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PAPA ROD INC.**

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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. Papa Rod 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 transacting business in Florida)

2. ALABAMA 3. 72-1364755  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. 4-8 1997 5. Perpetual  
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. Upon Qualification  
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration)  
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)

7. 14843 Alba Ave Caden, AL 36523  
(Principal office address)

PO Box 842 Bayou La Batre, AL 36509  
(Current mailing address)

8. Commercial Fishing Vessel  
(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 NOT acceptable)

Name: Express Corporate Filing Service Inc  
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Coral Gables, Florida 33134  
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## 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.

  
(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 business addresses of officers and/or directors:

## A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Vice Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## B. OFFICERS

President: Joseph Rodriguez JrAddress: 7630 Deale LnIrvington AL 36544Vice President: Emmett PittmanAddress: 7788 Hillside Dr North Irvington, AL 36544Irvington AL 36544Secretary: Cissy Davis-McCluerAddress: 7610 Offspring Drive Irvington, AL 36544

Treasurer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

13. Joseph C

Signature of Director or Officer

The officer or director signing this document (and who is listed in number 12 above) affirms that the facts stated herein are true and that he or she is aware that false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in § 817.155, F.S.

14. Joseph Rodriguez Jr (President)

(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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Jim Bennett  
Secretary of State

P.O. Box 5616  
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# STATE OF ALABAMA

**I, Jim Bennett, Secretary of State of Alabama, having custody of the  
Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that**

the entity records on file in this office disclose that Papa Rod, Inc. was formed in  
Mobile County, Alabama on April 8, 1997. The Alabama Entity Identification  
number for this entity is 186-778. I further certify that the records do not disclose  
that said entity has been dissolved, cancelled or terminated.

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**In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my  
hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the  
Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this day.**

6/10/2014

Date

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Jim Bennett', is written over a horizontal line.

Jim Bennett

Secretary of State