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April 17, 2007

CAROL BOYKIN 575 S. CHARLES STREET, SUITE 410 BALTIMORE, MD 21201

SUBJECT: BOLTON PARTNERS INVESTMENT CONSULTING GROUP, INC.

Ref. Number: W07000018720

We have received your document for BOLTON PARTNERS INVESTMENT CONSULTING GROUP, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

A certificate of existence or a certificate of good standing, dated no more than 90 days prior to the delivery of the application to the Department of State, duly authenticated by the secretary of state or other official having custody of the records in the jurisdiction under the laws of which it is incorporated/organized, must be submitted to this office. A translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be attached to a certificate which is in a language other than the English language. A photocopy of this certificate is not acceptable.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6962.

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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.

Bolton Partners Investment Consulting Group, Inc.

(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting busin	ess in Florida)	)
<sub>2.</sub> Maryland <sub>3.</sub> 52-1871508		
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)		
<sub>4.</sub> <u>1994</u> <sub>5.</sub> <u>Perpetual</u>		_
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or	r "perpetual")	
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(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration) (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)		
<sub>7.</sub> 575 S. Charles Street, Suite 410 Baltimore, MD 21201		
(Principal office address)		07
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(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)	HO.	3: 24
9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box NOT acceptable)		24
Name: NRAI Services Inc.		
Office Address: 526 E. Park Avenue		
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.

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:	FILED		
A. DIRECTORS	07 MAY -7 PM 3:	. 21	
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Vice Chairman:			
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Director:		,	
Address:			
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B. OFFICERS			
President: Robert G. Bolton			
Address: 575 S. Charles Street, Suite 410			
Baltimore, MD 21201			
Carol Boykin			
Address: 575 S. Charles Street, Suite 410			
Baltimore, MD 21201			
Secretary: Carol Boykin			
Address: 575 S. Charles Street, Suite 410			
Treasurer:			
Address:			
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional	al officers and/or director	rs.	
13. <u>4-10-07</u>	1		
(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the apple			
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)			

## STATE OF MARYLAND Department of Assessments and Taxation

I. PAUL B. ANDERSON OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT, BY LAWS OF THE STATE, IS THE CUSTODIAN OF THE RECORDS OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE FORFEITURE OR SUSPENSION OF CORPORATIONS. OR THE RIGHTS OF CORPORATIONS TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THIS STATE, AND THAT I AM THE PROPER OFFICER TO EXECUTE THIS CERTIFICATE.

I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT BOLTON PARTNERS INVESTMENT CONSULTING GROUP, INC. IS A CORPORATION DULY INCORPORATED AND EXISTING UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE LAWS OF MARYLAND AND THE CORPORATION HAS FILED ALL ANNUAL REPORTS REQUIRED, HAS NO OUTSTANDING LATE FILING PENALTIES ON THOSE REPORTS, AND HAS A RESIDENT AGENT. THEREFORE, THE CORPORATION IS AT THE TIME OF THIS CERTIFICATE IN GOOD STANDING WITH THIS DEPARTMENT AND DULY AUTHORIZED TO EXERCISE ALL THE POWERS RECITED IN ITS CHARTER OR CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, AND TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN MARYLAND.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SUBSCRIBED MY SIGNATURE AND AFFIXED THE SEAL OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF MARYLAND AT BALTIMORE ON THIS MAY 01, 2007.

Pal B. Andrew

Paul B. Anderson Charter Division



SECRETARY OF STATE

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