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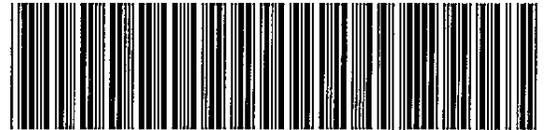
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NAME: FIRST STATES INVESTORS 4000A,
L.P.

XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: LP)

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EXAMINER: _____

APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED PARTNERSHIP FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

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1. FIRST STATES INVESTORS 4000A, L.P.
(Name of limited partnership as it is in the home state)

2. _____
(If name is unavailable, name under which the limited partnership proposes to register or transact business in Florida; must contain the word "LIMITED" or "LTD.")

3. DELAWARE 4. 02/14/2003
(State of Formation) (Date of Formation)

5. Corporation Service Company
(Name of Registered Agent for Service of Process)

6. 1201 Hays Street
(Street Address of Registered Office)

Tallahassee, Florida 32301
(City) (Zip Code)

7. Acceptance by the Registered Agent for Service of Process:
Corporation Service Company
By: Cynthia L. Harris **Cynthia L. Harris**
(Agent must sign on this line) **as its agent**

8. 1725 THE FAIRWAY, JENKINTOWN, PA 19046
(Address of registered office required in state of formation or, if not required, address of principal office.)

9. NAMES OF GENERAL PARTNERS STREET ADDRESS
FIRST STATES INVESTORS 4000A, GP, LLC - 1725 THE FAIRWAY, JENKINTOWN, PA 19046

10. 1725 THE FAIRWAY, JENKINTOWN, PA 19046
(Office where Names, Addresses and Contributions of Limited Partners are kept.)

11. The limited partnership will undertake to keep the records listing the addresses and capital contributions of the limited partner or limited partners until the limited partnership's registration in Florida is canceled or withdrawn.

12. FIRST STATES GROUP, L.P., 1725 THE FAIRWAY, JENKINTOWN, PA 19046

(Mailing Address of Limited Partnership)

Under penalties of perjury I, being duly sworn, declare that I have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof and that the facts stated herein are true and correct.

Signed this 23RD day of DECEMBER, 2005

Edward J. Matey Jr., Asst. Manager of general partner
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 23RD day of DECEMBER, 2005

Edward J. Matey Jr., on behalf of First States Investors 4000A GP, LLC, personally appeared before me,

who is personally known to me

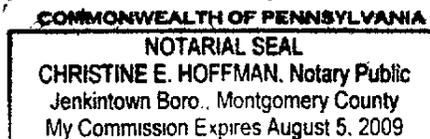
whose identity I proved on the basis of _____

Christine E. Hoffman
(Notary Public Signature)

Christine E. Hoffman
(Notary's Printed Name)

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My Commission Expires: August 5, 2009



AFFIDAVIT OF CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS FOR A FOREIGN LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

BEFORE ME the undersigned personally appeared Edward J. Matey Jr., Asst. Manager of First States Investors 4000A
a general partner of First States Investors 4000A, L.P., a (an) Delaware
limited partnership, hereinafter referred to as the "Partnership", who certifies as follows:

1. The amount of capital contributions of the limited partners is \$56,000,000.00
2. The anticipated amount of the capital contributions of the limited partners that are allocated for the purposes of transacting business in Florida is \$22,933,262.07

Under the penalties of perjury I, being duly sworn, declare that I have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof and that the facts stated herein are true and correct.

Signed this 23rd day of December, 2005.

E. Matey Jr.
Edward J. Matey Jr. Assistant Manager of General Partner

STATE OF Pennsylvania

COUNTY OF Montgomery

On this 23rd day of December, 2005,

_____ personally appeared before me,

- who is personally known to me
 whose identity I proved on the basis of _____

Christine E. Hoffman
(Notary Public Signature)

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(Notary's Printed Name)

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