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A CCH LEGAL INFORMATION SERVICES COMPANY

|          | APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INANSACI   |
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|          | BUSINESS IN FLORIDA  |
| IN<br>Ri | N COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO<br>EGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA. |
| 1.       | TIAA-CREF Tuition Financing, Inc.  |
|          | Name of comporation: must include the word "INCORPORATED" "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" OF  |

(Name of corporation; must include the word "INCORP words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)

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| 4. <u>September 25, 1998</u> <u>-5</u> <u>Perpertual</u><br>(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")  | Ng salaraga                                    |
| 6. <u>Upon filing</u><br>(Date first transacted business in Florida.) (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)  | . 1 (f)    |
| 7730 Third Avenue  |  |
| New York, NY 10017<br>(Current mailing address)  |  |
| <ol> <li>8. <u>To administer and provide advice for tuition financing plans.</u><br/>(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)</li> <li>9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box <u>NOT</u> acceptable)</li> </ol> |  |
| Name: CT Corporation System  | • pr. 45. • <b>4</b> .                         |
| Office Address: 1200 South Pine Island Road  | . <del></del>                                  |
| Plantation , Florida, <u>33324</u><br>(Zip code)   |  |
| 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 STEPHEN ADAMO C T Corporation Syst **ASSISTANT SECRETARY** 

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.

(Registered agent's signature)

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## TIAA-CREF TUITION FINANCING, INC.

## Application in Florida

All directors and officers have a business address at: 730 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10017

12. Directors and Officers

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|--|--|------------------|
| President                                      | Martin E. Galt, III (Director)                                       | ALEON TH T       |
| Executive Vice Presidents                      | Richard L. Gibbs (Director)<br>Charles H. Stamm (Director)           | FEB -6 PH        |
| Vice Presidents                                | Roseanne M. Klein<br>Timothy Lane<br>Lisa Snow<br>Roger A. Vellekamp | STATE<br>FLORIDA |
| Vice President and Treasurer                   | Richard J. Adamski   |                  |
| Second Vice President,<br>Investment Reporting | Thomas K. Lynch  |                  |
| Assistant Treasurer                            | Gary Chinery   |                  |
| Secretary                                      | Mark L. Serlen   |                  |
| Assistant Secretaries                          | Stewart P. Greene<br>Abby Ingber                                     |                  |

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## State of Delaware Office of the Secretary of State

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "TIAA-CREF TUITION FINANCING, INC." IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE SECOND DAY OF FEBRUARY, A.D. 2001.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

AND I-DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FRANCHISE TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.  $2^{\circ}$ 

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DATE: 02-02-01

Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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