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**ECOMARINE INSTITUTE CORPORATION**

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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. ECOMARINE INSTITUTE CORPORATION**

(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. Delaware**

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

**3. 20-3349235**

(FEI number, if applicable)

**4. 8/11/2005**

(Date of incorporation)

**5. Perpetual**

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

**6.**

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

**7. 3846 SW 30TH AVE, FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33312**

(Principal office address)

**49 N FEDERAL HWY #397, POMPANO BEACH, FL 33062**

(Current mailing address)

**8. ECOLOGICAL MARINE BIOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH**

(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: **Paracorp Incorporated**

Office Address: **236 East 6th Avenue**

**Tallahassee,**

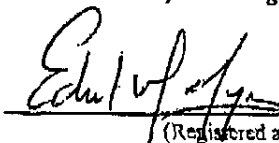
(City)

**Florida 32303**

(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.*

 **Edward W. Naysa** **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.**

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

**A. DIRECTORS**

Chairman: CLAUDIO R. BALLARD

Address: 49 N. FEDERAL HWY #397, POMPANO BEACH, FL 33062

Vice Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

**B. OFFICERS**

President: \_\_\_\_\_

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. \_\_\_\_\_

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. Claudio R Ballard, Director and Chairman

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

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# Delaware

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*The First State*

I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "ECOMARINE INSTITUTE CORPORATION" 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 THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF JULY, A.D. 2012.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "ECOMARINE INSTITUTE CORPORATION" WAS INCORPORATED ON THE ELEVENTH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 2005.

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

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

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*Jeffrey W. Bullock*  
Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State  
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