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**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO  
APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN  
FLORIDA**

**SECTION I (1-3 must be completed)**

1. MetLife Capital Corporation  
Name of Corporation as it appears within the records of the Department of State.
2. Incorporated under laws of: Delaware
3. Date authorized to do business in Florida: October 11, 1983

**SECTION II (4-7 complete only the applicable changes)**

4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was the change effected under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation?

August 26, 1998

5. Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation," "company," "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation:

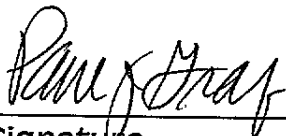
General Electric Capital Business Asset Funding Corporation

6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration.

No Change

7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction.

No Change



Signature

Name and Title

Paul J. Graf, Secretary

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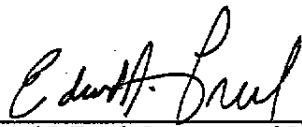
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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "METLIFE CAPITAL CORPORATION", FILED A CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT, CHANGING ITS NAME TO "GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL BUSINESS ASSET FUNDING CORPORATION", THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 1998, AT 12:15 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE AFORESAID CORPORATION IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE NOT HAVING BEEN CANCELLED OR DISSOLVED SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW AND IS DULY AUTHORIZED TO TRANSACT BUSINESS.



  
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Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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AUTHENTICATION:    9351611

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DATE:    10-13-98

## CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

OF

## CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

MetLife Capital Corporation (the "Company"), a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware,

DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST: That the Board of Directors of said corporation, by the unanimous written consent of its members, filed with the minutes of the Board, adopted a resolution proposing and declaring advisable the following amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation of said corporation:

RESOLVED, that the Certificate of Incorporation of MetLife Capital Corporation be amended by changing the First Article thereof so that, as amended, said Article shall be and read in its entirety as follows:

The name of the corporation is General Electric Capital Business Asset Funding Corporation.

SECOND: That in lieu of a meeting and vote of the sole shareholder, the sole shareholder has given written consent to said amendment in accordance with the provisions of Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

THIRD: That the aforesaid amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the applicable provisions of Sections 242 and 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this certificate to be signed by Paul J. Graf, its Secretary, this 17th day of August, 1998.

TRUE AND CERTIFIED COPY

By *John L. Salinas*

MetLife Capital Corporation

By

*Paul J. Graf*  
Paul J. Graf, Secretary

**GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL  
BUSINESS ASSET FUNDING CORPORATION  
STATEMENT OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS**

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