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Florida Department of State, Jim Smith, Secretary of State

APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED PARTNERSHIP FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

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2. <u>National Propane</u> , <u>Limited Partnership</u> (If name is unavailable, name under which the	
transact business in Florida; must contain the	word "LIMITED" or "LTD.")
3. Delaware (State of Formation)	4. March 15, 1996 (Date of Formation)
	ORATION SYSTEM
(Name of Registered Agent	for Service of Process)
6. <u>g/o C T Corporation</u> (Street Address of Re	System, 1200 South Pine Island Road egistered Office)
Plantation	, Florida <u>33324</u>
(City)	(Zip Code)
7. Acceptance by the Registered Agent for Serv	rice of Process.
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TIMOTHY E. CARLSON (Officer must s	ign on this line)
(Type Name and	Title of Officer)
c/o The Corporation Trust Company 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, DE	19801
	te of Formation or, if not required, Address of
9. NAME OF GENERAL PARTNERS	SPECIFIC ADDRESS
National Propane Corporation	IES Tower
127-717	200 First Street, S.E Suite 1700
333570	Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52401
10. 200 First Street, S.E Suite 1700, Ced. (Office where Names, Addresses and C	ar Rapids, Towa 52401 Contributions of Limited Partners are kept.)
11. The limited partnerhsip will undertake to k capital contributions of the limited partner or lim registration in Florida is cancelled or withdrawn.	nited partners until the limited partnership's
12. 200 First Street, S.E Suite 1700, Ceda	ar Rapids, Iowa 52401
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CONSENT TO USE OF NAME

National Propane Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware hereby consents to the formation and the use of the name of National Propane, L.P., in the State of Florida.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said National Propane Corporation has caused this consent to be executed by its Vice President and Treasurer and its Secretary and attested under its corporate seal by its Assistant Secretary, this <u>joth</u> day of June, 1996.

NATIONAL PROPANE CORPORATION

By:

Thomas E. Shultz

Vice President and Treasurer

By:

Smart I. Rosen

Secretary

Attest:

Mary C. Walle Assistant Secretary

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AFFIDAVIT OF CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, personally appeared Stuart Rosen, Secretary of National Propage Corpor general partner of National Propage, 1.P., 8 (8n) Belaware , limited partnership, hereinafter referred to as the "Partnership", who certifies as follows:
1. The amount of capital contributions of the limited partners is \$2,000
2. The anticipated amount of the capital contributions of the limited partners that are allocated for the purposes of transacting business in Florida is \$20,000,000.
This 24th day of June 1996.
FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.
Under penalties of perjury I declare that I have read the foregoing and that the facts are true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
General Partner
NATIONAL PROPANE CORPORATION
By: Stuart Rosen, Secretary
STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF NEW YORK
DATEJune 24, 1996
BEFORE ME, the undersigned officer, a Notary Public authorized to administer oaths and to take acknowledgments in and for the State and County set forth above, personally appeared Stuart Rosen, Secretary of National Propane (General Partner, known to me and know by me to be the person who executed the foregoing Affidavit of Capital Contributions, and he acknowledged to me and before me that he executed this Affidavit as General Partner of said partnership.
IN WHITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the State and County aforesaid, this 24th day of June 19 96
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CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT TO

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF

NATIONAL PROPANE, L.P. D/	B/A NATIONAL PROPANE LI	MITED PARTNERSHIP		
(1	nsert name currently on file w	ith Florida Dept. of Sta	te)	
Pursuant to the provisions hereby submits this certifi				d partnership
The registration applicatio	n is amended as follo	ws:		
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On this <u>Znd</u> personally appeared before	day of <u>October</u>	, 19 <u>96</u>	, Mary C. Wade	<u> </u>
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