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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Rancher's Supply Inc
(Name of corporation - must include suffix)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign corporation to transact business in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

<u>Roy Mc Bride</u>	600004469146--1
(Name of Person)	-07/11/01--01044--001
	***70.00 ***70.00
<u>Rancher's Supply Inc</u>	
(Firm/Company)	
<u>Box 725</u>	600004469146--1
(Address)	-07/11/01--01044--002
	***1826.25 ***1826.25
<u>APIKE Texas 79831</u>	
(City/State and Zip code)	

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Roy Mc Bride at (941) 695 2287
(Name of Person) (Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

STREET ADDRESS:
Registration Section
Division of Corporations
409 E. Gaines St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399

MAILING ADDRESS:
Registration Section
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

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Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

- ☒ \$70.00 Filing Fee ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy ☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

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Department of State

Memorandum Office of the General Counsel

TO: File

FROM: Gerard York, Assistant General Counsel

DATE: July 7, 2001

RE: Rancher's Supply, Inc.

Based on my review of the file and the payments received from the corporation, it is my recommendation that this file be closed. Corporation has previously paid outstanding report fees from 1990 of \$1826.25 and it would not be an efficient use of Department resources to attempt to collect foreign non-qualified penalties based upon the marginal nature of the enterprise. Corporation wishes to be qualified to do business in the State of Florida. Accordingly, it is recommended corporation be issued a certificate of authority.

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Mr. Roy McBride
Rancher's Supply, Inc.
P.O. Box 178
Ochopee, FL 34141

May 22, 2001

Dear Roy,

It sure seems that the State is trying to make things as complex as possible, or at least trying to take all the fun out of work. Due to the merger of the old GFC and parts of DEP, many of the ways the old GFC did business can no longer be done. Apparently, we (the old GFC) did things that did not exactly follow all the rules and regulations in place, but were overlooked because of the small size of the agency.

But such things are no longer being overlooked. One of those things is having Rancher's Supply, Inc. registered as a foreign (meaning not incorporated in Florida) profit corporation to transact business in Florida. I did not even know there was such a registration requirement until one of our contract reviewers informed me I could not route our new contract with Rancher's Supply until the company showed up on the registered corporation list.

Enclosed are the forms for registering a foreign profit corporation to transact business in Florida. Please complete these forms and return them with the required fee (of course) to the address indicated in the forms. Please send me a complete copy. Should there be questions or problems with the application that I can handle up here, I will happily do so.

Just for your information, the web site I downloaded these forms from is www.sunbiz.org. This web site has additional information for those doing business in Florida. Apparently, there is an annual filing that all corporations doing business in Florida need to do each year by May 1. I believe there is a fee associated with this as well.

Like I said before, the State seems to try to take away the fun.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bradley J. Gruver".

Bradley J. Gruver, Ph.D.
Assistant Chief, Science
Bureau of Wildlife Diversity Conservation

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

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO
REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. Rancher's Supply INCORPORATED
(Name of corporation; must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or 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.)
2. Texas 3. 74-2112011
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
4. March 30, 1979 5. perpetual
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6. Jan 1981
(Date first transacted business in Florida. If corporation has not transacted business in Florida, insert "upon qualification.")
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)
7. P.O. Box 725 ALPINE, TEXAS - 79831
(Principal office address)
↑ SAME ↑
(Current mailing address)
8. Capture AND handling of FI Panthers
(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)
9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)
Name: Roy McBride
Office Address: 26701 Birdan Rd. (Mailing Address - Box 178)
Ochopee, Florida 34141
(City) (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.

Roy McBride
(Registered agent's signature)

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.

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12. Names and business addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: _____

Address: _____

Vice Chairman: _____

Address: _____

Director: _____

Address: _____

Director: _____

Address: _____

B. OFFICERS

President: Roy McBride

Address: Box 725

Alpine, Texas - 79831

Vice President: Randy McBride

Address: Box 725

Alpine, Texas 79831

Secretary: Wayne Davis

Address: Box 725 Alpine, Texas 79831

Treasurer: _____

Address: _____

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NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

13. Roy McBride
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Roy McBride
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)



The State of Texas

SECRETARY OF STATE

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that
Articles of Incorporation of

RANCHER'S SUPPLY, INCORPORATED
File No. 469332-0

were filed in this office and a certificate of incorporation was issued to this corporation,
and no certificate of dissolution is in effect and the corporation is currently in existence.



*IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto
signed my name officially and caused to be
impressed hereon the Seal of State at my office in
Austin, Texas on May 22, 2001.*

Henry Cuellar
Secretary of State DAA