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January 19, 2004

State of Florida Amendment Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Re: EBSCO Casias, Inc.

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Nancy Gotham Corporate Tax Manager (205) 980-6713 ngotham@ebsco.com

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find enclosed the Application for an Amended Certificate of Authority, along with the appropriate filing fee and an authenticated copy of the Certificate of Name Change.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to call me at (205) 991-1383.

Sincerely,

April Grice

Corporate Tax Accountant

Enclosures

PROFIT CORPORATION APPLICATION BY FOREIGN PROFIT CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN £LORIDA (Pursuant to s. 607.1504, F.S.) **SECTION I** (1 - 3 MUST BE COMPLETED) (Document number of corporation (if known)) (Name of corporation as it appears on the records of the Department of State) (Incorporated under laws of) SECTION II (4 - 7 COMPLETE ONLY THE APPLICABLE CHANGES) 4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was the change effected under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation? (Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation," "company," or "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation) 6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration. (New duration) 7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction.

(New jurisdiction) (Signature of a director, president or other officer - if in the hands or other court appointed fiduciary, by that fiduciary) (Typed or printed name of person signing)

Nancy L. Worley Secretary of State P.O. Box 5616 Montgomery, AL 36103-5616

STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Nancy L. Worley, Secretary of State of the State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that

domestic corporation records on file in this office disclose that **EBSCO** incorporated in Shelby County, CASIAS, Inc. Birmingham, Alabama on November 10, 1993; that on January 7, 2004, the name **EBSCO** CASIAS, Inc. was changed **EBSCO** Publishing, further certify that the records do not Inc.. I disclose that said EBSCO Publishing, Inc. 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.

01/13/04

Date

Mancy L. Worley

Secretary of State