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## CIRQUE DU SOLEIL.



#### **VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS**

January 23, 2004

Registration Section Division of Corporations 409 East Gaines St. Tallahassee FL 32399 USA

**Subject: Application for Certificate of Authority** 

Please find enclosed the following documents for the application for certificate of authority for Cirque du Soleil Vegas, Inc.:

- Application duly executed
- Transmittal letter
- · Certificate of good standing
- Cheque
- · Letter regarding the use of the corporate name

Hoping this is to your satisfaction, I remain

Sincerely yours,

Anne-Marie Papineau

Legal Counsel

**Enclosures** 

### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

	Registration Sec Division of Cor				
SUBJE	CT: Cirque	du Soleil Vegas, In	.c .		
		(Name of corpo	oration	- must include suffix)	
Dear Sir	or Madam:				
"Certific	losed "Applicati cate of Existence business in Flor	on by Foreign Corporation ", and check are submitted ida.	n for A d to re	authorization to Transac gister the above referen	et Business in Florida", ced foreign corporation to
Please re	eturn all corresp	ondence concerning this m	natter t	o the following:	
Franço	is Macerola		**		
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Enclosed	l is a check for t	he following amount:			
□ \$70.0	0 Filing Fee	\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status	o	\$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy	☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

## 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.

"Inc.," "Co.," "Cor	p," "Inc," "Co," or "Corp.")				
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Name: Fi	rançois Macerola, V-P Legal	. Afi	fairs		<u>.</u>
Office Address: 1	478 East Buena Vista Drive				
L	ake Buena Vista, Orlando (City)		, Florida <u>32830</u>		
	(City)		(Zip code)		
designated in this a further agree to co	d as registered agent and to accept pplication, I hereby accept the app	ointn ites r	ce of process for the above stated corporation nent as registered agent and agree to act in thi elative to the proper and complete performanc sition as registered agent.	s cap	acity. I
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under the law of which it is incorporated.

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

(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

#### A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: Guy Laliberté
Address: 8400 2nd Avenue, Montreal QC Canada H1Z 4M6
Vice Chairman:
Address:
Director:
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Director:
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B. OFFICERS  OFFICERS  DAN OFFICERS
President: Guy Laliberté (Founder & CEO)  Address: 8400 2nd Avenue, Montreal QC Canada HIZ 4M6
Vice President: LYN Heward, COO, Creative Content Division  Address: 8400 2nd Avenue, Montreal CC Canada Hiz 4M6
Secretary: François Macerola
Address: 8400 2nd Avenue, Montreal QC Canada H1Z 4M6
Treasurer: Robert Blain (CFO)
Address: 8400 2nd Avenue, Montreal QC Canada H1Z 4M6
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.  13. (Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the application)
(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the application)  14. François Macerola  (Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

## Delaware

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## The First State

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "CIRQUE DU SOLEIL VEGAS, 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 TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 2004.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "CIRQUE DU SOLEIL VEGAS, INC." WAS INCORPORATED ON THE SEVENTH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2003.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FRANCHISE TAXES HAVE NOT BEEN ASSESSED TO DATE.

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Warriet Smith Windson Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION: 2882303

DATE: 01-21-04

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## CIRQUE DU SOLEIL.



January 21, 2004

Registration Section **Division of Corporations**409 East Gaines St.

Tallahassee, FL
32399 USA

Subject:

Application for Certificate of Authority for

Cirque du Soleil Vegas, Inc.

Please note that Cirque du Soleil Orlando, Inc., Cirque du Soleil America, Inc., Cirque du Soleil Inc., Cirque du Soleil Holding USA, Inc. and Cirque du Soleil Vegas, Inc. are all members of Cirque du Soleil Group.

Therefore, I hereby notify you that none of the above-mentioned companies. have any objections to the fact that the entity name is used by the other companies.

Hoping this is to your satisfaction, I remain,

Yours truly,

Anne-Marie Papineau

Legal Counsel