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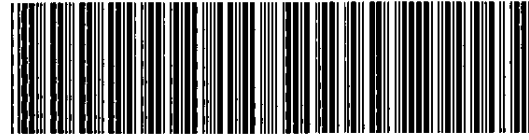
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## COVER LETTER

**TO:** New Filing Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Pro Rain Irrigation Services, 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:

Eric Merkt

(Name of Person)

Pro Rain Irrigation Services, Inc.

(Firm/Company)

P.O. Box 593

(Address)

Athens, AL 35612-0593

(City/State and Zip code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Eric Merkt

(Name of Person)

at ( 256 ) 777-0353

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

**STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:**

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New Filing 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



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

August 5, 2010

ERIC MERKT  
PRO RAIN IRRIGATION SERVICES, INC.  
PO BOX 593  
ATHENS, AL 35612-0593

SUBJECT: PRO RAIN IRRIGATION SERVICES, INC.  
Ref. Number: W10000036681

We have received your document for PRO RAIN IRRIGATION SERVICES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

According to the application submitted to this office, this entity transacted business in the state of Florida before properly registering with the Florida Department of State, Division of Corporations. Consequently, a \$500 civil penalty and an annual report filing fee for each year the entity failed to properly file a Florida annual report are due this office. Based on the date entered on the application, the civil penalty and annual report filing fees total \$1,250.00.

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

Ruby Dunlap  
Regulatory Specialist II

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

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

2. Alabama 3. 63-1032622
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. October 1, 1990 5. "Perpetual"
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. September 30, 2005
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration)
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)

7. 209 Whitfield Street, Athens, AL 35613
(Principal office address)

P.O. Box 593, Athens, AL 35612-0953
(Current mailing address)

8. Installation of Irrigation Systems; Construction of Athletic Fields
(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: Corporation Services Co.

Office Address: 1201 Hays Street

Tallahassee, Florida 32301
(City) (Zip code)

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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.

Doreen Wallace
(Registered agent's signature)

Doreen Wallace, Assistant Vice President

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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TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA**

**A. DIRECTORS**

Chairman: Clellon Downs

Address: 13364 Blackburn Road

Athens, AL 35611

Vice Chairman: Eric Merkt

Address: 209 Whitfield Street

Athens, AL 35613

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**B. OFFICERS**

President: Clellon Downs

Address: 13364 Blackburn Road

Athens, AL 35611

Vice President: Eric Merkt

Address: 209 Whitfield Street

Athens, AL 35613

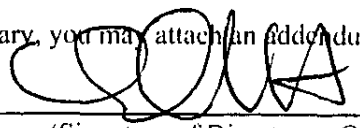
Secretary: Wanda Merkt

Address: 209 Whitefield Street, Athens, AL 35613

Treasurer: Wanda Merkt

Address: 209 Whitfield Street, Athens, AL 35613

**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. Eric Merkt, Vice-President  
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

Beth Chapman  
Secretary of State

P.O. Box 5616  
Montgomery, AL 36103-5616

# STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Beth Chapman, Secretary of State of the State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that

the domestic corporation records on file in this office disclose that Pro Rain Irrigation Services, Inc. incorporated in Limestone County, Athens, Alabama on October 1, 1990. I further certify that the records do not disclose that said Pro Rain Irrigation Services, Inc. has been dissolved.

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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this day.

July 7, 2010

Date

*Beth Chapman*

Beth Chapman

Secretary of State

