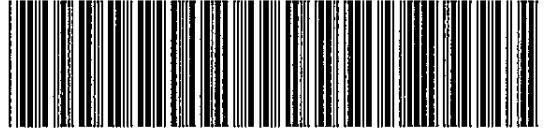


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EXAMINER: \_\_\_\_\_

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. ARC Bradenton RC, Inc.  
(Enter name of corporation; must include "INCORPORATED," "COMPANY," "CORPORATION," "Inc.," "Co.," "Corp.," "Inc.," "Co.," or "Corp.")  
  
(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)

2. Tennessee 3. applied for  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. 9-12-05 5. perpetual  
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. Upon Qualification  
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration)  
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)

7. 111 Westwood Place, Suite 200  
(Principal office address)

Brentwood, TN 37027  
(Current mailing address)

8. own, operate and/or manage asstd. living, ind. living and skilled nursing facility  
(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 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.*

Corporation Service Company  
By: Cynthia L. Harris  
(Registered agent's signature)

**Cynthia L. Harris**  
**as its agent**

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**

Chairman: W.E. Sheriff, sole director

Address: 111 Westwood Place, Suite 200  
Brentwood, TN 37027

Vice Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. OFFICERS**

President: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Vice President: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_


Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Treasurer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

13.  \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. W.E. Sheriff, Sole Director  
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

**Secretary of State**  
**Division of Business Services**  
312 Eighth Avenue North  
6th Floor, William R. Snodgrass Tower  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

ISSUANCE DATE: 09/12/2005  
REQUEST NUMBER: 05255521  
TELEPHONE CONTACT: (615) 741-6488

CHARTER/QUALIFICATION DATE: 09/09/2005  
STATUS: ACTIVE  
CORPORATE EXPIRATION DATE: PERPETUAL  
CONTROL NUMBER: 0502117  
JURISDICTION: TENNESSEE

TO:  
CFS  
8161 HWY 100  
NASHVILLE, TN 37221

REQUESTED BY:  
CFS  
8161 HWY 100  
NASHVILLE, TN 37221

**CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE**

I, RILEY C DARNELL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT  
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"ARC BRADENTON RC, INC."

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IS A CORPORATION DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAW OF THIS STATE WITH DATE OF  
INCORPORATION AND DURATION AS GIVEN ABOVE;  
THAT ALL FEES, TAXES, AND PENALTIES OWED TO THIS STATE WHICH AFFECT THE  
EXISTENCE OF THE CORPORATION HAVE BEEN PAID;  
THAT ARTICLES OF DISSOLUTION HAVE NOT BEEN FILED; AND  
THAT ARTICLES OF TERMINATION OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE HAVE NOT BEEN FILED

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FOR: REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE

ON DATE: 09/12/05

FROM:  
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8161 HIGHWAY 100  
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NASHVILLE, TN 37221-0000

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*Riley C Darnell*

RILEY C. DARNELL  
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