TO Qualification/Tax Lien Section Division of Corporations

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10.10 (5 0)1031 0065 ••••131.25 ••••131.25 SUBJECT: North Group, <u>Inc.</u> (Name of corporation - must include suffix) Dear Sir or Madam: The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign corporation to transact business in Florida. Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following: Janet Overstreet (Name of Person) Norix Group, Inc. (Firm/Company) 1000 Atlantic Drive (Address) West Chicago, IL 60185 (City/State/Zip) Should you need to call someone concerning this matter, please call: Janet Overstreet at (800-234-)4900 (Name of Person) (Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

October 19, 1995

JANET OVERSTREET % NORIX GROUP, INC. 1000 ATLANTIC DRIVE WEST CHICAGO, IL 60185

SUBJECT: NORIX GROUP, INC. Ref. Number: W95000020852

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We have received your document for NORIX GROUP, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$131.25. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The date first transacted business in Florida within the meaning of s. 607.1501 or 608.501, F.S., must be set forth in section 6 of the application. If the corporation/limited liability company has not yet transacted business in Florida within this meaning, please insert the words "upon qualification" in lieu of a date. (Note: Pursuant to s. 607.1502(4), F.S., this office collects a civil penalty of \$1000 for each year other than the application filing year, that a foreign corporation or limited liability company transacts business in this state without authority along with the past annual report fees due this office.)

Please return 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 (904) 487-6097.

Michael Mays Document Specialist

Letter Number: 695A00047135

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: Norix Group, Inc. (Name of corporation: must including the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.) 2. <u>Illinois</u> (State or country under the law incorporated) <u>36-3257149</u> (FEI Number, if applicable) of which it is incorporated) 11-4-83 <u>Perpetual</u> (Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year com will m cease to exist or "perpetual") Upon qualification (Date first transacted business in Florida.) . 23 7. 1000 Atlantic Drive ∙ांग West Chicago, IL 60185 90 (Current Mailing Address) 8. Sell furniture to institutions (Purpose 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; Name: MICHAEL B. UDELL, ESQUIRE

10. Registered Agent's acceptance:

Address: 235 North University Drive

Pembroke Pines, FL 33024

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.

(Registered agent's signature)

11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly a thenticated, 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: (Street ONLY - P.O. Box NOT acceptable)	address
A. DIRECTORS:	
Chairman: Richard B. Karl Address: 1825 Persimmon Drive, St. Charles, IL 60174	
Vice Chairman: <u>Heather L. Karl</u> Address: <u>1825 Persimmon Drive</u> , St. Charles, IL 60174	
Director: Address:	
Director: Address:	
B. OFFICERS:	: a
President: Donald C. Stading Address: 8444 Evergreen Lane, Darien, IL 60561	
Vice-President: <u>Heather L. Karl</u> Address: <u>1825 Persimmon Drive, West Chicago, IL 60174</u>	
Secretary: <u>Heather L. Karl</u>	- m
Treasurer:	
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the applicational additional officers and/or directors. 13.	
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer lister in number 12 of the application)	d
14. Richard B. Karl (Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing)	

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To all to whom these presents Shall Come, Greeting:

I. George M. Ryan. Secretary of State of the State of Illinoises 6

do hereby certify that NORIX GROUP, INC., A DOMESTIC CORPORATION, INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THIS STATE NOVEMBER 6, 1981, APPEARS TO HAVE COMPLIED WITH ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THE BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE FILING OF ANNUAL REPORTS AND PAYMENT OF FRANCHISE TAXES, AND AS OF THIS DATE, IS IN GOOD STANDING AS A DOMESTIC CORPORATION IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS***

In Costimony Mherrof. A horde set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Manus. this 3RD day of OCTOBER 19 19 95

George & Ryan

