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(Requestor's Name)

Sovereign Management Corp.  
(Address)

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(Address)

Tampa FL 33647  
(City/State/Zip/Phone #)

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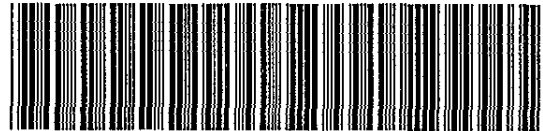
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5304 BURCHETTE RD  
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SUBJECT: SOVEREIGN FUNDING LLC  
Ref. Number: W02000034939

We have received your document for SOVEREIGN FUNDING LLC and your check(s) totaling \$130.00. However, the document has not been filed and is being retained in this office for the following:

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 your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

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Diane Cushing  
Corporate Specialist

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**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA**

*IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608.503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:*

1. Sovereign Funding LLC  
(Name of foreign limited liability company)

2. Delaware  
(Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)

3. \_\_\_\_\_  
(FEI number, if applicable)

4. August 12, 1999  
(Date of Organization)

5. Perpetual  
(Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. Upon Qualification  
(Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 608.501, 608.502, and 817.155, F.S.))

7. 5304 Burchette Rd.  
Tampa, FL, 33647  
(Street address of principal office)

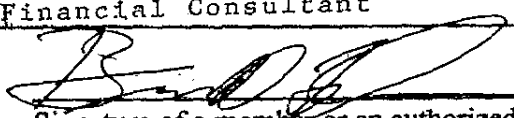
8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed company, check here

9. The name and usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as follows:  
Bruno D. Trimpoli, 5304 Burchette Rd., Tampa, FL, 33647

10. Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 days old, duly authenticated by the official having custody of records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photocopy is not acceptable. If the certificate is in a foreign language, a translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be submitted.)

11. Nature of business or purposes to be conducted or promoted in Florida: \_\_\_\_\_

Financial Consultant



Signature of a member or an authorized representative of a member.  
(In accordance with section 608.408(3), F.S., the execution of this document constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.)

Bruno D. Trimpoli  
Typed or printed name of signee

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### CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 or 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is:

Sovereign Funding LLC

2. The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are:

Bruno D. Trimpoli

(Name)

5304 Burchette Rd.

Florida street address (P.O. Box **NOT** ACCEPTABLE)

Tampa

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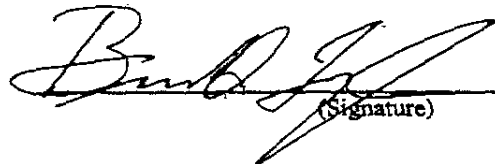
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*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent as provided for in Chapter 608, F.S.*



(Signature)

- \$ 100.00 Filing Fee for Application
- \$ 25.00 Designation of Registered Agent
- \$ 30.00 Certified Copy (optional)
- \$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (optional)

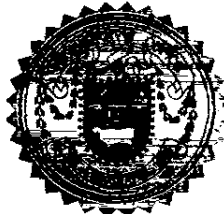
# Delaware

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*The First State*

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "SOVEREIGN FUNDING, LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2002.

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*Harriet Smith Windsor*  
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