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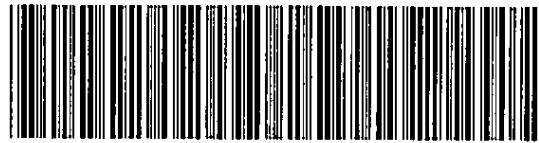
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

February 2, 2019

LORI NAY  
318 E MAIN STREET  
SALISBURY, MD 21801 US

SUBJECT: AVERY HALL BENEFIT SOLUTIONS INC.  
Ref. Number: W19000010970

We have received your document for AVERY HALL BENEFIT SOLUTIONS INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The certificate of existence must be issued within the last 90 days by the Secretary of State which has custody of the records in the jurisdiction under the laws of which the above listed entity is incorporated/organized.

Please return the corrected original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6051.

Janeice L Smith  
Regulatory Specialist II  
Registration Section

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## COVER LETTER

TO: Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Avery Hall Benefit Solutions, 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:

Lori Nay

Name of Person

Avery Hall Benefit Solutions, Inc.

Firm/Company

318 E Main Street

Address

Salisbury, Maryland 21801

City/State and Zip code

JLong@averyhall.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Lori Nay / Lnay@averyhall.com

Name of Person

at ( 410 )

Area Code

677 - 3568

Daytime Telephone Number

### STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:

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

### MAILING ADDRESS:

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

☒ \$70.00 Filing Fee    ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status    ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status    ☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee,

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. Avery Hall Benefit Solutions, Inc.

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

(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)

2. Maryland

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

3. 52-1480841

(FBI number, if applicable)

4. 3-3-1986

(Date of incorporation)

5. Perpetual

(Date of duration, if other than 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. 318 E Main Street, Salisbury, Maryland 21801

(Principal office address)

P.O. Box 2317, Salisbury, Maryland 21802

(Current mailing address, if different)

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

Name: Corporation Service Company

Office Address: 1201 Hays Street

Tallahassee

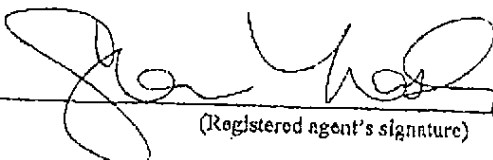
(City)

, 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.



Gloria Nash  
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: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**B. OFFICERS**

President: \_\_\_\_\_ Cynthia K. Whaley

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ 408 N Washington Street, Ste A., Easton, MD 21601

Vice President: \_\_\_\_\_ Avery W. Hall Insurance Agency, Inc.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ 308 E Main Street, Salisbury, MD 21801

Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_ Jill Long

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ 308 E Main Street, Salisbury MD 21801

Treasurer: \_\_\_\_\_ Mary M. Mengason Vice President/Treasurer

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ 318 E Main Street, Salisbury, MD 21801

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**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 11 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. \_\_\_\_\_ Mary M. Mengason / Vice President

**STATE OF MARYLAND**  
***Department of Assessments and Taxation***

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I, MICHAEL L. HIGGS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT, BY LAWS OF THE STATE, IS THE CUSTODIAN OF THE RECORDS OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE FORFEITURE OR SUSPENSION OF CORPORATIONS, OR THE RIGHTS OF CORPORATIONS TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THIS STATE, AND THAT I AM THE PROPER OFFICER TO EXECUTE THIS CERTIFICATE.

I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT AVERY HALL BENEFIT SOLUTIONS, INC. (D02089340), INCORPORATED MARCH 03, 1986, IS A CORPORATION DULY INCORPORATED AND EXISTING UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE LAWS OF MARYLAND AND THE CORPORATION HAS FILED ALL ANNUAL REPORTS REQUIRED, HAS NO OUTSTANDING LATE FILING PENALTIES ON THOSE REPORTS, AND HAS A RESIDENT AGENT. THEREFORE, THE CORPORATION IS AT THE TIME OF THIS CERTIFICATE IN GOOD STANDING WITH THIS DEPARTMENT AND DULY AUTHORIZED TO EXERCISE ALL THE POWERS RECITED IN ITS CHARTER OR CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, AND TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN MARYLAND.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SUBSCRIBED MY SIGNATURE AND AFFIXED THE SEAL OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF MARYLAND AT BALTIMORE ON THIS FEBRUARY 12, 2019.



Michael L. Higgs  
Director



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