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Division of Corporations George Firestone Building 409 East Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32301

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed for filing, please find an APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA, along with a check in the amount of \$78.75 for the applicable filing fee and a certified copy for:

JAARS, INC.

I have also enclosed a check for \$8.75 to obtain a Certificate of Status for this entity. Please stamp the enclosed copy of this letter upon filing and call me at 577-9090 when the documents are ready. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely

Karen Jusevitch Paralegal

KFJ/hs Enclosures

#### APPLICATION BY FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 617.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

JAARS, Inc.  (Name of corporation: must include the word "INCORPORATE import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation in the name at present. "Company" or "Co." may not be used as	n instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained		
	56-0818833		
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)	(FEI number, if applicable)		
4. 07/15/1963 5.	Perpetual		
(Date of Incorporation)	(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")		
6, February 3, 2005			
(Date first conducted affairs in Florida if prior to registration. See a	sections 617.1501 & 617.1502, F.S. to determine penalty liability.)		
7 7405 Jaars Road, Waxhaw, NC 28173			
(Principal office address)			
P.O. Box 248, Waxhaw, NC 28173-0248 (Current in	nailing address)		
8. See attached (Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country	to be carried out in the state of Florida)		
9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box NOT acceptable)			
Name: William A. Boyles			
Office Address: 301 E. Pine Street, Suite 1400	7:50 RIDA		
Orlando	Florida 32801		
(City)	(Zip Code)		
10. Registered Agent's acceptance: Having been named as registered agent and to accept servi designated in this application, I hereby accept the appoints further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes re-	nent as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I velative to the proper and complete performance of my duties,		

and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

(Registered Acnt's signature)

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 addresses of officers and/or directors:	
A. DIRECTORS	
Chairman: Duane Johnson	
Address: 420 Canyon Oaks Drive	
Argyle, TX 76226	<del>-</del>
Vice Chairman: Tom G. Matlock	
Address: 11584 Monte Vista	_ <del></del> .
Chino, CA 91710	
Director: Roger Owens	_
Address: 436 Lansbury Drive	<u> </u>
Weddington, NC 28173	
Director: SEE ATTACHED LIST FOR ADDITIONAL DIRECTORS	
Address:	
B. OFFICERS	,
President: James S. Akovenko	
Address: 8001 Kingsland Drive	
Waxhaw, NC 28173	
Vice President: Phillip McBride	· •
Address: 6804 Old Ridge Road	
Waxhaw, NC 28173	
Secretary: Patsy J. Immel	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Address: 5618 Davis Road, Waxhaw, NC 28173	
Treasurer: Kevin Golding (Vice President - Finance)	
Address: 7914 Deer Lane, Waxhaw, NC 28173	
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.	
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)	
14. James S. Akovenko, President	
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)	

#### ATTACHMENT TO

### APPLICATION BY FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN FLORIDA

APPLICANT:

JAARS, Inc.

FEIN:

56-0818833

8. Purpose(s) of Corporation authorized in home State or Country to be carried out in the State of Florida:

To serve non-profit organizations worldwide in connection with Bible translation through coordination and training in several support areas including: aviation, construction and maintenance, purchasing and shipping, trucking, information technology, vernacular media services, land transportation and maritime services.

#### 12. Names and address of officers and/or directors:

#### A. Directors (Continued)

Ray Berry P.O. Box 472231 Charlotte, NC 28247

Judy Boyd 2400 Summerlake Road Charlotte, NC 28226

Dr. Tony Chan 7J Jalan Berjaya Singapore 578646

Rev. R. Tom Cheely 2837 Pahokee Trace Birmingham, AL 35243

Orville Rogers 3840 West Bay Circle Dallas, TX 75214 Carolyn Miller 41/5 Soi Sailom Phahol Yothin Road Bangkok 10400 Thailand

Ed Lauber P.O. Box 44456 00100 Nairobi, Kenya

Steve Lynip 7913 Fawn Lane Waxhaw, NC 28173

Geoffrey Hunt 8 Albion Road, High Wycombe Bucks, HP12 3LU England

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Dallas, TX 75236

Brian Chapaitis SIL Box 188

Ukarumpa, EHP 444 Papua New Guinea

James S. Akovenko

P.O. Box 248

Waxhaw, NC 28173

Glen Mast

5801 Davis Road

Waxhaw, NC 28173

B. Officers (Continued)

Vice President:

David Bothwell

8004 Old Ridge Road

Waxhaw, NC 28173

Vice President:

Dennis Steenwyk

5720 Stone Mill Road

Waxhaw, NC 28173

Assistant Secretary:

John Hutchinson

7600 Farmbrook Drive

Waxhaw, NC 28173

Assistant Secretary:

Eleanor Hatfield

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Waxhaw, NC 28173



## NORTH CAROLINA Department of The Secretary of State

#### **CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE**

I, ELAINE F. MARSHALL, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that

#### JAARS, INC.

is a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of North Carolina, having been incorporated on the 15th day of July, 1963, with its period of duration being Perpetual.

I FURTHER certify that the said corporation's articles of incorporation are not suspended for failure to comply with the Revenue Act of the State of North Carolina; that the said corporation is not administratively dissolved for failure to comply with the provisions of the North Carolina Nonprofit Corporation Act; and that the said corporation has not filed articles of dissolution as of the date of this certificate.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 17th day of February, 2005

Claire I. Marshall

Secretary of State