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## **COVER LETTER**

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

# SUBJECT: BLUE RHINO GLOBAL SOURCING, 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," or "Certificate of Good Standing" 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:

# CATHY S. BROWN

Name of Person

# BLUE RHINO GLOBAL SOURCING, INC.

Firm/Company

## ONE LIBERTY PLAZA

Address

## LIBERTY, MO 64068

City/State and Zip code

#### RYANSHEPHERD@FERRELLGAS.COM

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

#### CATHY S. BROWN

\_ at (\_816 \_\_\_\_) 792-1600 \_\_\_\_

Name of Person

Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number

STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:

New Filing Section Division of Corporations Clifton Building 2661 Executive Center Circle Tallahassee, FL 32301

#### MAILING ADDRESS:

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

**578.75** 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

June 27, 2011

CATHY S BROWN BLUE RHINO GLOBAL SOURCING, INC. ONE LIBERTY PLAZA LIBERTY, MO 64068

SUBJECT: BLUE RHINO GLOBAL SOURCING, INC. Ref. Number: W11000034351

We have received your document for BLUE RHINO GLOBAL SOURCING, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. 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 \$650.00.

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

Ruby Dunlap Regulatory Specialist II

Letter Number: 611A00015415

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Division of Corporations - P.O. BOX 6327 - Tallahassoo, Florida 32314

#### 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.

#### J. BLUE RHINO GLOBAL SOURCING, INC.

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

DELAWARE		3. 48-1022301	
(State or country	under the law of which it is incorporated)	(FEI number, if applicable)	
07/11/1986		s. PERPETUAL	
(Dat	e of incorporation)	(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")	
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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.

Ketherine Kawherine Lackey - 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:
A. DIRECTORS
A. DIRECTORS Chairman: SEE ATTACHED 11 JUL 19 PM 3: 57
Address:
Vice Chairman:
Address:
Director:
Address:
Director:
Address:
B. OFFICERS
President: SEE ATTACHED
Address:
Vice President:
Address:
Secretary:
Address:
Treasurer:
Address:
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.
13
The officer or director signing this document (and who is listed in number 12 above) affirms that the facts stated herein are true and that he or she is aware that false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

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# 14. CATHY S. BROWN, ASSISTANT SECRETARY

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

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Stephen L. Wambold	President, Chief Executive Officer, and Chief Operating Officer		Ferreligas 7500 College Blvd, Suite 1000 Overland Park, KS 66210				
James R. VanWinkle	Chief Financial Officer, Senior Vice President, and Treasurer	5907 Beachwood Ct. Parkville, MO 64152	Ferreligas 7500 College Blvd, Suite 1000 Overland Park, KS 66210				
Tod D. Brown	Senior Vice President, Sales & Marketing and President, Blue Rhino		Blue Rhino 470 W Hanes Mill Rd Ste 200 Winston-Salem, NC 27105				
George L. Koloroutis	Senior Vice President, Ferrell North America		Ferrellgas 7500 College Blvd, Suite 1000 Overland Park, KS 66210				
Jennifer Boren	Vice President, Information Technology		Ferrellgas One Liberty Plaza Liberty, MO 64068				
Alan C. Heitmann	Assistant Treasurer		Ferrellgas 7500 College Blvd, Suite 1000 Overland Park, KS 66210				
Trent D. Hampton	Secretary		Ferrellgas 7500 College Blvd, Suite 1000 Overland Park, KS 66210				
Cathy S. Brown	Assistant Secretary ,	113 Broken Bridge Lane Platte City, MO 64079	Ferreligas One Liberty Plaza Liberty, MO 64068				
Jack Herrold	Assistant Secretary		Ferrellgas 7500 College Blvd, Suite 1000 Overland Park, KS 66210				
DIRECTORS							
<u>NAME</u> James R. VanWinkle	<u>TITLE</u> Director	PERSONAL ADDRESS 5907 Beachwood Ct. Parkville, MO 64152	BUSINESS ADDRESS Ferreilgas 7500 College Blvd, Suite 1000				

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "BLUE RHINO GLOBAL SOURCING, INC." IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 2011.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FRANCHISE TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.



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Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State TION: 8832227 AUTHENT CA

DATE: 06-14-11