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REFERENCE AUTHORIZATION COST LIMIT : \$ 78.75 ORDER DATE: January 20, 2004 ORDER TIME: 10:17 AM ORDER NO. : 402047-010 CUSTOMER NO: 7107686 CUSTOMER: Ms. Laurie Bergstresser Hughes Supply, Inc. One Hughes Way Orlando, FL 32805-2232 FOREIGN FILINGS NAME: Z&L ACQUISITION CORP. XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: LP) PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING: CERTIFIED COPY ____ PLAIN STAMPED COPY CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING CONTACT PERSON: Sara Lea -- EXT# 2914 EXAMINER:

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APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.
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1. Zb L Acquisition Corp. (Enter name of corporation must include "INCORPORATED," "COMPANY," "CORPORATION," "Inc.," "Co.," "Corp," "Inc," "Co," or "Corp.")
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(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)
2. <u>Delaware</u> 3. <u>5/0374238</u>
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
4. 5/6/1996 5. per perfual (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
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6 upon qualification (Date first transacted business in Florida. If corporation has not transacted business in Florida, insert "upon qualification.") (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)
7. 501 W. Church St. Orlando Fl 32805 (Principal office address)
One Hughes Way, P.O. Box 2273, Orlando F1 32802
(Current maning address)
8 For acofit: huilding supplier
8. For orofit; building supplier (Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)
9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)
Name: Corporation Service Company
Office Address: 1201 Hays Street
Tallahassee , Florida 32301
(City) (Zip code)
10. Registered agent's acceptance: Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this application, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I
further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.
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Corporation Service Company
Registered agent's Arizon trute) Pres
11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated, not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is incorporated.

12. Names and business addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTORS

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IOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.
3. mark D. Sameca
(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the application)
4. Mark D. Scimera, Corporate Secretary

Z&L Acquisition Corp.

. D/B/A Hughes – States of Florida & Oregon; County of New Castle, Delaware

1403 Foulk Rd., Suite 102 Wilmington, DE 19803

FEI #51-0374238 Incorporated 05/06/1996 State of Delaware

Directors:

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David H. Hughes David Bearman Thomas Morgan

Officers:

President
Secretary
Treasurer
Vice President
Vice President
Vice President
Assistant Secretary
Assistant Treasurer
Assistant Treasurer
General Councel

Thomas I. Morgan Mark D. Scimeca David Bearman Larry A. Feld Brent W. Scheps Paul Rangel Jacquel K. Clark Carl E. Gillert Jeffrey S. Leonard Jahn Z. Pare

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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT "Z&L ACQUISITION CORP." IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE NOT HAVING BEEN CANCELLED OR DISSOLVED SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW AND IS DULY AUTHORIZED TO TRANSACT BUSINESS.

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN FILED:

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, FILED THE SIXTH DAY OF MAY, A.D. 1996, AT 9:01 O'CLOCK A.M.

CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, FILED THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 2003, AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF MERGER IS THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 2003, AT 5 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATES ARE THE ONLY CERTIFICATES ON RECORD OF THE AFORESAID CORPORATION.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FRANCHISE TAXES

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