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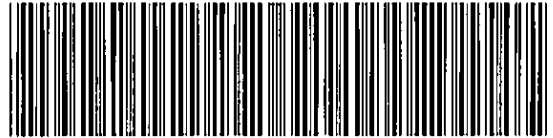
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Division of Corporations

February 15, 2023

MICHAEL E SZYMANSKI
5804 CAMDYN CT
THE VILLAGES, FL 32163 US

SUBJECT: BELL PRIDE, LLC
Ref. Number: W23000020886

We have received your document for BELL PRIDE, LLC and your check(s) totaling \$185.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

As a condition of a conversion, pursuant to s.605.0212(9) & s.605.0212(10), s.607.1622(9) and/or 607.1622(10), Florida Statutes, the entity must be active and current in filing its annual reports with the Department of State through December 31 of the calendar year in which the conversion is submitted for filing.

The name designated in your document is unavailable since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity.

One or more major words may be added to make the name distinguishable from the one presently on file.

An individual must sign on behalf of the business entity you have designated as the registered agent.

The document number of the name conflict is M19000005896.

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 (850) 245-6052.

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TO: New Filing Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Bell Pride, LLC
(Name of Resulting Florida Limited Company)

The enclosed Articles of Conversion, Articles of Organization, and fees are submitted to convert an "Other Business Entity" into a "Florida Limited Liability Company" in accordance with s. 605.1045, F.S.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to:

Michael E. Szymanski
(Contact Person)

Bell Pride, LLC
(Firm/Company)

5804 Camden Ct
(Address)

The Villages, FL 32163
(City, State and Zip Code)

~~vbl196@gmail.com~~ mikescorahome@gmail.com
E-mail Address: (to be used for future annual report notifications)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Michael E. Szymanski at (757) 332-2897
(Name of Contact Person) (Area Code) (Daytime Telephone Number)

Enclosed is a check for the following amount: (All checks processed by this office must be payable in U.S. dollars and drawn on a bank located in the United States)

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| ☐ \$150.00 Filing Fees
(\$25 for Conversion
& \$125 for Articles
of Organization) | ☐ \$155.00 Filing Fees
and Certificate of
Status | ☐ \$180.00 Filing Fees
and Certified Copy | ☒ \$185.00 Filing Fees,
Certified Copy, and
Certificate of Status |
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Articles of Conversion
For
"Other Business Entity"
Into
Florida Limited Liability Company

The Articles of Conversion **and attached Articles of Organization** are submitted to convert the following **"Other Business Entity"** into a **Florida Limited Liability Company** in accordance with s.605.1045, Florida Statutes.

1. The name of the "Other Business Entity" immediately prior to the filing of the Articles of Conversion is:
Bell Pride, LLC
(Enter Name of Other Business Entity)

2. The "Other Business Entity" is a limited liability company
(Enter entity type. Example: corporation, limited partnership, general partnership, common law or business trust, etc.)

First organized, formed or incorporated under the laws of North Carolina
(Enter state, or if a non-U.S. entity, the name of the country)

on October 24, 2013
(date of organization, formation or incorporation)

3. The name of the Florida Limited Liability Company as set forth in the **attached Articles of Organization**:
Bell Pride, LLC
(Enter Name of Florida Limited Liability Company)

4. If not effective on the date of filing, enter the effective date: _____
(The effective date: Cannot be prior to date of receipt or filed date nor more than 90 calendar days after the date this document is filed by the Florida Department of State.)

Note: If the date inserted in this block does not meet the applicable statutory filing requirements, this date will not be listed as the document's effective date on the Department of State's records.

5. The plan of conversion has been approved in accordance with all applicable statutes.

6. The "Converted or Other Business Entity" has agreed to pay any members having appraisal rights the amount to which such members are entitled under ss. 605.1006 and 605.1061-605.1072, F.S.

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Signed this 24th day of January 20 23.

Signature of Authorized Representative of Limited Liability Company:

Signature of Authorized Representative: Michael E. Szymanski
Printed Name: Michael E. Szymanski Title: Member-Manager

Signature(s) on behalf of Other Business Entity: [See below for required signature(s)]

Signature: Michael E. Szymanski
Printed Name: Michael E. Szymanski Title: Member-Manager

Signature: _____
Printed Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____
Printed Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____
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Signature: _____
Printed Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____
Printed Name: _____ Title: _____

If Florida Corporation:

Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, Director, or Officer.

If Directors or Officers have not been selected, an Incorporator must sign.

If Florida General Partnership or Limited Liability Partnership:

Signature of one General Partner.

If Florida Limited Partnership or Limited Liability Limited Partnership:

Signatures of ALL General Partners.

All others:

Signature of an authorized person.

Fees:

Articles of Conversion:	\$25.00
Fees for Florida Articles of Organization:	\$125.00
Certified Copy:	\$30.00 (Optional)
Certificate of Status:	\$5.00 (Optional)

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