed: \$69,214.64  
Interest Rate: 14.0%  
Maturity Date: January 24, 2022  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: Li Cao  
Amount Owed: \$82,003.72  
Interest Rate: 7.0%  
Maturity Date: June 08, 2023  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: McKim  
Amount Owed: \$31,275.17  
Interest Rate: 14.0%  
Maturity Date: December 25, 2025  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: Prim  
Amount Owed: \$37,629.57  
Interest Rate: 14.0%  
Maturity Date: January 06, 2026  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: Wu Junbo  
Amount Owed: \$488,169.52  
Interest Rate: 5.0%  
Maturity Date: December 06, 2027  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: Xu  
Amount Owed: \$64,050.33  
Interest Rate: 14.0%  
Maturity Date: January 15, 2026  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: Yu  
Amount Owed: \$62,550.34  
Interest Rate: 14.0%  
Maturity Date: January 01, 2026  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: McQuilkin  
Amount Owed: \$435,748.98  
Interest Rate: 15.0%  
Maturity Date: March 05, 2027  
Amount owed (including interest) calculated as of 12/31/2023.

Creditor: Holders of certain convertible debt  
Amount Owed: \$461,796.00  
Interest Rate: 0.0%  
See Company Securities entry for Convertible Debt (deferred payments in lieu of cash)

Creditor: The CAEN Group LLC  
Amount Owed: \$1,002,206.55  
Interest Rate: 6.0%  
There is no fixed maturity date. Lender agreed to a flexible repayment plan by the company as its business conditions permit.

Creditor: Certain Convertible Note Holders  
Amount Owed: \$33,204.00  
Interest Rate: 5.0%  
Maturity Date: November 01, 2026  
See Company Securities entry for 5yr/5% Optional Convertible Note

Creditor: Certain Convertible Note Holders  
Amount Owed: \$43,736.00  
Interest Rate: 5.0%



Maturity Date: February 06, 2027  
See Company Securities entry for 5yr/5% Optional Convertible Note

**DIRECTORS, EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND SIGNIFICANT EMPLOYEES**

Our directors and executive officers as of the date hereof, are as follows:

Name: Chi Yau  
Chi Yau's current primary role is with the Issuer.  
Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Co-Founder, CEO, Director  
Dates of Service: June, 2011 - Present  
Responsibilities: Chi Co-Founded FuelRod and currently serve as the CEO and a member of its Board of Directors. Chi currently receives salary compensation of \$200,000 for this role and controls 61% equity on behalf of CAEN Group LLC.

Name: Joseph Yeagley  
Joseph Yeagley's current primary role is with the Issuer.  
Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Co-Founder and Chief Operating Officer  
Dates of Service: June, 2011 - Present  
Responsibilities: Co-founder and COO. Responsible for assisting CEO and executive staff with strategic planning and day to day management of the company. Joseph currently receives salary compensation of \$200,000 for this role.  
Position: Board Member  
Dates of Service: June, 2013 - Present  
Responsibilities: Corporate governance, strategy, and management oversight.

Other business experience in the past three years:  
Employer: Yeagley Enterprises dba Eagle Enterprises  
Title: Owner and Secretary  
Dates of Service: July, 2010 - Present  
Responsibilities: Co-owner of company that resells back-up power and monitoring systems. Joseph Yeagley currently serves 5 hours or less per week in this role.

Name: Brian Gore  
Brian Gore's current primary role is with Preferred CFO. Brian Gore currently services 20 hours per week in their role with the Issuer.  
Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Fractional Chief Financial Officer  
Dates of Service: September, 2023 - Present  
Responsibilities: Providing financial oversight for Company's historical and forecasted financial statements. Brian does not currently receive salary compensation for this role.

Other business experience in the past three years:  
Employer: Preferred CFO  
Title: CFO  
Dates of Service: September, 2022 - Present  
Responsibilities: Provide expert CFO services to retail, e-commerce, and Fintech verticals clients. Focus on forward-looking vision and helping clients achieve their vision through a disciplined approach. Expertise in building financial processes that will maximize the company's capital raising is also built to scale with the company's growth.

Name: Adriana Lynch  
Adriana Lynch's current primary role is with Chief Outsiders. Adriana Lynch currently services 15 hours per week in their role with the Issuer.  
Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Chief Marketing Officer  
Dates of Service: May, 2020 - Present  
Responsibilities: Since 2020, Adriana has been the Chief Marketing Officer (CMO) for FuelRod, responsible for leading and executing the company's marketing and branding initiatives and growing the e-commerce business. Adri works with cross-functional teams and leads outsourced agencies, to drive the development and execution of marketing strategies and plans that enhance the company's market position and drive revenue growth profitably. Adriana currently receives salary compensation of \$96,000 for this role.

Other business experience in the past three years:  
Employer: Chief Outsiders  
Title: Area Managing Partner & CMO  
Dates of Service: August, 2018 - Present  
Responsibilities: As a Fractional or Interim Chief Marketing Officer, I become part of the CEO's executive team bringing a market based perspective to crystalize strategies and manage implementation to drive growth...all with an unbiased outsider’s perspective. As a Fractional or Interim Chief Marketing Officer, I become part of the CEO's executive team bringing a market based perspective to crystalize strategies and manage implementation to drive growth...all with an unbiased outsider’s perspective.

Name: Claudio Frescas  
Claudio Frescas's current primary role is with the Issuer.



Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Vice President of Sales and Marketing  
Dates of Service: January, 2019 - Present  
Responsibilities: As Vice President of Sales and Marketing at Fue!Rod, I oversee and drive the company's sales strategies, forging key retail partnerships, while also leading the marketing team in promoting our brand, enhancing customer engagement, and ensuring FuelRod remains at the forefront of the portable charging solutions market. Claudio currently receives salary compensation of \$100,000 for this role.

Name: Zhenxiang Dai  
Zhenxiang Dai's current primary role is with DFWIN Int'l . Zhenxiang Dai currently services 40 hours per week in their role with the Issuer.  
Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Vice President, Operations & Engineering  
Dates of Service: November, 2021 - Present  
Responsibilities: Manufacturing Operations, Engineering, New Product Development, Quality Assurance, and Supply Chain Management. Zhenxiang currently receives salary compensation of \$150,000 for this role.

Other business experience in the past three years:  
Employer: DFWIN Int'l  
Title: General Manager  
Dates of Service: October, 2019 - Present  
Responsibilities: Marketing & sales strategy, P&L management

Name: Billy Dean Prim  
Billy Dean Prim's current primary role is with Primo Water Corp. Billy Dean Prim currently services .25 hours per week in their role with the Issuer.  
Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Board Member  
Dates of Service: January, 2018 - Present  
Responsibilities: Board Member and investor. Billy does not currently receive salary compensation for this role.

Other business experience in the past three years:  
Employer: Primo Water Corp  
Title: Director  
Dates of Service: September, 2005 - Present  
Responsibilities: Founder and Board Member.

Name: Dajian Yu  
Dajian Yu's current primary role is with Silicon Valley China Venture Management (SVCVM). Dajian Yu currently services .25 hours per week in their role with the Issuer.  
Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Director  
Dates of Service: January, 2012 - Present  
Responsibilities: Member of the Board of Directors. Dajian currently does not receive salary compensation for this role.

Other business experience in the past three years:  
Employer: Silicon Valley China Venture Management (SVCVM)  
Title: Vice President  
Dates of Service: August, 2010 - Present  
Responsibilities: Source and manage SVCVM portfolio companies including serving on their boards

Name: Richard Brenner  
Richard Brenner's current primary role is with Vivid Metal Prints, LLC. Richard Brenner currently services .25 hours per week in their role with the Issuer.  
Positions and offices currently held with the issuer:  
Position: Board Member  
Dates of Service: June, 2018 - Present  
Responsibilities: Richard is a member of the board and advises on all relevant aspects. Richard does not currently receive salary compensation for this role.

Other business experience in the past three years:  
Employer: Vivid Metal Prints, LLC  
Title: CEO  
Dates of Service: May, 2016 - Present  
Responsibilities: As CEO of this 9-person company, I am responsible for all aspects of the firm.

**PRINCIPAL SECURITY HOLDERS**

Set forth below is information regarding the beneficial ownership of our Common Stock, our only outstanding class of capital stock, as of December 31, 2023, by (i) each person whom we know owned, beneficially, more than 10% of the outstanding shares of our Common Stock, and (ii) all of the current officers and directors as a group. We believe that, except as noted below, each named beneficial owner has sole voting and investment power with respect to the shares listed. Unless otherwise indicated herein, beneficial ownership is determined in accordance with the rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission and includes voting or investment power with respect to shares beneficially



owned.

Title of class: Common and Preferred Stock  
Stockholder Name: The CAEN Group, LLC (Managed by Chi Yau - Owned 40% by Chi Yau; Owned 40% by Kathleen Yau)  
Amount and nature of Beneficial ownership: 8,000,000 common and 1,000,000 preferred  
Percent of class: 61.12

**RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Name of Entity: The CAEN Group, LLC  
Names of 20% owners: Chi Yau, Kathleen Yau (wife), and Aaron Yau (son)  
Relationship to Company: 20%+ Owner  
Nature / amount of interest in the transaction: CAEN has agreed to lend and has actually lent money to the Company as part of the founding agreement (Operating Agreement). At December 31, 2023, the outstanding balance was \$1,002,207  
Material Terms: At 6% interest rate with flexible payment terms as Company's business conditions permit.

Name of Entity: The CAEN Group, LLC  
Names of 20% owners: Chi Yau, Kathleen Yau (wife), Aaron Yau (son)  
Relationship to Company: 20%+ Owner  
Nature / amount of interest in the transaction: As of August 31, 2021, all claims, obligation, ownership, rights, etc. between Tricopian Inc. and Chengyan Tong has been transferred from Chengyan Tong to The CAEN Group, LLC (Chi Yau’s family office and Chi Yau is one of the founders).  
Material Terms: As a result of these transactions, the Company owes The CAEN Group net amount of \$150,000 in convertible notes which have been subsequently converted into common shares.

**OUR SECURITIES**

The company has authorized Common Stock, 5yr/5% Optional Convertible Note, 5yr/5% Optional Convertible Note, Series Seed Preferred, Series Seed Preferred Prime, and Convertible Debt (deferred payments in lieu of cash). As part of the Regulation Crowdfunding raise, the Company will be offering up to 378,834 of Common Stock.

Common Stock  
The amount of security authorized is 25,000,000 with a total of 11,225,510 outstanding.

Voting Rights  
One Vote Per Share

Material Rights  
The amount outstanding does not include 2,982,163 shares to be issued pursuant to outstanding options as part of the authorized three-million-share option pool.  
The amount outstanding does not include 17,837 shares reserved for issuance under the company's equity incentive plan.

Voting Rights of Securities Sold in this Offering  
Voting Proxy. Each Subscriber shall appoint the Chief Executive Officer of the Company (the “CEO”), or his or her successor, as the Subscriber’s true and lawful proxy and attorney, with the power to act alone and with full power of substitution, to, consistent with this instrument and on behalf of the Subscriber, (i) vote all Securities, (ii) give and receive notices and communications, (iii) execute any instrument or document that the CEO determines is necessary or appropriate in the exercise of its authority under this instrument, and (iv) take all actions necessary or appropriate in the judgment of the CEO for the accomplishment of the foregoing. The proxy and power granted by the Subscriber pursuant to this Section are coupled with an interest. Such proxy and power will be irrevocable. The proxy and power, so long as the Subscriber is an individual, will survive the death, incompetency, and disability of the Subscriber and, so long as the Subscriber is an entity, will survive the merger or reorganization of the Subscriber or any other entity holding the Securities. However, the Proxy will terminate upon the closing of a firm-commitment underwritten public offering pursuant to an effective registration statement under the Securities Act of 1933 covering the offer and sale of Common Stock or the effectiveness of a registration statement under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 covering the Common Stock.

5yr/5% Optional Convertible Note

The security will convert into Securities issued in a qualified equity financing (see below) and the terms of the 5yr/5% Optional Convertible Note are outlined below:

Amount outstanding: \$33,204.00

Maturity Date: November 01, 2026

Interest Rate: 5.0%

Discount Rate: 5.0%

Valuation Cap: \$0.00



Conversion Trigger: A Qualified Equity Financing (See below)

Material Rights

\$3,204 of interest is included in the amount outstanding and was calculated as of 11/7/23

INTEREST. Interest will accrue on the unpaid principal balance of this Note (“Outstanding Balance”) at a rate equal to the lower of (a) five percent (5%) per annum or (b) the highest rate permitted by applicable law, compounded annually on the basis of a 365-day year, commencing on the date hereof.

PREPAYMENT. This Note may be prepaid by the Company at any time without penalty. In accordance with Subsection 1.2 of the Purchase Agreement, Holder acknowledges and agrees the prepayment of all or any portion of the outstanding principal amount of this Note and all interest hereon will be pari passu in right of payment and in all other respects to all other Notes issued by the Company pursuant to the Purchase Agreement.

Optional Conversion on Qualified Equity Financing.

a. If Company closes a Qualified Equity Financing (as defined below) before the Maturity Date, then ten to one hundred percent (10-100%) accrued and unpaid interest and the Outstanding Balance under this Note (the Conversion Percentage) can be optionally converted into the units issued in such Qualified Equity Financing (“Financing Conversion Preferred Units”) at a conversion price equal to ninety-five percent (95%) of the purchase price per unit of the Financing Conversion Preferred Units paid by the investors in the Qualified Equity Financing.

b. Such optional conversion will be deemed to have been effected on the date of closing the Qualified Equity Financing. Company will deliver to Holder one or more certificates representing the units of Financing Conversion Preferred Units into which this Note is converted as soon as practicable after the conversion.

c. On conversion under this Subsection 4.1, this Note will be deemed to be partially or fully paid in in proportion to the Conversion Percentage with any remaining unpaid portion of the Outstanding Balance to be paid at the Maturity Date.

d. A “Qualified Equity Financing” means the closing of an investment or series of investments in the Company occurring after the date hereof and before the Maturity Date in which the Company receives from one or more investors gross proceeds of at least Five Million US Dollars (\$5,000,000 USD) (including the issuance or conversion of this Note or any notes containing substantially similar terms as this Note) in exchange for Series A Preferred Units (as defined in the Company Operating Agreement) of the Company.

MOST FAVORED NATIONS. If Company issues a Note under the Purchase Agreement after the date of this Note and prior to (a) conversion of this Note or (b) payment in full of all outstanding principal and accrued interest of this Note (“Subsequent Note”), Company will provide Holder written notice of such issuance no later five (5) days after the issuance thereof. If Holder determines, in its sole and absolute discretion, any Subsequent Note contains terms (other than the Loan Amount and Maturity Date) more favorable than the terms in this Note, Holder may elect to exchange this Note for a Subsequent Note.

5yr/5% Optional Convertible Note

The security will convert into Securities issued issued in a qualified equity financing (see below) and the terms of the 5yr/5% Optional Convertible Note are outlined below:

Amount outstanding: \$43,736.00

Maturity Date: February 06, 2027

Interest Rate: 5.0%

Discount Rate: 5.0%

Valuation Cap: \$0.00

Conversion Trigger: A Qualified Equity Financing (See below)

Material Rights

\$3,736 of interest is included in the amount outstanding and was calculated as of 11/7/2023.

INTEREST. Interest will accrue on the unpaid principal balance of this Note (“Outstanding Balance”) at a rate equal to the lower of (a) five percent (5%) per annum or (b) the highest rate permitted by applicable law, compounded annually on the basis of a 365-day year, commencing on the date hereof.

PREPAYMENT. This Note may be prepaid by the Company at any time without penalty. In accordance with Subsection 1.2 of the Purchase Agreement, Holder acknowledges and agrees the prepayment of all or any portion of the outstanding principal amount of this Note and all interest hereon will be pari passu in right of payment and in all other respects to all other Notes issued by the Company pursuant to the Purchase Agreement.

Optional Conversion on Qualified Equity Financing.



- a. If Company closes a Qualified Equity Financing (as defined below) before the Maturity Date, then ten to one hundred percent (10-100%) accrued and unpaid interest and the Outstanding Balance under this Note (the Conversion Percentage) can be optionally converted into the units issued in such Qualified Equity Financing (“Financing Conversion Preferred Units”) at a conversion price equal to ninety-five percent (95%) of the purchase price per unit of the Financing Conversion Preferred Units paid by the investors in the Qualified Equity Financing.
- b. Such optional conversion will be deemed to have been effected on the date of closing the Qualified Equity Financing. Company will deliver to Holder one or more certificates representing the units of Financing Conversion Preferred Units into which this Note is converted as soon as practicable after the conversion.
- c. On conversion under this Subsection 4.1, this Note will be deemed to be partially or fully paid in in proportion to the Conversion Percentage with any remaining unpaid portion of the Outstanding Balance to be paid at the Maturity Date.
- d. A “Qualified Equity Financing” means the closing of an investment or series of investments in the Company occurring after the date hereof and before the Maturity Date in which the Company receives from one or more investors gross proceeds of at least Five Million US Dollars (\$5,000,000 USD) (including the issuance or conversion of this Note or any notes containing substantially similar terms as this Note) in exchange for Series A Preferred Units (as defined in the Company Operating Agreement) of the Company.

**MOST FAVORED NATIONS.** If Company issues a Note under the Purchase Agreement after the date of this Note and prior to (a) conversion of this Note or (b) payment in full of all outstanding principal and accrued interest of this Note (“Subsequent Note”), Company will provide Holder written notice of such issuance no later five (5) days after the issuance thereof. If Holder determines, in its sole and absolute discretion, any Subsequent Note contains terms (other than the Loan Amount and Maturity Date) more favorable than the terms in this Note, Holder may elect to exchange this Note for a Subsequent Note.

#### Series Seed Preferred

The amount of security authorized is 3,000,000 with a total of 2,666,667 outstanding.

#### Voting Rights

On any matter presented to the stockholders of the Corporation for their action or consideration at any meeting of stockholders of the Corporation (or by written consent of stockholders in lieu of meeting), each holder of outstanding shares of Preferred Stock shall be entitled to cast the number of votes equal to the number of whole shares of Common Stock into which the shares Preferred Stock held by such holder are convertible as of the record date for determining stockholders entitled to vote on such matter. Fractional votes by the holders of Preferred Stock shall not, however, be permitted and any fractional voting rights shall (after aggregating all shares into which shares of Preferred Stock held by each holder could be converted) be rounded to the nearest whole number (with one-half being rounded upward). Except as otherwise provided by law or by the other provisions of this Certificate of Incorporation, holders of Preferred Stock shall vote together with the holders of Common Stock as a single class. Except as otherwise required by law or hereunder, the holder of each share of Common Stock issued and outstanding shall have one vote.

#### Material Rights

#### Liquidation Preference.

In the event of any (i) liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Corporation, (ii) merger, consolidation or other similar transaction or series of related transactions in which stockholders of the Corporation immediately prior to such transaction(s) do not own at least fifty percent (50%) of the outstanding voting securities of the successor entity immediately after such transaction(s), (iii) transaction or series of transactions in which fifty percent (50%) or more of the Corporation’s voting power is transferred (other than in connection with financing transactions in which the Corporation issues securities to investors for capital raising purposes), or (IV) transaction or series of transactions effecting the sale, lease, license, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets, intellectual property or technology of the Corporation, including, without limitation, such a transaction with a direct or indirect subsidiary of the Corporation, or the exclusive license of all or substantially all of the material intellectual property rights of the Corporation (each such event, a “Liquidation Event”) (provided that a transaction or series of transactions described in clauses (i) through (iv) of this Section 2(a) shall not constitute a Liquidation Event if(x) such transaction or series of transactions are entered into solely for the purpose of effecting a change of the Corporation’s jurisdiction of organization, or (y) the holders of not less than a majority of the then-outstanding shares of Preferred Stock, voting as a separate class, on an as-if converted to Common Stock basis, elect that such transaction or series of transactions not be treated as a Liquidation Event), distributions to the Corporation’s stockholders shall be made in the following manner:

**Preferred Stock.** Each holder of Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive, prior and in preference to any distribution of any of the assets or surplus funds of the Corporation to the holders Common Stock, by reason of their ownership of such stock, the amount of (i) (A) \$0.60 (the “Original Series seed issue Price ”), as adjusted for any consolidations, combinations, stock distributions, stock dividends, Stock splits or similar events with respect to the Preferred Stock (each a “Recapitalization Event), for each share of Series Seed Preferred then held by such holder, plus (B) an amount equal to any declared but unpaid dividends on such shares of Series Seed Preferred ((A) and (B), collectively, the “Series Seed Preference”)’, and (ii) (A) \$1.20 (the “Original Series Seed Prime Issue Price ”) (appropriately adjusted for Recapitalization Events with respect to such share) for each share of Series Seed Preferred Prime then held by such holder, plus (B) an amount equal to any declared but unpaid dividends on such shares of Series Seed Preferred Prime ((ii)(A) and (ii)(B), collectively, the “Series Seed Prime Preferred Preference”). If, upon the occurrence of a Liquidation Event, the assets and funds available to be distributed among the holders of Preferred Stock shall be insufficient to



permit the payment of the Series Sced Preference and/or the Series Seed Prime Preferred Preference, as applicable, in full to such holders, then the entire assets and funds of the Corporation legally available for distribution to the holders of Preferred Stock shall be distributed ratably among the holders of Preferred Stock based on the total Series Seed Preference and/or Series Seed Prime Preferred Preference due each such holder under this Section 2(a)(i).

Dividends.

Dividends. The holders of Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive, out of funds legally available therefor, dividends when, as and if declared by the Corporation's Board of Directors. Dividends payable to the holders of the Preferred Stock, pursuant to this Section 1(a) shall not be cumulative, and no right shall accrue to the holders of the Preferred Stock by reason of the fact that dividends on the Preferred Stock are not declared or paid in any previous fiscal year of the Corporation, whether or not the earnings of the Corporation in that previous fiscal year were sufficient to pay such dividends in whole or in part.

Dividends and Conversion of Preferred Stock. In the event that the Corporation shall have declared but unpaid dividends outstanding immediately prior to, and in the event of, a conversion of Preferred Stock (as provided in Section 4), the Corporation shall, at its option, promptly pay in cash to the holders of Preferred Stock subject to conversion the full amount of any such dividends, or allow such dividends to be converted into Common Stock, based upon the fair market value of the shares of Common Stock, as determined by the Corporation's Board of Directors at and as of such date upon which an election is delivered to the Corporation, and otherwise in accordance with, and pursuant to the terms specified in, Section 4 hereof.

Optional Conversion

Each share of Preferred Stock shall be convertible to Common Stock at the option of the holder.

Please see exhibit F for additional information on the material rights of the Series See Preferred Stock.

Series Seed Preferred Prime

The amount of security authorized is 1,000,000 with a total of 833,333 outstanding.

Voting Rights

On any matter presented to the stockholders of the Corporation for their action or consideration at any meeting of stockholders of the Corporation (or by written consent of stockholders in lieu of meeting), each holder of outstanding shares of Preferred Stock shall be entitled to cast the number of votes equal to the number of whole shares of Common Stock into which the shares Preferred Stock held by such holder are convertible as of the record date for determining stockholders entitled to vote on such matter. Fractional votes by the holders of Preferred Stock shall not, however, be permitted and any fractional voting rights shall (after aggregating all shares into which shares of Preferred Stock held by each holder could be converted) be rounded to the nearest whole number (with one-half being rounded upward). Except as otherwise provided by law or by the other provisions of this Certificate of Incorporation, holders of Preferred Stock shall vote together with the holders of Common Stock as a single class. Except as otherwise required by law or hereunder, the holder of each share of Common Stock issued and outstanding shall have one vote.

Material Rights

Liquidation Preference.

In the event of any (i) liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Corporation, (ii) merger, consolidation or other similar transaction or series of related transactions in which stockholders of the Corporation immediately prior to such transaction(s) do not own at least fifty percent (50%) of the outstanding voting securities of the successor entity immediately after such transaction(s), (iii) transaction or series of transactions in which fifty percent (50%) or more of the Corporation's voting power is transferred (other than in connection with financing transactions in which the Corporation issues securities to investors for capital raising purposes), or (IV) transaction or series of transactions effecting the sale, lease, license, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets, intellectual property or technology of the Corporation, including, without limitation, such a transaction with a direct or indirect subsidiary of the Corporation, or the exclusive license of all or substantially all of the material intellectual property rights of the Corporation (each such event, a "Liquidation Event") (provided that a transaction or series of transactions described in clauses (i) through (iv) of this Section 2(a) shall not constitute a Liquidation Event if (x) such transaction or series of transactions are entered into solely for the purpose of effecting a change of the Corporation's jurisdiction of organization, or (y) the holders of not less than a majority of the then-outstanding shares of Preferred Stock, voting as a separate class, on an as-if converted to Common Stock basis, elect that such transaction or series of transactions not be treated as a Liquidation Event), distributions to the Corporation's stockholders shall be made in the following manner:

Preferred Stock. Each holder of Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive, prior and in preference to any distribution of any of the assets or surplus funds of the Corporation to the holders Common Stock, by reason of their ownership of such stock, the amount of (i) (A) \$0.60 (the "Original Series seed issue Price "), as adjusted for any consolidations, combinations, stock distributions, stock dividends, Stock splits or similar events with respect to the Preferred Stock (each a "Recapitalization Event"), for each share of Series Seed Preferred then held by such holder, plus (B) an amount equal to any declared but unpaid dividends on such shares of Series Seed Preferred ((A) and (B), collectively, the "Series Seed Preference")', and (ii) (A) \$1.20 (the "Original Series Seed Prime Issue Price ") (appropriately adjusted for Recapitalization Events with respect to such share) for each share of Series Seed Preferred Prime then held by such holder, plus (B) an amount equal to any declared but unpaid dividends on such shares of Series Seed Preferred Prime ((ii)(A) and (ii)(B), collectively, the "Series Seed Prime Preferred Preference"). If, upon the occurrence of a Liquidation



Event, the assets and funds available to be distributed among the holders of Preferred Stock shall be insufficient to permit the payment of the Series Sced Preference and/or the Series Seed Prime Preferred Preference, as applicable, in full to such holders, then the entire assets and funds of the Corporation legally available for distribution to the holders of Preferred Stock shall be distributed ratably among the holders of Preferred Stock based on the total Series Seed Preference and/or Series Seed Prime Preferred Preference due each such holder under this Section 2(a)(i).

Dividends.

Dividends. The holders of Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive, out of funds legally available therefor, dividends when, as and if declared by the Corporation’s Board of Directors. Dividends payable to the holders of the Preferred Stock, pursuant to this Section 1(a) shall not be cumulative, and no right shall accrue to the holders of the Preferred Stock by reason of the fact that dividends on the Preferred Stock are not declared or paid in any previous fiscal year of the Corporation, whether or not the earnings of the Corporation in that previous fiscal year were sufficient to pay such dividends in whole or in part.

Dividends and Conversion of Preferred Stock. In the event that the Corporation shall have declared but unpaid dividends outstanding immediately prior to, and in the event of, a conversion of Preferred Stock (as provided in Section 4), the Corporation shall, at its option, promptly pay in cash to the holders of Preferred Stock subject to conversion the full amount of any such dividends, or allow such dividends to be converted into Common Stock, based upon the fair market value of the shares of Common Stock, as determined by the Corporation’s Board of Directors at and as of such date upon which an election is delivered to the Corporation, and otherwise in accordance with, and pursuant to the terms specified in, Section 4 hereof.

Optional Conversion

Each share of Preferred Stock shall be convertible to Common Stock at the option of the holder.

Please see exhibit F for additional information on the material rights of the Series See Preferred Stock.

Convertible Debt (deferred payments in lieu of cash)

The security will convert into Common stock and the terms of the Convertible Debt (deferred payments in lieu of cash) are outlined below:

Amount outstanding: \$461,796.00

Interest Rate: 0.0%

Discount Rate: %

Valuation Cap: None

Conversion Trigger: An equity financing of at least \$5M

Material Rights

There is no maturity date associated with this convertible debt.

**What it means to be a minority holder**

As a minority holder of [Security Name] of the Company, you will have limited rights in regard to the corporate actions of the Company, including additional issuances of securities, company repurchases of securities, a sale of the Company or its significant assets, or company transactions with related parties. Further, investors in this offering may have rights less than those of other investors and will have limited influence on the corporate actions of the Company.

**Dilution**

Investors should understand the potential for dilution. The investor’s stake in a company could be diluted due to the Company issuing additional shares. In other words, when the Company issues more shares, the percentage of the Company that you own will go down, even though the value of the Company may go up. You will own a smaller piece of a larger company. This increase in the number of shares outstanding could result from a stock offering (such as an initial public offering, another crowdfunding round, a venture capital round, or angel investment), employees exercising stock options, or by conversion of certain instruments (e.g. convertible bonds, preferred shares or warrants) into stock.

If the Company decides to issue more shares, an investor could experience value dilution, with each share being worth less than before, and control dilution, with the total percentage an investor owns being less than before. There may also be earnings dilution, with a reduction in the amount earned per share (though this typically occurs only if the Company offers dividends, and most early-stage companies are unlikely to offer dividends, preferring to invest any earnings into the Company).

The type of dilution that hurts early-stage investors most occurs when the company sells more shares in a “down round,” meaning at a lower valuation than in earlier offerings.

If you are making an investment expecting to own a certain percentage of the company or expecting each share to hold



a certain amount of value, it's important to realize how the value of those shares can decrease by actions taken by the company. Dilution can make drastic changes to the value of each share, ownership percentage, voting control, and earnings per share.

## RISK FACTORS

**Uncertain Risk** An investment in the Company (also referred to as “we”, “us”, “our”, or the “Company”) involves a high degree of risk and should only be considered by those who can afford the loss of their entire investment. Furthermore, the purchase of any securities should only be undertaken by persons whose financial resources are sufficient to enable them to indefinitely retain an illiquid investment. Each investor in the Company should research thoroughly any offering before making an investment decision and consider all of the information provided regarding the Company as well as the following risk factors, in addition to the other information in the Company's Form C. The following risk factors are not intended, and shall not be deemed to be, a complete description of the commercial, financial, and other risks inherent in the investment in the Company. Our business projections are only projections. There can be no assurance that the Company will meet its projections. There can be no assurance that the Company will be able to find sufficient demand for its product or service, that people think it's a better option than a competing product or service, or that we will be able to provide a product or service at a level that allows the Company to generate revenue, make a profit, or grow the business. Any valuation is difficult to assess. The valuation for the offering was established by the Company. Unlike listed companies that are independently valued through market-driven stock prices, the valuation of private companies, especially startups, is difficult to assess, may not be exact, and you may risk overpaying for your investment. The transferability of the Securities you are buying is limited. You should be prepared to hold this investment for several years or longer. For the 12 months following your investment, there will be restrictions on the securities you purchase. More importantly, there are a limited number of established markets for the resale of these securities. As a result, if you decide to sell these securities in the future, you may not be able to find, or may have difficulty finding, a buyer, and you may have to locate an interested buyer when you do seek to resell your investment. The Company may be acquired by an existing player in the industry. However, that may never happen or it may happen at a price that results in you losing money on this investment. Your investment could be illiquid for a long time. You should be prepared to hold this investment for several years or longer. For the 12 months following your investment, there will be restrictions on how you can resell the securities you receive. More importantly, there are limited established markets for these securities. As a result, if you decide to sell these securities in the future, you may not be able to find a buyer. The Company may be acquired by an existing player in the same or a similar industry. However, that may never happen or it may happen at a price that results in you losing money on this investment. The Company may undergo a future change that could affect your investment. The Company may change its business, management or advisory team, IP portfolio, location of its principal place of business or production facilities, or other change which may result in adverse effects on your investment. Additionally, the Company may alter its corporate structure through a merger, acquisition, consolidation, or other restructuring of its current corporate entity structure. Should such a future change occur, it would be based on management's review and determination that it is in the best interests of the Company. Your information rights are limited with limited post-closing disclosures. The Company is required to disclose certain information about the Company, its business plan, and its anticipated use of proceeds, among other things, in this offering. Early-stage companies may be able to provide only limited information about their business plan and operations because it does not have fully developed operations or a long history to provide more disclosure. The Company is also only obligated to file information annually regarding its business, including financial statements. In contrast to publicly listed companies, investors will be entitled only to that post-offering information that is required to be disclosed to them pursuant to applicable law or regulation, including Regulation CF. Such disclosure generally requires only that the Company issue an annual report via a Form C-AR. Investors are generally not entitled to interim updates or financial information. Some early-stage companies may lack professional guidance. Some companies attribute their success, in part, to the guidance of professional early-stage advisors, consultants, or investors (e.g., angel investors or venture capital firms). advisors, consultants, or investors may play an important role in a company through their resources, contacts, and experience in assisting early-stage companies in executing their business plans. An early-stage company primarily financed through Regulation Crowdfunding may not have the benefit of such professional investors, which may pose a risk to your investment. We may not have enough capital as needed and may be required to raise more capital. We anticipate needing access to credit in order to support our working capital requirements as we grow. It is a difficult environment for obtaining credit on favorable terms. If we cannot obtain credit when we need it, we could be forced to raise additional equity capital, modify our growth plans, or take some other action. Issuing more equity may require bringing on additional investors. Securing these additional investors could require pricing our equity below its current price. If so, your investment could lose value as a result of this additional dilution. In addition, even if the equity is not priced lower, your ownership percentage would be decreased with the addition of more investors. If we are unable to find additional investors willing to provide capital, then it is possible that we will choose to cease our sales activity. In that case, the only asset remaining to generate a return on your investment could be our intellectual property. Even if we are not forced to cease our sales activity, the unavailability of credit could result in the Company performing below expectations, which could adversely impact the value of your investment. Terms of subsequent financings may adversely impact your investment. We will likely need to engage in common equity, debt, or preferred stock financings in the future, which may reduce the value of your investment in the Company. Interest on debt securities could increase costs and negatively impact operating results. Preferred stock could be issued in series from time to time with such designation, rights, preferences, and limitations as needed to raise capital. The terms of preferred stock could be more advantageous to those investors than to the holders of common stock or other securities. In addition, if we need to raise more equity capital from the sale of Common Stock, institutional or other investors may negotiate terms that are likely to be more favorable than the terms of your investment, and possibly a lower purchase price per security. **Management's Discretion as to Use of Proceeds** Our success will be substantially dependent upon the discretion and judgment of our management team with respect to the application and allocation of the proceeds of this offering. The Use of Proceeds described below is an estimate based on our current business plan. We, however, may find it necessary or advisable to re-allocate portions of the net proceeds reserved for one category to another, and we will have broad discretion in doing so. **Projections: Forward Looking Information** Any projections or forward-looking statements regarding our anticipated financial or operational



performance are hypothetical and are based on management's best estimate of the probable results of our operations and may not have been reviewed by our independent accountants. These projections are based on assumptions that management believes are reasonable. Some assumptions invariably will not materialize due to unanticipated events and circumstances beyond management's control. Therefore, actual results of operations will vary from such projections, and such variances may be material. Any projected results cannot be guaranteed. The amount raised in this offering may include investments from company insiders or immediate family members Officers, directors, executives, and existing owners with a controlling stake in the Company (or their immediate family members) may make investments in this offering. Any such investments will be included in the raised amount reflected on the campaign page. Reliance on a single service or product All of our current services are variants of one type of service and/or product. Relying heavily on a single service or product can be risky, as changes in market conditions, technological advances, shifts in consumer preferences, or other changes can adversely impact the demand for the product or service, potentially leading to revenue declines or even business failure. Some of our products are still in the prototype phase and might never be operational products Developing new products and technologies can be a complex process that involves significant risks and uncertainties. Technical challenges, design flaws, manufacturing defects, and regulatory hurdles can all impact the success of a product or service. It is possible that there may never be an operational product or that the product may never be used to engage in transactions. It is possible that the failure to release the product is the result of a change in business model upon the Company's making a determination that the business model, or some other factor, will not be in the best interest of the Company and its stockholders. Supply Chain and Logistics Risks The availability of raw materials, transportation costs, and supply chain disruptions can all impact the ability to manufacture and distribute products or services, leading to lost revenue or increased costs. Products and services that are not available when customers need them can lead to lost sales and damage to the brand's reputation. Quality and Safety of our Product and Service The quality of a product or service can vary depending on the manufacturer or provider. Poor quality can result in customer dissatisfaction, returns, and lost revenue. Furthermore, products or services that are not safe can cause harm to customers and result in liability for the manufacturer or provider. Safety issues can arise from design flaws, manufacturing defects, or improper use. Minority Holder; Securities with Voting Rights The Common Stock that an investor is buying has voting rights attached to them. However, you will be part of the minority shareholders of the Company and have agreed to appoint the Chief Executive Officer of the Company (the "CEO"), or his or her successor, as your voting proxy. You are trusting in management discretion in making good business decisions that will grow your investments. Furthermore, in the event of a liquidation of our Company, you will only be paid out if there is any cash remaining after all of the creditors of our Company have been paid out. You are trusting that management will make the best decision for the company You are trusting in management's discretion. You are buying securities as a minority holder, and therefore must trust the management of the Company to make good business decisions that grow your investment. Insufficient Funds The Company might not sell enough securities in this offering to meet its operating needs and fulfill its plans, in which case it may cease operating and result in a loss on your investment. Even if we sell all the Common Stock we are offering now, the Company may need to raise more funds in the future, and if unsuccessful in doing so, the Company will fail. Even if we do make a successful offering in the future, the terms of that offering might result in your investment in the Company being worth less, if later investors have better terms than those in this offering. This offering involves "rolling closings," which may mean that earlier investors may not have the benefit of information that later investors have. Once we meet our target amount for this offering, we may request that StartEngine instruct the escrow agent to disburse offering funds to us. At that point, investors whose subscription agreements have been accepted will become our investors. All early-stage companies are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, and it is not uncommon for material changes to be made to the offering terms, or to companies' businesses, plans, or prospects, sometimes with little or no notice. When such changes happen during the course of an offering, we must file an amendment to our Form C with the SEC, and investors whose subscriptions have not yet been accepted will have the right to withdraw their subscriptions and get their money back. Investors whose subscriptions have already been accepted, however, will already be our investors and will have no such right. Our new product could fail to achieve the sales projections we expect Our growth projections are based on the assumption that with an increased advertising and marketing budget, our products will be able to gain traction in the marketplace at a faster rate than our current products have. It is possible that our new products will fail to gain market acceptance for any number of reasons. If the new products fail to achieve significant sales and acceptance in the marketplace, this could materially and adversely impact the value of your investment. We face significant market competition We will compete with larger, established companies that currently have products on the market and/or various respective product development programs. They may have much better financial means and marketing/sales and human resources than us. They may succeed in developing and marketing competing equivalent products earlier than us, or superior products than those developed by us. There can be no assurance that competitors will not render our technology or products obsolete or that the products developed by us will be preferred to any existing or newly developed technologies. It should further be assumed that competition will intensify. We are an early stage company operating in a new and highly competitive industry The Company operates in a relatively new industry with a lot of competition from both startups and established companies. As other companies flood the market and reduce potential market share, Investors may be less willing to invest in a company with a declining market share, which could make it more challenging to fund operations or pursue growth opportunities in the future. Intense Market Competition The market in which the company operates may be highly competitive, with established players, emerging startups, and potential future entrants. The presence of competitors can impact the company's ability to attract and retain customers, gain market share, and generate sustainable revenue. Competitors with greater financial resources, brand recognition, or established customer bases may have a competitive advantage, making it challenging for the company to differentiate itself and achieve long-term success. Vulnerability to Economic Conditions Economic conditions, both globally and within specific markets, can significantly influence the success of early-stage startups. Downturns or recessions may lead to reduced consumer spending, limited access to capital, and decreased demand for the company's products or services. Additionally, factors such as inflation, interest rates, and exchange rate fluctuations can affect the cost of raw materials, operational expenses, and profitability, potentially impacting the company's ability to operate. Uncertain Regulatory Landscape Due to the unestablished nature of the market the business operates within, the potential introduction of new laws or industry-specific standards can impose additional costs and operational burdens on the company. Non-compliance or legal disputes may result in fines, penalties, reputational damage, or even litigation, adversely affecting the company's financial condition and ability to operate effectively. We have existing patents that we might not be able to protect properly One of the Company's most valuable assets is its intellectual property. The Company's owns trademarks,



copyrights, Internet domain names, and trade secrets. We believe one of the most valuable components of the Company is our intellectual property portfolio. Due to the value, competitors may misappropriate or violate the rights owned by the Company. The Company intends to continue to protect its intellectual property portfolio from such violations. It is important to note that unforeseeable costs associated with such practices may invade the capital of the Company. We have pending patent approval's that might be vulnerable One of the Company's most valuable assets is its intellectual property. The Company's intellectual property such as patents, trademarks, copyrights, Internet domain names, and trade secrets may not be registered with the proper authorities. We believe one of the most valuable components of the Company is our intellectual property portfolio. Due to the value, competitors may misappropriate or violate the rights owned by the Company. The Company intends to continue to protect its intellectual property portfolio from such violations. It is important to note that unforeseeable costs associated with such practices may invade the capital of the Company due to its unregistered intellectual property. Our trademarks, copyrights and other intellectual property could be unenforceable or ineffective Intellectual property is a complex field of law in which few things are certain. It is possible that competitors will be able to design around our intellectual property, find prior art to invalidate it, or render the patents unenforceable through some other mechanism. If competitors are able to bypass our trademark and copyright protection without obtaining a sublicense, it is likely that the Company's value will be materially and adversely impacted. This could also impair the Company's ability to compete in the marketplace. Moreover, if our trademarks and copyrights are deemed unenforceable, the Company will almost certainly lose any potential revenue it might be able to raise by entering into sublicenses. This would cut off a significant potential revenue stream for the Company. The cost of enforcing our trademarks and copyrights could prevent us from enforcing them Trademark and copyright litigation has become extremely expensive. Even if we believe that a competitor is infringing on one or more of our trademarks or copyrights, we might choose not to file suit because we lack the cash to successfully prosecute a multi-year litigation with an uncertain outcome; or because we believe that the cost of enforcing our trademark(s) or copyright(s) outweighs the value of winning the suit in light of the risks and consequences of losing it; or for some other reason. Choosing not to enforce our trademark(s) or copyright(s) could have adverse consequences for the Company, including undermining the credibility of our intellectual property, reducing our ability to enter into sublicenses, and weakening our attempts to prevent competitors from entering the market. As a result, if we are unable to enforce our trademark(s) or copyright(s) because of the cost of enforcement, your investment in the Company could be significantly and adversely affected. The loss of one or more of our key personnel, or our failure to attract and retain other highly qualified personnel in the future, could harm our business Our business depends on our ability to attract, retain, and develop highly skilled and qualified employees. As we grow, we will need to continue to attract and hire additional employees in various areas, including sales, marketing, design, development, operations, finance, legal, and human resources. However, we may face competition for qualified candidates, and we cannot guarantee that we will be successful in recruiting or retaining suitable employees. Additionally, if we make hiring mistakes or fail to develop and train our employees adequately, it could have a negative impact on our business, financial condition, or operating results. We may also need to compete with other companies in our industry for highly skilled and qualified employees. If we are unable to attract and retain the right talent, it may impact our ability to execute our business plan successfully, which could adversely affect the value of your investment. Furthermore, the economic environment may affect our ability to hire qualified candidates, and we cannot predict whether we will be able to find the right employees when we need them. This would likely adversely impact the value of your investment. Our ability to sell our product or service is dependent on outside government regulation which can be subject to change at any time Our ability to sell our products is subject to various government regulations, including but not limited to, regulations related to the manufacturing, labeling, distribution, and sale of our products. Changes in these regulations, or the enactment of new regulations, could impact our ability to sell our products or increase our compliance costs. Furthermore, the regulatory landscape is subject to regular change, and we may face challenges in adapting to such changes, which could adversely affect our business, financial condition, or operating results. In addition to government regulations, we may also be subject to other laws and regulations related to our products, including intellectual property laws, data privacy laws, and consumer protection laws. Non-compliance with these laws and regulations could result in legal and financial liabilities, reputational damage, and regulatory fines and penalties. It is also possible that changes in public perception or cultural norms regarding our products may impact demand for our products, which could adversely affect our business and financial performance, which may adversely affect your investment. We rely on third parties to provide services essential to the success of our business Our business relies on a variety of third-party vendors and service providers, including but not limited to manufacturers, shippers, accountants, lawyers, public relations firms, advertisers, retailers, and distributors. Our ability to maintain high-quality operations and services depends on these third-party vendors and service providers, and any failure or delay in their performance could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, and operating results. We may have limited control over the actions of these third-party vendors and service providers, and they may be subject to their own operational, financial, and reputational risks. We may also be subject to contractual or legal limitations in our ability to terminate relationships with these vendors or service providers or seek legal recourse for their actions. Additionally, we may face challenges in finding suitable replacements for these vendors and service providers, which could cause delays or disruptions to our operations. The loss of key or other critical vendors and service providers could materially and adversely affect our business, financial condition, and operating results, and as a result, your investment could be adversely impacted by our reliance on these third-party vendors and service providers. The Company is vulnerable to hackers and cyber-attacks As an internet-based business, we may face risks related to cybersecurity and data protection. We rely on technology systems to operate our business and store and process sensitive data, including the personal information of our investors. Any significant disruption or breach of our technology systems, or those of our third-party service providers, could result in unauthorized access to our systems and data, and compromise the security and privacy of our investors. Moreover, we may be subject to cyber-attacks or other malicious activities, such as hacking, phishing, or malware attacks, that could result in theft, loss, or destruction of our data, disruption of our operations, or damage to our reputation. We may also face legal and regulatory consequences, including fines, penalties, or litigation, in the event of a data breach or cyber-attack. Any significant disruption or downtime of our platform, whether caused by cyber-attacks, system failures, or other factors, could harm our reputation, reduce the attractiveness of our platform, and result in a loss of investors and issuer companies. Moreover, disruptions in the services of our technology provider or other third-party service providers could adversely impact our business operations and financial condition. This would likely adversely impact the value of your investment. Economic and market conditions The Company's business may be affected by economic and market conditions, including changes in interest rates, inflation, consumer demand, and competition, which could adversely



affect the Company's business, financial condition, and operating results. Force majeure events The Company's operations may be affected by force majeure events, such as natural disasters, pandemics, acts of terrorism, war, or other unforeseeable events, which could disrupt the Company's business and operations and adversely affect its financial condition and operating results. Adverse publicity The Company's business may be negatively impacted by adverse publicity, negative reviews, or social media campaigns that could harm the Company's reputation, business, financial condition, and operating results. Market Saturation The market for mobile phone battery kiosks may become saturated, leading to increased competition and potential pricing pressures. Technological Obsolescence Rapid advancements in battery technology could render the products offered by the company obsolete. Regulatory Changes Changes in regulations related to battery disposal, safety standards, or kiosk operation could impact the company's operations and compliance costs. Fluctuating Demand The demand for mobile phone batteries may be subject to seasonality or unpredictable consumer behavior. Customer Concentration The company may rely heavily on a few major customers, and the loss of any significant customer could have a substantial negative impact. Supply Chain Disruptions Disruptions in the supply chain, including issues with battery suppliers, could lead to inventory shortages and operational difficulties. Maintenance and Repairs Kiosk malfunctions or the need for frequent maintenance could result in downtime and lost revenue. Kiosk Security Concerns The kiosks could be vulnerable to vandalism, theft, or cyberattacks, potentially affecting both operations and customer trust. Cash Flow Volatility Variability in cash flow due to sales fluctuations, seasonal factors, or unexpected expenses could impact the company's ability to meet financial obligations. Competitive Landscape Intense competition from established players or new entrants may erode market share and profitability. Price Wars Price competition within the industry could lead to margin compression and reduced profitability. Product Quality Issues Any reports of subpar product quality, safety concerns, or product recalls could harm the company's reputation and customer trust. Economic Downturns Economic recessions or downturns could lead to reduced consumer spending, affecting the demand for non-essential products like mobile phone batteries. Currency Risks If the company expands internationally, it may be exposed to currency exchange rate fluctuations, impacting revenue and expenses. ADA Complaint Received The Company received an ADA complaint from a private party relating to access standards for the visually impaired with respect to Company machines. The Company is of the opinion that the access standards for the visually impaired cited in the demand letter are not applicable to the Company. Although the Company believes the complaint will be unsuccessful, there is some risk that this complaint could adversely impact the value of your investment.

**RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER**

The common stock sold in the Regulation CF offering, may not be transferred by any purchaser, for a period of one-year beginning when the securities were issued, unless such securities are transferred:

- (1) to the Company;
- (2) to an accredited investor;
- (3) as part of an offering registered with the SEC; or
- (4) to a member of the family of the purchaser or the equivalent, to a trust controlled by the purchaser, to a trust created for the benefit of a member of the family of the purchaser or the equivalent, or in connection with the death or divorce of the purchaser or other similar circumstance.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of Sections 4(a)(6) and 4A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Regulation Crowdfunding (§ 227.100-503), the issuer certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form C and has duly caused this Form to be signed on its behalf by the duly authorized undersigned, on April 24, 2024.

**Tricopian, Inc., dba FuelRod**

By /s/ *Chi Yau*

Name: Tricopian, Inc., dba FuelRod

Title: CEO

Exhibit A

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**



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**TRICOPIAN, INC. DBA FUELROD**

**CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022**  
*(Audited)*

*(Expressed in United States Dollars)*

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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

To the Board of Directors  
Tricopian, Inc. DBA FuelRod  
Del Mar, California

### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Tricopian, Inc. DBA FuelRod (the "Company,"), which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related consolidated statements of income, changes in members' equity, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the results of its consolidated operations and its consolidated cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Company and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### **Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for period of twelve months from the date of issuance of these financial statements.

### **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users made on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.





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In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

*Set Apart Accountancy Corp.*

April 17, 2024  
Los Angeles, California



**TRICOPIAN INC. DBA FUELROD**  
**CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS**  
**FOR YEARS ENDED TO DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND DECEMBER 31, 2022**

As of December 31, (USD \$ in Dollars)	2023	2022
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Current Assets:		
Cash & cash equivalents	\$ 1,873,723	\$ 1,065,610
Accounts Receivable, net	28,039	16,479
Inventory	1,512,544	1,457,534
Prepays and Other Current Assets	596,080	322,403
<b>Total current assets</b>	<b>4,010,386</b>	<b>2,862,026</b>
Property and Equipment, net	157,277	56,373
Equity Investment	-	35,440
Intangible Assets	874	52,426
Deferred Tax Asset	-	502,266
Security Deposit	65,646	75,791
Right-of-Use Assets	375,080	67,532
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$ 4,609,263</b>	<b>\$ 3,651,854</b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts Payable	\$ 758,380	\$ 492,323
Credit Cards	43,156	40,178
Current Portion of Loans and Notes	995,635	636,992
Current Portion of Convertible Note	461,796	1,481,816
Accrued Interest on Convertible Notes	-	294,206
Shareholder Loan	1,002,207	1,079,164
Other Current Liabilities	1,360,386	1,332,209
<b>Total current liabilities</b>	<b>4,621,560</b>	<b>5,356,887</b>
Promissory Notes and Loans	443,332	814,920
Convertible Note	70,000	70,000
Right-of-Use Lease, Operating Lease	375,809	71,525
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 5,510,701</b>	<b>\$ 6,313,332</b>
<b>STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
Common Stock, \$0.0001 par, 25,000,000 shares authorized, 11,225,510 and 10,745,500 shares issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2023 and 2022	\$ 1,123	\$ 1,075
Preferred Stock, \$0.0001 par, 4,000,000 shares authorized, 3,500,000 shares issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2023 and 2022	350	350
Additional Paid In Capital	3,805,521	3,288,374
Retained earnings/(Accumulated Deficit)	(4,708,432)	(5,951,276)
<b>Total Stockholders' Equity</b>	<b>(901,438)</b>	<b>(2,661,478)</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity</b>	<b>\$ 4,609,263</b>	<b>\$ 3,651,854</b>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.



**TRICOPIAN INC. DBA FUELROD**  
**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS**  
**FOR YEARS ENDED TO DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND DECEMBER 31, 2022**

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<b>For Fiscal Year Ended December 31,</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
(USD \$ in Dollars)		
Net revenue	\$ 15,364,711	\$ 13,522,238
Cost of Goods Sold	8,122,572	7,469,907
Gross profit	7,242,139	6,052,331
Gross Profit Margin	47%	45%
General and Administrative	1,334,894	1,155,253
Operating Expenses	1,938,829	1,643,451
Research and Development	74,208	27,062
Sales and Marketing	1,421,055	1,059,196
Total operating expenses	4,768,986	3,884,962
Operating income/(loss)	2,473,153	2,167,369
Interest Expense	(440,091)	(398,258)
Depreciation and Amortization	(131,770)	(309,605)
Other Income/(Loss)	(645,328)	(216,779)
Income/(Loss) before provision for income taxes	1,255,964	1,242,727
Benefit/(Provision) for income taxes	(13,119)	-
<b>Net income/(Net Loss)</b>	<b>\$ 1,242,845</b>	<b>\$ 1,242,727</b>

*See accompanying notes to financial statements.*



**TRICOPIAN INC. DBA FUELROD**  
**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY**  
**FOR YEARS ENDED TO DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND DECEMBER 31, 2022**

For Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2023

(USD \$ in Dollars, except per share data)	Common Stock		Preferred Stock		Additional Paid In Capital	Retained earnings/ (Accumulated Deficit)	Total Shareholders' Equity
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount			
<b>Balance—December 31, 2021</b>	<b>10,745,500</b>	<b>\$ 1,075</b>	<b>3,500,000</b>	<b>\$ 350</b>	<b>\$ 3,274,206</b>	<b>\$ (7,189,060)</b>	<b>\$ (3,913,430)</b>
Share-Based Compensation	-	-	-	-	11,891	-	11,891
Capital Contribution	-	-	-	-	2,277	-	2,277
Introduction of new leasing standard (ASC 842)	-	-	-	-	-	(4,944)	(4,944)
Net Income/(Loss)	-	-	-	-	-	1,242,727	1,242,727
<b>Balance—December 31, 2022</b>	<b>10,745,500</b>	<b>\$ 1,075</b>	<b>3,500,000</b>	<b>\$ 350</b>	<b>\$ 3,288,374</b>	<b>\$ (5,951,276)</b>	<b>\$ (2,661,478)</b>
Share-Based Compensation	-	-	-	-	9,452	-	9,452
Convertible Notes Conversion	480,010	48	-	-	507,695	-	507,743
Net income/(loss)	-	-	-	-	-	1,242,845	1,242,845
<b>Balance—December 31, 2023</b>	<b>11,225,510</b>	<b>\$ 1,123</b>	<b>3,500,000</b>	<b>\$ 350</b>	<b>\$ 3,805,521</b>	<b>\$ (4,708,432)</b>	<b>\$ (901,438)</b>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.



**TRICOPIAN INC. DBA FUELROD**  
**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**  
**FOR YEARS ENDED TO DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND DECEMBER 31, 2022**

<b>For Fiscal Year Ended December 31,</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
(USD \$ in Dollars)		
<b>CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Net Income/(Loss)	\$ 1,242,845	\$ 1,242,727
<i>Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided/(used) by operating activities:</i>		
Depreciation of Property	67,517	234,635
Amortization of Intangibles	54,692	32,946
Amortization of ROU Assets	42,022	42,022
Introduction of new Lease standard	-	(4,944)
Share-based Compensation	9,452	11,891
<b>Changes in operating assets and liabilities:</b>		
Accounts Receivable, net	(11,560)	(7,901)
Inventory	(55,010)	(761,201)
Prepays and Other Current Assets	(273,676)	130,553
Accrued Interest on Convertible Notes	(294,206)	50,211
Accounts Payable	266,057	(288,943)
Credit Cards	2,978	(25,881)
Other Current Liabilities	28,177	278,800
Security Deposit	10,145	(1,140)
Deferred Tax Asset	502,266	610,552
<b>Net cash provided/(used) by operating activities</b>	<b>1,591,697</b>	<b>1,544,326</b>
<b>CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Purchases of Property and Equipment	(166,581)	(191,229)
Equity Investment	35,440	27,555
Purchases of Intangible Assets	(3,139)	(15,130)
Right-of-Use Assets	(351,360)	(109,554)
<b>Net cash provided/(used) in investing activities</b>	<b>(485,640)</b>	<b>(288,358)</b>
<b>CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Borrowing / (Repayment) on Shareholder Loans	(76,957)	(321,669)
Borrowing / (Repayment) on Promissory Notes and Loans	(12,945)	(363,294)
Borrowing / (Repayment) on Convertible Notes	(1,020,020)	40,000
Capital Contribution	507,695	2,277
Right-of-Use Lease, Operating Lease	304,284	71,525
<b>Net cash provided/(used) by financing activities</b>	<b>(297,944)</b>	<b>(571,162)</b>
Change in Cash	808,114	684,807
Cash—beginning of year	1,065,610	380,804
<b>Cash—end of year</b>	<b>\$ 1,873,723</b>	<b>\$ 1,065,610</b>
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION</b>		
Cash paid during the year for interest	\$ 440,091	\$ 398,258
Cash paid during the year for income taxes	-	-
<b>OTHER NONCASH INVESTING AND FINANCING ACTIVITIES AND SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES</b>		
Purchase of property and equipment not yet paid for	\$ -	\$ -
Issuance of equity in return for note	-	-
Issuance of equity in return for accrued payroll and other liabilities	-	-

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## **1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS**

Tricopian Inc. DBA FuelRod was incorporated on June 6, 2011, in the state of California as Tricopian LLC. Tricopian LLC, a California limited liability company converted to Tricopian Inc., a Delaware corporation on July 1, 2016. The Company Tricopian Inc. DBA FuelRod has a wholly owned subsidiary TRICOPIAN (Shanghai) Power Technology Co., Ltd. incorporated in accordance with laws and regulation of P. R. China on June 5, 2017. The consolidated financial statements of Tricopian Inc. DBA FuelRod (which may be referred to as the “Company”, “we”, “us”, or “our”) are prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (“U.S. GAAP”). The Company’s headquarters are located in Del Mar, California.

Tricopian Inc. DBA FuelRod is the California-based developer of the innovative FuelRod® mobile charging products and services for portable electronic devices such as smartphones and tablets. At the over 500 FuelRod® SwapBox® kiosks located at high-traffic venues such as major airports and theme parks, customers purchase a FuelRod® portable charging kit complete with connection cables and charge-up. By swapping a used FuelRod® for a fully recharged one at any SwapBox® in the FuelRod® network, users have the convenience of keeping their devices powered on the go. The core business of the subsidiary includes a) technical development, technical consulting, proprietary technology transfer in eco-friendly, portable power technology and products; b) wholesale of power and electronic products and equipment; c) direct-to-consumer sales online and via vending machines; d) import and export, and other related services.

## **2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The summary of significant accounting policies is presented to assist in understanding the Company’s financial statements. The accounting policies conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (“GAAP” and “US GAAP”).

### **Basis of Consolidation**

The Company’s consolidated financial statements include the accounts of subsidiary TRICOPIAN (Shanghai) Power Technology Co., Ltd. over which the Company exercises control. Intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

### **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with US GAAP and the Company has adopted the calendar year as its basis of reporting.

### **Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents include all cash in banks, cash on hand and all highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less at the time of purchase. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company’s cash & cash equivalents exceeded FDIC insured limits by \$1,623,723 and \$52,697, respectively.



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**Concentration of Credit Risk**

The Company is subject to concentrations of credit risks primarily from cash, cash equivalents and accounts receivable. At various times during the years, the Company may have bank deposits in excess of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation insurance limits. Management believes any credit risk is low due to the overall financial strength of the financial institutions. Accounts receivable consist of uncollateralized receivables from customers/clients primarily located throughout the United States of America.

**Accounts Receivable**

Accounts receivables are carried net of allowance for expected credit losses. The allowance for expected credit losses is increased by provision charged to expense and reduced by accounts charged off, net of recoveries. The allowance is maintained at a level considered adequate to provide for potential account losses based on management's evaluation of the anticipated impact on the balance of current economic conditions, changes in character and size of the balance, past and expected future loss experience and other pertinent factors.

In June 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-13, "Financial Instrument – Credit Losses.". This ASU, and the related ASUs issued subsequently by the FASB introduce a new model for recognizing credit loss on financial assets not accounted for at fair values through net income, including loans, debt securities, trade receivables, net investment in leases and available-for-sale debt securities. The new ASU broadens the information that an entity must consider in developing estimates of expected credit losses and requires an entity to estimate credit losses over the life of an exposure based on historical information, current information and reasonable supportable forecasts.

The Company adopted this ASU on January 1, 2023, using the modified retrospective approach. The adoption of this ASU did not have a material impact on financial statements as Company's customers are direct consumers and pay at the time of purchase. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company determined that no reserve was necessary.

**Inventories**

Inventories are valued at the lower cost and net realizable value. Inventories include costs for finished goods which are determined using a average cost method.

**Property and Equipment**

Property and equipment are stated at cost. Expenditures for additions, major renewals and betterments are capitalized, and expenditures for maintenance and repairs are charged against income as incurred. When property and equipment are retired or otherwise disposed of, the related cost and accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts, and any resulting gain or loss is reflected in statements of operations.

Depreciation and amortization of property and equipment are computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets. Leasehold improvements are amortized on a straight-line basis over either the useful life of the improvement or the remainder of the related lease term, whichever is shorter.

Estimated useful lives for property and equipment are as follows:

<b>Category</b>	<b>Useful Life</b>
Auto	5 years
Furniture & Equipment	5-7 years
Leasehold Improvements	15 years

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**Intangible Assets**

The Company capitalizes its software and trademark. Intangible assets with finite lives, such as software, are amortized on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives. Trademark costs are indefinite lived.

**Impairment of Long-lived Assets**

Long-lived assets, including property and equipment and intangible assets, are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of such assets may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recorded in the period in which it is determined that the carrying amount is not recoverable. The determination of recoverability is made based on an estimate of undiscounted future cash flows resulting from the use of the asset and its eventual disposition. The measurement of the impairment for long-lived assets is based on the asset's estimated fair value. No such impairment was recorded for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022.

**Revenue Recognition**

The Company recognizes revenue when it transfers promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Company expects to be entitled to, in exchange for those goods or services. In determining when and how revenue is to be recognized from contracts with customers, the Company performs the following five step analysis laid under Accounting Standard Codification ("ASC") 606, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers*: (1) identification of contract with customers, (2) determination of performance obligations, (3) measurement of the transaction price, (4) allocation of transaction price to the performance obligations, and (5) recognition of revenue when or as the company satisfies each performance obligation.

Revenue is recognized at the point in time when control of the goods is transferred to the customer, which typically occurs at the following times:

- In-store Sales: Revenue is recognized at point in time when customer takes possession of the goods
- Online Sales: Revenue is recognized at point in time when the goods are delivered to the customer
- Wholesale Transactions: Revenue is recognized at a point in time when the goods are shipped or delivered to the wholesale customer

The Company earns revenues from the sale of its branded portable chargers as starter kits and recurring replacement units and by providing on-the-go, portable power service that enables customers to swap their depleted chargers for fully charged ones.

**Cost of sales**

Costs of goods sold include the cost of materials, freight, and delivery etc.

**Research and Development Costs**

Costs incurred in the research and development of the Company's products are expensed as incurred.

**Income Taxes**

The Company is taxed as a C corporation for income tax purposes. The Company accounts for income taxes under the liability method, and deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying values of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates in effect for the year in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. A valuation allowance is provided on deferred tax assets if it is determined that it is more likely than not that the deferred tax asset will not be realized. The Company records



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interest, net of any applicable related income tax benefit, on potential income tax contingencies as a component of income tax expense. The Company records tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return based upon the amount that is more likely than not to be realized or paid, including in connection with the resolution of any related appeals or other legal processes. Accordingly, the Company recognizes liabilities for certain unrecognized tax benefits based on the amounts that are more likely than not to be settled with the relevant taxing authority. The Company recognizes interest and/or penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits as a component of income tax expense.

**Leases**

The Company determines if an arrangement is a lease at inception by determining whether the agreement conveys the right to control the use of the identified asset for a period of time, whether the Company has the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from use of the identified asset, and the right to direct the use of the asset. Lease liabilities are recognized at the commencement date based upon the present value of the remaining future minimum lease payments over the lease term using the rate implicit in the lease or the Company's incremental borrowing rate. The incremental borrowing rate is defined as the rate of interest the Company would have to pay to borrow on a collateralized basis over a similar term in an amount equal to the lease payments in a similar economic environment. The Company's lease terms include options to renew or terminate the lease when it is reasonably certain that it will exercise the option.

The lease right-of-use assets are initially measured at the carrying amount of the lease liability and adjusted for any prepaid or accrued lease payments, remaining balance of lease incentives received, unamortized initial direct costs, or impairment charges relating to the right-of-use-asset. Lease expense for minimum lease payments is recognized on straight-line basis over the lease term.

Variable lease expenses include payments related to the usage of the leased asset (utilities, real estate taxes, insurance, and variable common area maintenance) and are expensed as incurred. The Company's lease agreements do not contain any material residual value guarantees or material restrictive covenants.

**Stock-Based Compensation**

The Company accounts for stock-based compensation to both employees and non-employees in accordance with ASC 718, Compensation - Stock Compensation. Under the fair value recognition provisions of ASC 718, stock-based compensation cost is measured at the grant date based on the fair value of the award and is recognized as expense ratably over the requisite service period, which is generally the option vesting period. The Company uses the Black-Scholes option pricing model to determine the fair value of stock options.

**Fair Value of Financial Instruments**

The carrying value of the Company's financial instruments included in current assets and current liabilities (such as cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable, and accrued expenses approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of such instruments).



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The inputs used to measure fair value are based on a hierarchy that prioritizes observable and unobservable inputs used in valuation techniques. These levels, in order of highest to lowest priority, are described below:

**Level 1** — Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical assets or liabilities.

**Level 2** — Observable prices that are based on inputs not quoted on active markets but corroborated by market data.

**Level 3** — Unobservable inputs reflecting the Company's assumptions, consistent with reasonably available assumptions made by other market participants. These valuations require significant judgment.

**Advertising and Promotion**

Advertising and promotional costs are expensed as incurred. Advertising and promotional expenses for the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, amounted to \$1,421,055 and \$1,059,196, which is included in sales and marketing expenses.

**Subsequent Events**

The Company considers events or transactions that occur after the balance sheet date, but prior to the issuance of the financial statements to provide additional evidence relative to certain estimates or to identify matters that require additional disclosure. Subsequent events have been evaluated through April 17, 2024, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

**3. INVENTORY**

Inventory consists of the following items:

As of Year Ended December 31,	2023	2022
Finished Products	\$ 1,512,544	\$ 1,457,534
<b>Total Inventory</b>	<b>\$ 1,512,544</b>	<b>\$ 1,457,534</b>

**4. DETAILS OF CERTAIN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES**

Accounts receivable consist primarily of trade receivable and accounts payable consist primarily of trade payable. Prepaids and other current assets consist of the following items:



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<b>As of Year Ended December 31,</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
Prepaid Expenses	\$ 85,103	\$ 53,993
On Order Asset	132,380	128,442
E-commerce (Shopify) reserve	138	88
E-commerce (Amazon) reserve	40,760	25,573
Other Current Assets	337,700	114,308
<b>Total Prepaids and Other Current Assets</b>	<b>\$ 596,080</b>	<b>\$ 322,403</b>

Other current liabilities consist of the following items:

<b>As of Year Ended December 31,</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
Accrued Expenses	\$ 664,858	\$ 875,067
Accrued Purchase Receipts	563,631	326,295
First Insurance Funding Corporation	20,178	19,902
Sales Tax Payable	108,333	101,397
Shopify Gift Card	50	60
SaveME Deposits	-	9,488
Other Current Liabilities	3,336	-
<b>Total Other Current Liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 1,360,386</b>	<b>\$ 1,332,209</b>

## **5. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT**

As of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, property and equipment consists of:

<b>As of Year Ended December 31,</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
Auto	\$ 7,400	\$ 9,000
Furniture & Equipment	1,141,698	987,675
Leasehold Improvements	37,017	21,939
<b>Property and Equipment, at Cost</b>	<b>1,186,115</b>	<b>1,018,614</b>
Accumulated depreciation	(1,028,838)	(962,241)
<b>Property and Equipment, Net</b>	<b>\$ 157,277</b>	<b>\$ 56,373</b>

Depreciation expenses for property and equipment for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2023, and 2022 were in the amount of \$67,517 and \$234,635 respectively.



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## **6. INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

As of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, intangible assets consist of:

<b>As of Year Ended December 31,</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
Software	\$ 219,267	\$ 217,178
Trademark	10,190	9,140
<b>Intangible Assets, at cost</b>	<b>229,457</b>	<b>226,317</b>
Accumulated Amortization	(228,583)	(173,891)
<b>Intangible Assets, Net</b>	<b>\$ 874</b>	<b>\$ 52,426</b>

Amortization expenses for software and trademark for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 were in the amount of \$54,692 and \$32,946 respectively.

The following table summarizes the estimated amortization expense relating to the Company's intangible assets as of December 31, 2023:

<b>Period</b>	<b>Expense</b>
2024	\$ 874
2025	-
2026	-
2027	-
Thereafter	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 874</b>

## **7. LEASES**

On March 21, 2023, the Company entered into a first amendment to the lease with Tech Business Center LLC, a California limited liability company to rent property (the Company previously entered into this lease agreement on May 9, 2018). The lease term is extended to expire on October 31, 2028. The extended lease term from November 1, 2023, through October 31, 2028, is defined as the extended lease term.

Supplemental balance sheet information related to leases is as follows:

	<b>December 31, 2023</b>
<b>Lease Liability</b>	
Beginning Balance	\$ 384,641
Additions	\$ -
Lease Payments	(8,833)
<b>Balance at end of period</b>	<b>\$ 375,809</b>



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The aggregate minimum annual lease payments under operating lease in effect on December 31, 2023, are as follows:

	<b>December 31, 2023</b>
2024	\$ 56,799
2025	66,593
2026	77,566
2027	89,848
2028	85,004
Thereafter	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 375,809</b>

## **8. DEBT**

### *Owner Loans*

During the years presented, the Company borrowed money from the owners. The details of the loans from the owners are as follows:

	Principal Amount	Interest Rate	Borrowing Period	Maturity Date	For the Year Ended December 2023			For the Year Ended December 2022		
					Current Portion	Non-Current Portion	Total Indebtedness	Current Portion	Non-Current Portion	Total Indebtedness
The CAEN Group, LLC	\$ 1,400,833	6.00%	Fiscal Year 2013	No set maturity	\$ 1,002,207	\$ -	\$ 1,002,207	\$ 1,079,164	\$ -	\$ 1,079,164
<b>Total</b>					\$ 1,002,207	\$ -	\$ 1,002,207	\$ 1,079,164	\$ -	\$ 1,079,164

Since there is no maturity date set and thus the loan may be called at any time, the loan was classified as current.

### **Promissory Notes & Loans**

The Company had outstanding term loans/ notes payable with varying maturities. Details of loans outstanding are as follows:



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	Maturity year	Effective interest rate	As of December 31,	
			2023	2022
Decathlon Alpha III, L.P.	2021	17.3%	\$ -	\$ 96,633
McQuilkin Living Trust, November 1st, 1999	2025	15.0%	435,749	532,564
Stephen McKim	2024	14.0%	31,275	43,935
Eagle Enterprises	2024	14.0%	55,686	78,229
Dajian Yu	2024	14.0%	62,550	87,871
Richard Brenner, ALB 8 Irrevocable Trust	2024	14.0%	75,259	104,329
Primier, LLC	2024	14.0%	37,630	52,164
Tona Ashford and Brynda Gay	2024	14.0%	12,810	17,750
Lingdi Wang and Wen Xu	2024	14.0%	64,050	88,790
Zhenggang Fan and Suqin Zeng	2024	14.0%	69,215	93,669
SBA EIDL Loan	2050	3.8%	24,569	24,968
Celtic Bank	2023	15.0%	488,170	231,010
Li Cao	2024	7.0%	82,004	-
			1,438,967	1,451,912
Less: Debt issuance costs			-	-
Total notes payable, net			1,438,967	1,451,912
Less: Current portion, net			(995,635)	(636,992)
<b>Notes payable, net</b>			<b>\$ 443,332</b>	<b>\$ 814,920</b>

**Convertible Note(s)**

The Company has issued convertible loan notes to various lenders. Details of Convertible Notes issued and outstanding are as follows:

	Maturity year	Effective interest rate	As of December 31,	
			2023	2022
Convertible note 1 - \$100,020	2017	7%	\$ -	\$ 100,020
Convertible note 2 - \$100,000	2017	7%	-	100,000
Convertible note 3 - \$50,000	2017	7%	-	50,000
Convertible note 4 - \$450,000	2018	7%	-	450,000
Convertible note 5 - \$60,000	2018	7%	-	60,000
Convertible note 6 - \$60,000	2018	7%	-	60,000
Convertible note 7 - \$150,000	2022	5%	-	150,000
Convertible note 8 - \$50,000	2023	5%	-	50,000
Convertible note 9 - \$30,000	2026	5%	30,000	30,000
Convertible note 10 - \$40,000	2027	5%	40,000	40,000
Convertible note 11 - \$36,500	not set	not set	36,500	36,500
Convertible note 12 - \$48,265	not set	not set	48,265	48,265
Convertible note 13 - \$101,000	not set	not set	101,000	101,000
Convertible note 14 - \$10,000	not set	not set	10,000	10,000
Convertible note 15 - \$16,031	not set	not set	16,031	16,031
Convertible note 16 - \$250,000	not set	not set	250,000	250,000
			531,796	1,551,816
Less: Debt issuance costs			-	-
Total notes payable, net			531,796	1,551,816
Less: Current portion, net			(461,796)	(1,481,816)
<b>Notes payable, net</b>			<b>\$ 70,000</b>	<b>\$ 70,000</b>

The convertible notes are convertible into Common Shares at a conversion price. The conversion price is defined in separate agreements, and it is in the range between \$0.9 and \$3.0.



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On August 31, 2023, the Company converted \$710,020 of convertible notes and \$85,696 of related accrued interest into 480,010 shares of Common Stock.

The convertible promissory notes meet the Variable-Share Obligations requirements for classification under ASC 480 and as a result are required to be classified as a liability and carried at amortized cost as the Company has not made an election pursuant to one of the fair value options provided within ASC 815 and ASC 825.

As of December 31, 2023, the aggregate maturities of long-term borrowings are as follows:

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2024	\$	1,847,967
2025		31,094
2026		30,832
2027		40,832
2028		832
Thereafter		19,206
Total maturities of long-term borrowings		1,970,763
Less: Current portion of long-term borrowings		(1,457,431)
<b>Long-term borrowings</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>513,332</b>

## **9. CAPITALIZATION AND EQUITY TRANSACTIONS**

### **Common Stock**

The Company is authorized to issue 25,000,000 shares of Common Stock with a par value of \$0.0001. As of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, 11,225,510 and 10,745,500 shares of Common Stock have been issued and are outstanding, respectively.

### **Preferred Stock**

The Company is authorized to issue 4,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock with a \$0.0001 par value. As of both December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, 3,500,000 shares of Preferred Stock have been issued and are outstanding.

## **10. SHAREBASED COMPENSATION**

During 2016, the Company authorized the Stock Option Plan (which may be referred to as the "Plan"). The Company reserved 3,000,000 shares of its Common Stock pursuant to the Plan, which provides for the grant of shares of stock options, stock appreciation rights, and stock awards (performance shares) to employees, non-employee directors, and non-employee consultants. The option exercise price generally may not be less than the underlying stock's fair market value at the date of the grant and generally have a term of ten years. The amounts granted each calendar year to an employee or non-employee is limited depending on the type of award.

### *Stock Options*

The Company granted stock options. The stock options were valued using the Black-Scholes pricing model with a range of inputs indicated below:



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<b>As of Year Ended December 31,</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
Expected life (years)	10.00	10.00
Risk-free interest rate	4.23%	4.41%
Expected volatility	75%	75%
Annual dividend yield	0%	0%

The risk-free interest rate assumption for options granted is based upon observed interest rates on the United States government securities appropriate for the expected term of the Company's employee stock options.

The expected term of employee stock options is calculated using the simplified method which takes into consideration the contractual life and vesting terms of the options.

The Company determined the expected volatility assumption for options granted using the historical volatility of comparable public company's common stock. The Company will continue to monitor peer companies and other relevant factors used to measure expected volatility for future stock option grants, until such time that the Company's common stock has enough market history to use historical volatility. The dividend yield assumption for options granted is based on the Company's history and expectation of dividend payouts. The Company has never declared or paid any cash dividends on its common stock, and the Company does not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future.

Management estimated the fair value of common stock based on recent sales to third parties. Forfeitures are recognized as incurred.

A summary of the Company's stock options activity and related information is as follows:

	<b>Number of Awards</b>	<b>Weighted Average Exercise</b>	<b>Weighted Average Contract Term</b>
Outstanding at December 31, 2021	2,875,527	\$ 0.05	5.71
Granted	35,455	0.05	-
Exercised	-	-	-
Expired/Cancelled	-	-	-
Outstanding at December 31, 2022	2,910,981	\$ 0.05	4.71
Granted	71,182	0.05	-
Exercised	-	-	-
Expired/Cancelled	-	-	-
Outstanding at December 31, 2023	2,982,163	\$ 0.05	3.85

Stock option expenses for the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, were \$9,452 and \$11,891, respectively.



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## 11. INCOME TAXES

Income tax expense (benefit) from continuing operations was as follows:

	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
Current:		
Federal, state, and local	\$ 13,119	\$ -
Total Tax Expense/(Benefit)	\$ 13,119	\$ -
Deferred		
Federal, state, and local	\$ -	\$ 610,552
Total Deferred Tax Expense/(Benefit)	\$ -	\$ 610,552
Valuation Allowance	-	(610,552)
Net Tax Provision	\$ 13,119	\$ -

Deferred tax assets (liabilities) comprised the following:

	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
Net Operating Loss	\$ -	\$ 502,266
Valuation Allowance	\$ -	\$ (502,266)
<b>Net Deferred Tax Assets</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>

## 12. RELATED PARTY

During years, the Company borrowed money from The CAEN Group, LLC (Chi Yau's family office and Chi Yau is one of the founders) based on the Tricopian LLC Operating Agreement. The CAEN's outstanding "6% APR loan" does not have a specific payback term. It has been and will continue to be paid back "as business conditions permit." As of December 31, 2022, and December 31, 2021, the outstanding balance of this loan is \$1,002,207 and \$1,079,614.

## 13. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

### Contingencies

The Company's operations are subject to a variety of local and state regulations. Failure to comply with one or more of those regulations could result in fines, restrictions on its operations, or losses of permits that could result in the Company ceasing operations.

### Litigation and Claims

From time to time, the Company may be involved in litigation relating to claims arising out of operations in the normal course of business. As of December 31, 2023, there were no pending or threatened lawsuits that could reasonably be expected to have a material effect on the results of the Company's operations.



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**14. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

The Company has evaluated subsequent events for the period from December 31, 2023, through April 17, 2024, which is the date the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued.

On February 1, 2024, the Company launched its Start Engine campaign planning to issue up to \$520,000 in Shares of Common Stock.

There have been no other events or transactions during this time which would have a material effect on these financial statements.



## CERTIFICATION

I, Chi Yau, Principal Executive Officer of Tricopian, Inc., dba FuelRod, hereby certify that the financial statements of Tricopian, Inc., dba FuelRod included in this Report are true and complete in all material respects.

Chi Yau

CEO