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June 24, 2013

Mr. Kaleb B. Lawson 180 Montgomery Street, 8th Floor San Francisco, CA 94104

Re: Bank of the West

Dear Mr. Lawson:

Reference is made to your recent correspondence requesting approval of the above name, which is a California commercial bank located in San Francisco, CA.

As Section 655.922, Florida Statutes, exempts a financial institution, holding company or its subsidiaries from the prohibition of using the word "bank," "banco," "banque," "banker," "banking," "trust company," "savings and loan association," "savings bank," or "credit union," or words of similar import, in any context or in any manner in its corporate name. The Office will not object to the use of the above name being registered to transact business in the state of Florida. This does not authorize the institution to engage in banking, trust or insurance business or any other licensed activity in the state of Florida. Proper regulatory approvals will be required.

Sincerely,

Robert Hayes

Director

RH:bk

cc: Brenda Tadlock, Chief, Bureau of Commercial Recordings, Division of Corporations, Department of State

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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. Bank of the West	, a California Banking Corporation			
	orporation; must include "INCORPORATION," "Inc," "Co," or "Corp.")	ED," "COMPANY,	" "CORPORATIO	N,"
(If name unavaila	ble in Florida, enter alternate corporate na	ame adopted for the	purpose of transacti	ng business in Florida)
2. California		3. <u>94-0475440</u>	•	
(State or country u	inder the law of which it is incorporated)		(FEI number, if app	licable)
4. December 20, 19	778	5. Perpetual		,
	of incorporation)	(Duration: Ye	ar corp. will cease t	o exist or "perpetual")
6				
	(Date first transacted busine (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 60			lity)
7 180 Montgomery	Street San Francisco CA 94104			
<u> </u>	(Principal office	address)		
180 Montgomery	Street, 8th Floor San Francisco CA 9410-	4		
	(Current mailing	address)		
(Purpose(s)	ore business activities generally generally aut of corporation authorized in home state of t address of Florida registered agent:	or country to be carr	ied out in state of Fl	
Name:	C T Corporation System			SECR SECR
Office Address:	1200 South Pine Island Road			
	Plantation	, Florida	33324	SEE.
	(City)		(Zip code)	3 3 STATE
designated in this further agree to co	ed as registered agent and to accept sapplication, I hereby accept the appoint of all statu amiliar with and accept the obligation.	ointment as regist tes relative to the	ered agent and ag proper and comp	ree to act in this capacity. lete performance of my
_B;			Jennifer Qu Assistant Sec	
	(Registered aren	t'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:

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A. DIRECTORS	
Chairman: See Attachment A	FILED
Address:	
	SECRETARY OF STATE
Vice Chairman:	TALLAHASSEE, PLORIDA
Address:	
Address:	
Director:	
Address:	
B. OFFICERS	
President: See Attachment A	
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Vice President:	
Address:	
Secretary:	
Address:	
Treasurer:	
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Address:	
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the	application listing additional officers and/or directors.
	rector or Officer
The officer or director signing this document (and who is I	isted in number 12 above) affirms that the facts stated herein ubmitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes
Elisabeth De Saussay, Assistant Secretary	

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

### ATTACHMENT A BANK OF THE WEST OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS`

NAME	TITLE	ADDRESS
J. Michael Shepherd	Chairman and	Bank of the West
-	CEO	180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Maura Markus	President and	Bank of the West
	COO	180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Vanessa Washington	Secretary	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Elisabeth De Saussay	Assistant Secretary	Bank of the West
`		180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
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Duke Dayal	CFO	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
Bernard Brasseur	Director	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Richard H. Daniel	Director	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Stefaan Decraene	Director	BNP Paribas
		27-29 rue Le Peletier
		75009 Paris France
Walter A. Dods, Jr	Director	First Hawaiian Bank
		999 Bishop Street
		Honolulu, HI 96813
Michael Drake	Director	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
	To:	San Francisco CA 94104
Geraldine Knatz	Director	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street 25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Carray Hall	Director	
Stuart Hall	Director	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street 25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
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NAME	TITLE	ADDRESS
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		San Francisco CA 94104
Maura Markus	Director	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Yves Martrenchar	Director	BNP –Paribas
		27/29 rue Le Peletier
		27/29 rue Le Peletier 75009 Paris France Bank of the West
Isao. "Steve" Matsuura	Director	Bank of the West
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		25th Floor
·		Bank of the West 180 Montgomery Street 25 <sup>th</sup> Floor San Francisco CA 94104
Rodney R. Peck	Director	4 Embarcadero Center, Suite 2200
		San Francisco CA 94111
Frank Roncey	Director	BNP Paribas
-		37 Place du Marché St. Honoré
	,	75001 – Paris, France
J. Michael Shepherd	Director	Bank of the West
•		180 Montgomery Street
	ļ.	25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Tim Taylor	Director	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street
		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Bob Borchers	Director	Bank of the West
		180 Montgomery Street
	ļ	25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94104
Jean-Yves Fillion	Director	BNP Paribas
		787 7th Ave
		NY, NY 10019
Ossama Hassanein	Director	Bank of the West
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		25 <sup>th</sup> Floor
		San Francisco CA 94014

## State of California Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF STATUS

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SECRETARY OF STATE-TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ENTITY NAME:

BANK OF THE WEST

FILE NUMBER:

C0905759

FORMATION DATE:

12/20/1978

TYPE:
JURISDICTION:

DOMESTIC CORPORATION

CALIFORNIA

STATUS:

ACTIVE (GOOD STANDING)

I, DEBRA BOWEN, Secretary of State of the State of California, hereby certify:

The records of this office indicate the entity is authorized to exercise all of its powers, rights and privileges in the State of California.

No information is available from this office regarding the financial condition, business activities or practices of the entity.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of May 07, 2013.

**DEBRA BOWEN**Secretary of State