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TO:	New Filing Section Division of Corporations		
SUBJ	ECT: Deep South Surplus, Inc.		
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Dear S	Sir or Madam:		
"Certif	nclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation ficate of Existence," and check are submitted to tot business in Florida.		•
Please	return all correspondence concerning this mat	ter to the following:	
Kath	ny Davis		
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Dee	p South Surplus, Inc.		
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333	Texas Street, Suite 725		
_	(A	ddress)	
Shre	eveport, LA 71101		
	(City/Sta	te and Zip code)	
For fur	ther information concerning this matter, pleas	e call:	
Kathy	y Davis at ( 214	493-4226	
	(Name of Person) (Are	a Code & Daytime Telep	hone Number)
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Enclose	ed is a check for the following amount:		
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#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

December 11, 2008

KATHY DAVIS DEEP SOUTH SURPLUS, INC. 333 TEXAS STREET, SUITE 725 SHREVEPORT, LA 71101

SUBJECT: DEEP SOUTH SURPLUS, INC.

Ref. Number: W08000055153

We have received your document for DEEP SOUTH SURPLUS, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name of your corporation is not available in Florida. An out-of-state corporation whose name is not available must adopt an alternate corporate name for use in Florida. The alternate corporate name must contain "Incorporated," "Company, "Corporation," "Inc.," "Co.," "Corp," "Inc," "Co," or "Corp." Please enter the alternate corporate name in the space provided in number one of the application.

Simply adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of a name is not acceptable.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6879.

Ruby Dunlap Regulatory Specialist II

Letter Number: 208A00060087



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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

January 13, 2009

Ms. Ruby Dunlap, Regulatory Specialist Florida Department of State Division of Corporations P O Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE: Deep South Surplus, Inc.

Ref Number: W08000055153

Dear Ms. Dunlap:

In reference to the enclosed application for authorization to transact business in Florida, please accept this letter as verification that Deep South Surplus, Inc. and Deep South Surplus of Florida, Inc. are owned by the same shareholder, QBE U.S. Agencies, Inc.

After receiving the enclosed letter dated December 11, 2008, I called your office on January 13, 2009 and was informed that a letter verifying common ownership was necessary in order to use the name "Deep South Surplus, Inc."

Please let me know if any further information is needed to process this application.

Sincerely,

Kathy Davis

**Executive Assistant** 

#### 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.

If name unavai	lable in Florida, enter alternate corporate nam	e adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)
Louisiana 3. 7		72-0900810
	under the law of which it is incorporated)	(FEI number, if applicable)
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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: Susan Rivera				
Address: Wall Street Plaza, 88 Pine Street				
New York, NY 10005				
Vice Chairman: Michael P. Dugan				
Address: 333 Texas Street, Suite 725				
Shreveport, LA 71106				
Director: Christopher Fish				
Address: Wall Street Plaza, 88 Pine Street				
New York, NY 10005				
Director: Geoff Gregory				
Address: 300 Galleria Parkway SE, Suite 900				
Atlanta, GA 30339				
B. OFFICERS				
President: Michael P. Dugan				
Address: 333 Texas Street, Suite 725				
Shreveport, LA 71106				
Vice President: Roberta Anderson, Assistant Secretary				
Address: Wall Street Plaza, 88 Pine Street				
New York, NY 10005				
Secretary: Roy W. Horton				
Address: 6363 N State Hwy 161, Suite 100, Irving, TX 75038				
Treasurer: Michael R. Trotter				
Address: 6363 N State Hwy 161, Suite 100, Irving, TX 75038				
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.				
(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the application)				
Roy W. Horton, Secretary				
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)				

## United States of America State of Louisiana



As Secretary of State, Jay Dardenne, I do hereby Certify that

DEEP SOUTH SURPLUS, INC.

A corporation domiciled in SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA,

Filed charter and qualified to do business in this State on September 20, 1967,

I further certify that the records of this Office indicate the corporation has paid all fees due the Secretary of State, and so far as the Office of the Secretary of State is concerned is in good standing and is authorized to do business in this State.

I further certify that this Certificate is not intended to reflect the financial condition of this corporation since this information is not available from the records of this Office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set My hand and caused the Seal of my Office To be affixed at the City of Baton Rouge on,

November 26 2008

Secretary of State 27914790D



Certificate ID: 20081126005033

To validate this certificate, visit the following web site, go to Commercial Division, Validate Certificate, then follow the instructions displayed.

www.sos.louisiana.gov