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### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

June 7, 2000

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TALLAHASSEE, FL

SUBJECT: SOUTHTRUST BANK Ref. Number: W00000014463 DO JUH -9 PM 2: 32

We have received your document for SOUTHTRUST BANK and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Please note that we have RETAINED your \$70.00 payment.

We appreciate the letter from the law firm, but we must ask that you please also submit a letter form the Florida Division of Banking stating it has approved this filing.

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) 487-6914.

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DIVISION OF BANKING

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#### OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND FINANCE STATE OF FLORIDA TALLAHASSEE 32399-0350

June 9, 2000

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Frederic L. Smith, Jr. Bradley Arant Rose & White LLP 2001 Park Place, Suite 1400 Birmingham, Alabama 35203

Re: "SouthTrust Bank"

Dear Mr. Smith:

Reference is made to your letter/fax dated June 9, requesting approval of the abovereferenced corporate name which is an Alabama state-chartered financial institution which will be conducting lawfully authorized business in the state of Florida.

As Section 655.922(2)(a), Florida Statutes, exempts a financial institution, holding company or its subsidiaries from the prohibition against using the word "bank", "banker", "banking", "trust company", "savings and loan association", "savings bank", or "credit union" in its corporate name.

Therefore, the Division of Banking has no objection to the use of the above-name being registered to transact business as a foreign corporation in the state of Florida.

Sincerety,

ALEX HAGER RAMINGAN
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Director

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cc: Karon Beyer, Chief Bureau of Corporate Records Secretary of State's Office

#### BRADLEY ARANT ROSE & WHITE LLP

Frederic L. Smith, Jr.

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June 7, 2000

Florida Department of State Corporations Division Qualification/Tax Lien Section 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find an Application by Foreign Corporation and other documents necessary to qualify SouthTrust Bank, an Alabama banking corporation, to transact business in Florida. Please note that the Comptroller's Office, Division of Banking, has approved the transaction of business by SouthTrust Bank in Florida. If you need further information from the Division of Banking, please contact Bruce Ricca at (850) 410-9528. Should you have any additional questions, please call me at the above number.

Sincerely,

Frederic L. Smith, Jr.

FLSjr/ap Enclosures

#### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Qualification/Tax Lien Section

To:

Divisi	ion of Corpo	orations		•		(II)
SUBJECT: S	outhTrus	t Bank		<u>.                                    </u>		<b>ં</b>
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Dear Sir or Ma	adam:					
The enclosed 'Certificate of to transact bus	Existence"	n by Foreign Corporation, and check are submitte	n foi d to	Authorization to Trans register the above refer	act l ence	Business in Florida", ed foreign corporation
Please return a	II correspor	ndence concerning this m	natte	r to the following:		
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Qualification/Tax Lien Section Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines St. Tallahassee, FL 32399		-	Qualification/Tax Lien Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314			
Enclosed is a ch	eck for the	following amount:		-		
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APPLI	CATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA
IN COMPLIAN REGISTER A F	CE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO COREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.
1. SouthTrust E	
words or abbr	poration; must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or eviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)
2. Alabama	<u>363-002</u> 2-787
(State or count	ry under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
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··	ate of incorporation)  (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6. 06/06/00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	st transacted business in Florida.) (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)
	h 20th Street
PILIMING	am, Alabama 35203
	(Current mailing address)
8. See Attachmen	*
	(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)
	reet address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)
Name:	C T Corporation System
Office Address:	200 South Pine Island Road
	Plantation, Florida, 33324
	(Zip code)
10. Registered :	agent's acceptance:
Having been name this application, I with the provision:	ed as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply sof all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept my position as registered agent. GT Corporation System  By:  (Registered agent's signature)

12. Names and addresses of officers and/or directors: (Street address ONLY - P.O. Box NOT acceptable) FL019 C TFilling Manager Online

which it is incorporated.

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

(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)	A. DIRECTORS (Street address only - P.O. Box NOT acceptable)	E.R.
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(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)	14 Julian W. BantonChairman, President and Chief Executi	

#### SOUTHTRUST BANK

#### Application by a Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida

Paragraph 8:

Banking and Trust Business

Paragraph 12(a):

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#### SOUTHTRUST BANK

#### Application by a Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida

Paragraph 12(b):

Officers

Name	<u>Title</u>	Business Address
Julian W. Banton	Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer	420 North 20th Street Birmingham, AL 35203
Sandra B. Goddard	Cashier	420 North 20th Street Birmingham AL 35203

## STATE OF ALABAMA

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

the domestic corporation records on file in this office disclose that SouthTrust Bank incorporated in Jefferson County, Birmingham, Alabama on June 6, 2000. I further certify that the records do not disclose that said SouthTrust Bank has been dissolved.



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.

06/06/00

Date

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Jim Bennett

Secretary of State