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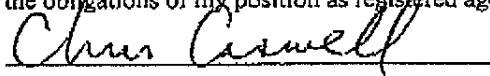
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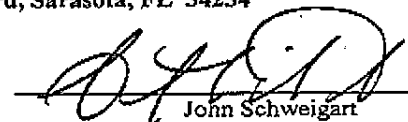
APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO
TRANSACTION BUSINESS IN FLORIDAIN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A
FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACTION BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of this corporation is Advanced Storage Systems, Inc.
2. State or country of incorporation is Delaware
3. Federal Employer ID Number is _____
4. Date of Incorporation is July 12, 2000
5. Duration of corporation is perpetual
6. Date first transacted business in Florida is August 15, 2000
7. Current mailing address is 3100 N. Washington Blvd., Sarasota FL 34234 (also principal office address)
8. The purpose(s) of the corporation authorized in home state to be carried out in Florida are for the purpose of transacting any and all lawful business
9. The name and street address of the Florida registered agent is Chris Caswell, 2364 Fruitville Road, Sarasota, FL 34237.

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.



10. 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.
11. The name(s) and street address(es) of the director(s):
John Schweigart 3100 N. Washington Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34234
12. The name(s) and street address(es) of the officer(s):
President John Schweigart 3100 N. Washington Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34234


John Schweigart

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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT "ADVANCED STORAGE SYSTEMS, INC." 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.

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN FILED:

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, FILED THE TWELFTH DAY OF JULY, A.D. 2000, AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATES ARE THE ONLY CERTIFICATES ON RECORD OF THE AFORESAID CORPORATION.

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