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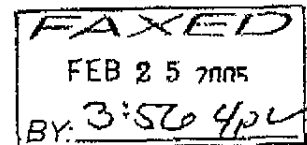
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SUBJECT: TRISTAR HOLDINGS, INC.  
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# APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

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. Tristar Holdings, Inc.  
(Enter name of corporation; must include "INCORPORATED," "COMPANY," "CORPORATION," "Inc.," "Co.," "Corp.," "Ltd.," "Co.," or "Corp.")  
Florida Tristar Holdings, Inc.  
(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)
2. Texas  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)
3. 76-00856763  
(FEI number, if applicable)
4. December 23, 1983  
(Date of incorporation)
5. Perpetual  
(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration)  
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)
7. 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310, Houston, Texas 77056  
(Principal office address)  
2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310, Houston, Texas 77056  
(Current mailing address)
8. Real Estate Management  
(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: Capitol Corporate Services, Inc.  
Office Address: 1333 N. Duval  
Tallahassee, Florida 32303  
(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.

Gayle Wundt, 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:

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**A. DIRECTORS**Chairman: Omar MegerisiAddress: 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310Houston, Texas 77056~~Vice Chairman:~~ Director: Masaud BaabaAddress: 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310Houston, Texas 77056Director: Hazem MegerisiAddress: 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310Houston, Texas 77056Director: Edward E. HartlineAddress: 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310Houston, Texas 77056**B. OFFICERS**President: Masaud BaabaAddress: 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310Houston, Texas 77056~~Vice President:~~ CEO - Omar MegerisiAddress: 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310Houston, Texas 77056Secretary: Theresa ChenAddress: 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310, Houston, Texas 77056Treasurer: Vice President: Hazem MegerisiAddress: 2800 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 5310, Houston, Texas 77056

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

13. Edward E. Hartline

(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Edward E. Hartline, Director

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

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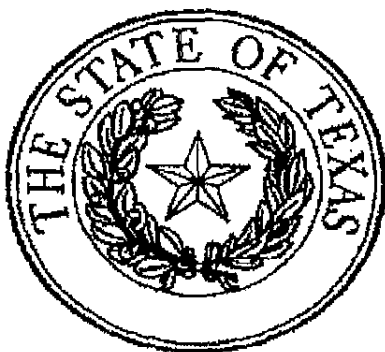
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The undersigned, as Secretary of State of Texas, does hereby certify that the document, Articles of Incorporation for TRISTAR HOLDINGS, INC. (filing number: 68449400), a Domestic Business Corporation, was filed in this office on December 23, 1983.

It is further certified that the entity status in Texas is active.

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 February 18, 2005.

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