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June 16, 2004

NANCY REESE PO BOX 4479 HOUSTON, TX 77210-4479

SUBJECT: FINANCIAL CASUALTY & SURETY, INC.

Ref. Number: W04000023206

We have received your document for FINANCIAL CASUALTY & SURETY, 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):

We are enclosing the proper form(s) with instructions for your convenience.

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) 245-6890.

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Endosed you will find our second attempt to file our corporate name. This letter RE. Application for the Registration of a Foreign Corporate Name Upon receipt of this registration form, please send your letter of acknowledgment. July 8, 2004 Lingson or Colorations State Jason Went Specialist Portaine in Specialist jours Jason Wentok ru box box! Florida 32314 Fallahassee, Florida 32314 Endosed you will find our second attempt to file our sent to my office. Daytime telephone # 713.5 POBOX 6321 Dear Mr. Merrick Daytine telephone THOUSION. Texas T7210.4AT9 Thanks for your assistance as we work to expand our business Robert Sabo - Sr. Vice President, COO You may also contact ... Marrintor Reese eincerely. EMONIEO GENELE, PRIEMOTY PROPLE PROTECT Henry Current September Manoy

Financial Casualty & Surety, Inc.

A Texas Bail Insurance Company

Bail Program Administrative Offices
 P.O. Box 4479 --- Bouston TX 77210-4479
3131 Eastside Suite 600 --- Bouston TX 77098-1919
Toll Free 877-737-2245 Fax 713-560-6401

Nancy (Armintor) Reese Management Bail Operations 713-580-6406

June 4, 2004

Division of Corporations Florida Department of State PO Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

RE: Application for the Registration of a Foreign Corporate Name

Dear Division of Corporations -

Enclosed you will find

- Our Application for the Registration of a Foreign Corporate Name
- A certified copy of our Certificate of Compliance and Certificate of Authority from our domicile State of Texas
- Our application fee check for \$87.50

Upon receipt of this registration form, please send your letter of acknowledgment to ...

Nancy Reese – Manager Bail Operations Financial Casualty & Surety, Inc. PO Box 4479 Houston, Texas 77210-4479

Daytime telephone # 713-580-6408

You may also contact

Robert Sabo - Sr. Vice-President, COO

Daytime telephone # 713-580-6410

Thanks for your assistance as we expand our business development in Louisiana.

Sincerely,

Nancy (Armintor) Reese nreese@mfscs.com

SECRETARY OF STATE
DIVISION OF CORPERATIONS

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO: Registration Section Division of Corporations	
SUBJECT: Financial Casualty & Surety, 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:	
Nancy Reese	_
(Name of Person)	• •
Financial Casualty & Surety, Inc.	•
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3131 Eastside - Suite 600 POBOX 4479 (Address)	- 4.
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(City/State and Zip code)	***
For further information concerning this matter, please call:	
Nancy Reese at (713) 580-6406	
Name of Person) (Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)	-
STREET ADDRESS: Registration Section Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines St. Tallahassee, FL 32399 MAILING ADDRESS: Registration Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 DEFINITION OF CORPORATIONS Tallahassee, FL 32314	- -
Enclosed is a check for the following amount:	
\$70.00 Filing Fee \$\Bigcup \\$78.75 Filing Fee & \$\Bigcup \\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status \$\Bigcup \\$ Certified Copy \$\Bigcup \\$ Certified Copy \$\Bigcup \\$ Certified Copy	

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. Financial County & Surety Inc. (Enter name of corporation; must include "INCORPORATED," "COMPANY," "CORPORATION," "Inc.," "Co.," "Corp." "Inc.," "Co," or "Corp.")	•
(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of ansacting business in Florida)	ompan
2. IEXA5 (State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) 4. Dec 1989 (Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")	٠.
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6. (Date first transacted business in Florida. If corporation has not transacted business in Florida, insert "upon qualification.") (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)	
7. 3131 Easterde - Suite 600 Houston TX 77098 (Principal office address)	
PO Box 4479 Houston Tx 77210	2-4470
8. Bail Surety Insurance (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: NRAI Services, Inc.	
Office Address: 526 E. Park Avenue	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Tallahassee , Florida 32301 (City) (Zip code)	ती क्षरा स
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.	% Divid
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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:	PORATIONS

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A. DIRECTORS			
Chairman: See attached			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Address:			
Vice Chairman:			
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Director:			
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Director:	<u> </u>		
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B. OFFICERS			
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Vice President:		·	<u> </u>
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NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application l	isting additional officers	and/or director	ar T
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(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number	er 12 of the application)	<u></u>	
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(Typed or printed name and capacity of person	signing application)		

Financial Casualty & Surety, Inc.

3131 Eastside ~ Suite 600 --- Houston, Texas 77098 P.O. Box 4479 --- Houston, Texas 77210-4479

Company Officers & Directors

Myron F. Steves Jr. ---- Chairman of the Board, Director

John L. Garner ---- President, Chief Executive Office, Director

Frederick B. Steves ---- Sr. Vice-President, Secretary, Director

Robert J. Sabo ---- Sr. Vice-President, Chief Operating Officer, Director

James W. Hooker ---- Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer, Director

Philip G. Cabaud III ---- Vice-President, Director

Teresa Steves Skinner ---- Director

Signature

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Name

Sr. V. F

Title

Date

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OF CORPORATIONS

Corporate Seal

Applicant Name: FINANCIAL CASUALTY & SURETY, INC NAIC No. 35009 FEIN: 752304982 Uniform Certificate of Authority Application (UCAA) Certificate of Compliance **TEXAS** Office of COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE State of (Domiciliary state of applicant) (Commissioner, Superintendent, Officer) JEFF HUNT hereby certify that I am the* (name) ADMISSIONS OFFICER (position) and have supervision of insurance business in said State and as such I hereby certify that FINANCIAL CASUALTY & SURETY, INC. (name of Insurer) of HOUSTON, TEXAS is duly organized under the laws of said State and is (city/state) authorized to transact the business of SEE ATTACHED CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY (line of insurance)** insurance in this State. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at AUSTIN, TEXAS (location) on this APRIL day of 2004 (month) JEFF HUNT (printed name)

- Insurance Commissioner, Officer or Superintendent of Insurance authorized to certify to the insurance business within the domiciliary state.
- ** Lines of Insurance as shown on Form 3 of UCAA

Texas Department of Insurance



Certificate No. 13218

Company No. 07 - 005387

Certificate of Authority

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT

FINANCIAL CASUALTY & SURETY, INC.

HOUSTON, TEXAS

has complied with the laws of the State of Texas applicable thereto and is hereby authorized to transact the business of

Fire; Allied Coverages; Hail-growing crops only; Rain; Inland Marine; Ocean Marine; Aircraft--Liability & Physical Damage; Accident; Health; Workers' Compensation & Employers' Liability; Employers' Liability; Automobile--Liability & Physical Damage; Liability other than Automobile; Fidelity & Surety; Glass; Burglary & Theft; Forgery; Boiler & Machinery; Credit; Livestock and Reinsurance on all lines authorized to be written on a direct basis

insurance within the state of Texas. This Certificate of Authority shall be in full force and effect until it is revoked, canceled or suspended according to law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness my hand and seal of office at Austin, Texas, this

30th day of September A.D. 2002

JOSE MONTEMAYOR
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

Godwin Ohaechesi, Director Company Licensing & Registration

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