

# FO40000002866

(Requestor's Name)

(Address)

(Address)

(City/State/Zip/Phone #)

☐ PICK-UP

☐ WAIT

☐ MAIL

(Business Entity Name)

(Document Number)

Certified Copies \_\_\_\_\_ Certificates of Status \_\_\_\_\_

Special Instructions to Filing Officer:

Name  
Availability

Document  
Examiner

DCC

Updater

nccOffice Use Only

Updater  
Verifier

DCC

Acknowledgement

DCC

W. P. Verifier

DCC



400036247604

05/14/04--01029--014 \*\*70.00

SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

2004 MAY 14 P 3:14

FILED

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT: HOMEPLUS FINANCE CORPORATION**

(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:

**Thomas Zimmerman**

(Name of Person)

**Homeplus Finance Coproation**

(Firm/Company)

**2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard**

(Address)

**Los Angeles, California 90025**

(City/State and Zip code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

**Thomas Zimmerman**

(Name of Person)

at ( **310** ) **909-0206**

(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

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

**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. HOMEPLUS FINANCE CORPORATION**

(Enter name of corporation; must include "INCORPORATED," "COMPANY," "CORPORATION,"  
"Inc.," "Co.," "Corp.," "Inc.," "Co.," or "Corp.")

(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)

**2. California**

(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)

**3. 95-4390885**

(FEI number, if applicable)

**4. July 7, 1992**

(Date of incorporation)

**5. perpetual**

(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

**6. upon qualification**

(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. 2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

(Principal office address)

**2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

(Current mailing address)

**8. Purchase secured consumer contracts**

(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: **NRAI Services, Inc.**

Office Address: **526 E. Park Avenue**

**Tallahassee**

(City)

, Florida **32301**

(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.*

**NRAI Services, Inc.**

By: Lisa Reeves, Asst Sec

(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.

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

**A. DIRECTORS**

Chairman: **Steven P. Duffield**

Address: **2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

Vice Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: **Thomas Zimmerman**

Address: **2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

Director: **William Simone**

Address: **2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

**B. OFFICERS**

President: **Thomas Zimmerman**

Address: **2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

Vice President: **William Simone**

Address: **2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

Secretary: **Marjorie Alatorre**

Address: **2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

Treasurer: **Steven P. Duffield**

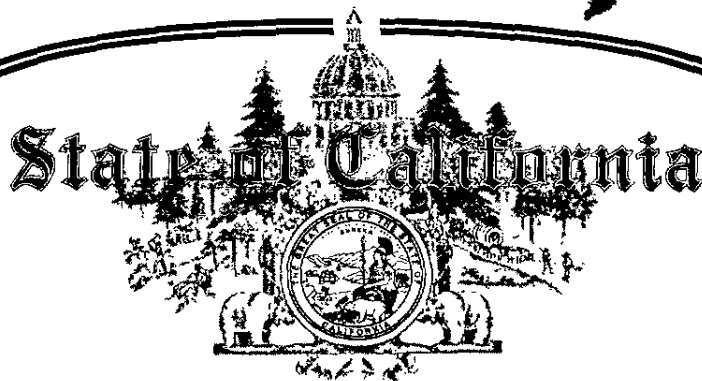
Address: **2143 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90025**

**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)

14. **Thomas Zimmerman, President**  
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

FILED  
2004 MAY 14 P 3 14  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA



## SECRETARY OF STATE

### CERTIFICATE OF STATUS DOMESTIC CORPORATION

I, KEVIN SHELLEY, Secretary of State of the State of California, hereby certify:

That on the **7TH day of JULY, 1992**, **HOMEPLUS FINANCE CORPORATION** became incorporated under the laws of the State of California by filing its Articles of Incorporation in this office; and

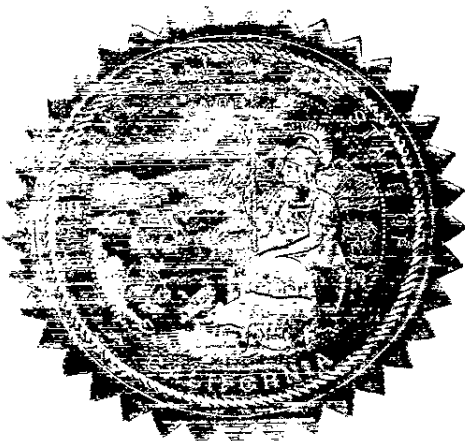
That no record exists in this office of a certificate of dissolution of said corporation nor of a court order declaring dissolution thereof, nor of a merger or consolidation which terminated its existence; and

That said corporation's corporate powers, rights and privileges are not suspended on the records of this office; and

That according to the records of this office, the said corporation is authorized to exercise all its corporate powers, rights and privileges and is in good legal standing in the State of California; and

That no information is available in this office on the financial condition, business activity or practices of this corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of **April 23, 2004**.



*Kevin Shelley*  
KEVIN SHELLEY  
Secretary of State