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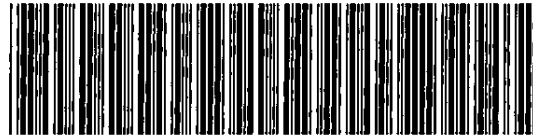
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TO: New Filing Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: First Amercian Bank

(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:

Cindy Burke

(Name of Person)

First Amercian Bank

(Firm/Company)

1207 Central Ave., PO Box 798

(Address)

Fort Dodge, Iowa 50501

(City/State and Zip code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

John D. Hunter

(Name of Person)

at (515) 242-2420

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

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2661 Executive Center Circle
Tallahassee, FL 32301

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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

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

February 6, 2007

CINDY BURKE
FIRST AMERICAN BANK
1207 CENTRAL AVE. P.O. BOX 798
FORT DODGE, IA 50501

SUBJECT: FIRST AMERICAN BANK
Ref. Number: W07000006066

We have received your document for FIRST AMERICAN BANK and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Written approval and clearance of the words BANK, BANC, BANCO, BANQUE, BANKER, BANKING, TRUST COMPANY, SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, SAVINGS BANK or CREDIT UNION, or words of similar import in any context or any manner must be obtained from the Office of Financial Regulation, pursuant to section 655.922(2a), Florida Statutes.

Enclosed is a "Corporate Name Approval Request" form to be completed and sent to the address indicated on the form. If the proposed name is approved by the Office of Financial Regulation, resubmit the document and the approval letter to the Division of Corporations for filing.

Please return a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6934.

Loria Poole
Document Specialist

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March 9, 2007

Mr. Ken Aschom
First American Bank
811 Anchor Rode Drive
Naples, Florida 34103

Re: First American Bank

Dear Mr. Aschom:

Reference is made to your recent letter/fax requesting approval of the above-referenced name which is an Iowa state-chartered financial institution with an operating branch located in Naples, Florida.

As Section 655.922, Florida Statutes, exempts a financial institution, holding company or its subsidiaries from the prohibition of using the word "bank," "banco," "banque," "banker," "banking," "trust company," "savings and loan association," "savings bank," or "credit union," or words of similar import, in any context or in any manner in its corporate name. The Office will not object to the use of the above name being registered to transact business in the state of Florida.

Sincerely,

Linda B. Charity
Director

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cc: Karon Beyer, Chief, Bureau of Commercial Recordings, Division of Corporations,
Department of State

**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. **First Amercian Bank**

(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. **Iowa**

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

3. _____

(FEI number, if applicable)

4. **July 14, 1934**

(Date of incorporation)

5. **Perpetual**

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

6. **January 1, 2007**

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

7. **1207 Central Ave., PO Box 798, Fort Dodge, Iowa**

(Principal office address)

1207 Central Ave., PO Box 798, Fort Dodge, Iowa

(Current mailing address)

8. **Banking**

(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)

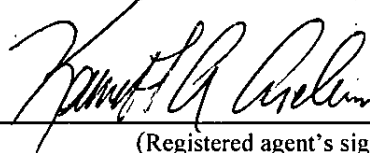
Name: **Ken Aschom, President,**

Office Address: **811 Anchor Rode Drive**

Naples, Florida _____
(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.



(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.

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

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: C. Richard Stark

Address: 1207 Central Ave., PO Box 798
Fort Dodge, Iowa 50501

Vice Chairman: N/A

Address: _____

Director: Thomas G. Schnurr

Address: 1207 Central Ave., PO Box 798
Fort Dodge, Iowa 50501

Director: Douglas R. Bass

Address: 12333 University Ave
Clive, Iowa 50325

B. OFFICERS

President: Douglas R. Bass

Address: 12333 University Ave
Clive, Iowa 50325

Vice President: _____

Address: _____

Secretary: Cindy Burke

Address: 1207 Central Ave., PO Box 798, Fort Dodge, Iowa

Treasurer: Cindy Burke

Address: 1207 Central Ave., PO Box 798, Fort Dodge, Iowa

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

13. Douglas R. Bass, President
(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Douglas R. Bass, President

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

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**IOWA SECRETARY OF STATE
MICHAEL A. MAURO**

Date: 01/23/2007

CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

Name: FIRST AMERICAN BANK (5240DB - 84857)

Begin date: 7/14/1934

Duration: PERPETUAL

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I, MICHAEL A. MAURO, Secretary of State of the State of Iowa, custodian of the records of incorporations, certify that the corporation named on this certificate is in existence and was duly incorporated under the laws of Iowa on the date printed above, that all fees required to be paid to the Secretary of State by the Iowa Banking Act have been paid by the corporation, and that articles of dissolution have not been filed.

Certificate ID: CS11160

To validate this certificate please visit
the following web site and enter the certificate ID.www.sos.state.ia.us/ValidateCertificate

A handwritten signature of Michael A. Mauro in dark ink.

MICHAEL A. MAURO**SECRETARY OF STATE**