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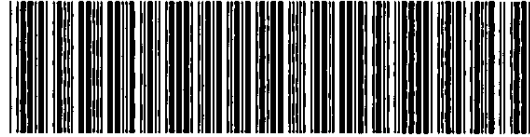
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TO: New Filing Section
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SUBJECT: Gardner Business Media, Inc.

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:

Ernest C Brubaker

Name of Person

Gardner Business Media, Inc.

Firm/Company

6915 Valley Avenue

Address

Cincinnati, OH 45244-3029

City/State and Zip code

ernieb@gardnerweb.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Ernest C Brubaker

Name of Person

at (513) 527-8863

Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number

STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:

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Division of Corporations
Clifton Building
2661 Executive Center Circle
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P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$70.00 Filing Fee | <input type="checkbox"/> \$78.75 Filing Fee &
Certificate of Status | <input type="checkbox"/> \$78.75 Filing Fee &
Certified Copy | <input type="checkbox"/> \$87.50 Filing Fee,
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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. Gardner Business Media, Inc.

(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. Ohio

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

3. 31-0291590

(FEI number, if applicable)

4. 02/24/1931

(Date of incorporation)

5. Perpetual

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

6. May 1, 2015

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

7. 6915 Valley Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45244-3029

(Principal office address)

6915 Valley Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45244-3029

(Current mailing address)

8. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box NOT acceptable)

Name: **Corporation Service Company**

Office Address: **1201 Hays Street**

Tallahassee

(City)

Florida 32301

(Zip code)

9. 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.



**Linda Snook
Assistant VP**

(Registered agent's signature)

10. 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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11. Names and business addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: Richard G. Kline, Sr.

Address: 6915 Valley Avenue
Cincinnati, OH 45244

Vice Chairman: N/A

Address: _____

Director: Steven R. Kline, Jr.

Address: 6915 Valley Avenue
Cincinnati, OH 45244

Director: Donald G. Kline

Address: 6915 Valley Avenue
Cincinnati, OH 45244

B. OFFICERS

President: Richard G. Kline, Sr.

Address: 6915 Valley Avenue
Cincinnati, OH 45244

Vice President: N/A

Address: _____

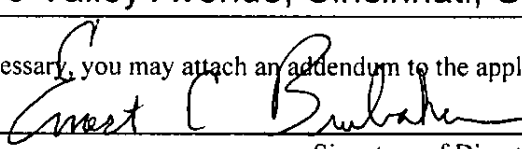
Secretary: Melissa K. Skavlem

Address: 6915 Valley Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45244

Treasurer: Ernest C. Brubaker

Address: 6915 Valley Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45244

NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

12. 
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.

13. Ernest C Brubaker, Treasurer

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

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF OHIO
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Jon Husted, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign business entities; that said records show GARDNER BUSINESS MEDIA, INC., an Ohio corporation, Charter No. 145350, having its principal location in Newtown, County of Hamilton, was incorporated on February 24, 1931 and is currently in GOOD STANDING upon the records of this office.

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*Witness my hand and the seal of the
Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio
this 2nd day of March, A.D. 2015.*

Jon Husted

Ohio Secretary of State

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