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To: Qualification/Tax Lien Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: WESLEY H. SMITH LANDSCAPE CONTRACTORS, INC.
(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: 000002648090-5

PATRICK J. GIBBS

(Name of Person)

PATRICK J. GIBBS, P.C.

(Firm/Company)

1088 Canton Street

(Address)

Roswell, GA 30075

(City/State/Zip)

Should you need to call someone concerning this matter, please call:

PATRICK J. GIBBS

(Name of Person)

at (770) 992-2280

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

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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.**

1. WESLEY H. SMITH LANDSCAPE CONTRACTORS, INC.
(Name of corporation; must include 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. GEORGIA 3. 58-1723053
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. Feb. 10, 1987 5. PERPETUAL
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. September 1, 1998
(Date first transacted business in Florida.) (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)

7. 1938 Canton Highway
Cumming, GA 30130
(Current mailing address)

8. Business corporation; all lawful purposes; landscaping
(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: James R. Swindell

Office Address: 3560 South 3rd Street

Jacksonville Beach, Florida, 32250
(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.

James R. Swindell
(Registered agent'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: (Street address **ONLY** - P.O. Box **NOT** acceptable)

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A. DIRECTORS (Street address only - P.O. Box NOT acceptable)

Chairman: WESLEY H. SMITH

Address: 1938 Canton Highway
Cumming GA 30130

Vice Chairman: _____

Address: _____

Director: BARBARA E. SMITH

Address: 260 Clipper Bay
Alpharetta, GA 30005

Director: _____

Address: _____

B. OFFICERS (Street address only - P.O. Box NOT acceptable)

President: WESLEY H. SMITH

Address: 1938 Canton Highway
Cumming GA 30130

Vice President: _____

Address: _____

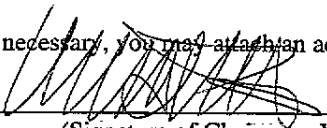
Secretary: BARBARA E. SMITH

Address: 260 Clipper Bay
Alpharetta GA 30005

Treasurer: BARBARA E. SMITH

Address: 260 Clipper Bay
Alpharetta GA 30005

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

13. 
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. WESLEY H. SMITH President
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

I, Lewis A. Massey, the Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that

WESLEY H. SMITH LANDSCAPE CONTRACTORS, INC.
A DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION

was formed in the jurisdiction stated above or was authorized to transact business in Georgia on the above date. Said entity in compliance with the applicable filing and annual registration provisions of Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated and has not filed articles of dissolution, certificate of cancellation or any other similar document with the office of the Secretary of State.

This certificate relates only to the legal existence of the above-named entity as of the date issued. It does not certify whether or not a notice of intent to dissolve, an application for withdrawal, a statement of commencement of winding up or any other similar document has been filed or is pending with the Secretary of State.

This certificate is issued pursuant to Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated and is prima-facie evidence that said entity is in existence or is authorized to transact business in this state.



Lewis A. Massey

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Secretary of State