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JCriss@thor	ntonsinc.com			
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1. Thorntons Inc.

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.

	Thorntons Inc Delaware
(If name unav	silable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)
Delaware	3. 35-1188206
(State or count	ry under the law of which it is incorporated) (FRI number, if applicable)
10/29/197	
(D)	ate of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
s. <u>N/A</u>	
	(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration) (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)
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To engage (Purpose Name and sin	(Principal office address) Fig. 51-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-

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.

> Katie Szramek Assistant Secretary

(Registered agent's signature)

11. Attached is a certificate of existence duty 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: Please See Attachment Address: __ Vice Chairman: Address: Director: Address: ___ **B. OFFICERS** President: Vice President: Address: Secretary: Treasurer: Address: ____ NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors. Signature of Director or Officer 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. 14. David A. Bridgers, Vice President and General Counsel of Thorntons Inc.

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

Attachment for Question 12 on Thorntons Inc.'s Application by a Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida.

Thorntons Inc.

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Thornton, James H.

10101 Linn Station Rd. Suite 200 Louisville, Kentucky 40223 Director/Chairman of the Board

Thornton, Matthew A.

10101 Linn Station Rd. Suite 200

Louisville, Kentucky 40223

President/Chief Executive Officer/Director

Stackhouse, Brenda M.

10101 Linn Station Rd. Suite 200

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Director/Executive Vice-President

Campbell, H. Alexander

500 West Jefferson Street Suite 2800

Louisville, Kentucky 40202-2898

Secretary

Bridgers, David A.

10101 Linn Station Rd.

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Louisville, Kentucky 40223

Vice President/Secretary

Kamer, Christopher R.

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Louisville, Kentucky 40223

Chief Financial Officer

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The First State

I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF

DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "THORNTONS 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 TWELFTH DAY OF DECEMBER,

A.D. 2011.

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Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State

AUTHENTYCATION: 9217955

DATE: 12-12-11

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