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December 1, 2004

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

To whom it may concern,

Please find our Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida. I have included the Transmittal letter and Certificate of Status Domestic Corporation for the state of California.

Please call me if you have any questions or need any additional information to complete our request.

Sincerely,



Mike Duran  
949-305-6120 ext. 150

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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Duran Edwards Financial, 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:

Mike Duran  
(Name of Person)  
Duran Edwards Financial, Inc.  
(Firm/Company)  
23201 Mill Creek Drive, Suite 125  
(Address)  
Laguna Hills CA 92653  
(City/State and Zip code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Mike Duran at ( 949 ) 305-6120 949-533-8871  
(Name of Person) (Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

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**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. Duran Edwards Financial, Inc.  
(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 3. 20-1424709  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
4. 7-26-2004 5. Perpetual  
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. N/A  
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration)  
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)

7. 23201 Mill Creek Drive, Suite 125 Laguna Hills, CA 92653  
(Principal office address)
- 23201 Mill Creek Drive, Suite 125 Laguna Hills, CA 92653  
(Current mailing address)

8. Operate Mortgage Broker Business under Florida license issued under Chapter 494.  
(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 NOT acceptable)

Name: Nancy Liana Gaynor

Office Address: 2390 SW 18 Avenue

Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33315  
(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.*

Nancy Liana Gaynor  
(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:

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**A. DIRECTORS**

Chairman: Christopher M. Edwards

Address: 5485 Los Monteros  
Yorba Linda CA 92887

Vice Chairman: David Michael Duran

Address: 11 Scotch Pine Drive  
Ladera Ranch, CA 92694

Director: N/A

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

Director: N/A

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

**B. OFFICERS**

President: David Michael Duran

Address: 11 Scotch Pine Drive  
Ladera Ranch, CA 92694

Vice President: N/A

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

Secretary: Christopher M. Edwards

Address: 5485 Los Monteros Yorba Linda, CA 92887

Treasurer: Christopher M. Edwards

Address: 5485 Los Monteros Yorba Linda, CA 92887

**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. David Michael Duran, President

(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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## SECRETARY OF STATE

### CERTIFICATE OF STATUS DOMESTIC CORPORATION

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

That on the **26TH day of JULY, 2004**, **DURAN EDWARDS FINANCIAL, INC.** 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

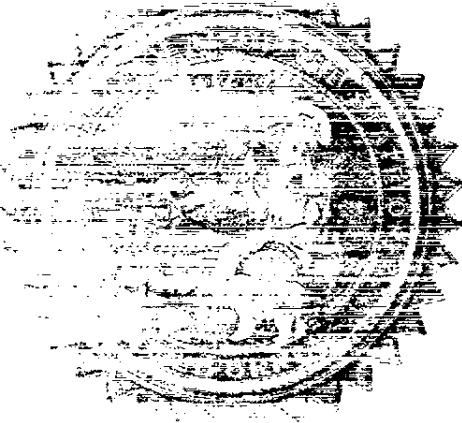
That said corporation's corporate powers, rights and privileges suspended on the records of this office; and

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 November 22, 2004.

*Kevin Shelley*  
KEVIN SHELLEY  
Secretary of State



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