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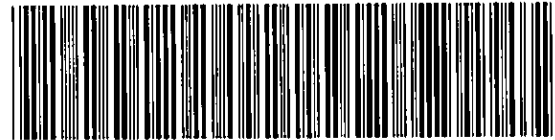
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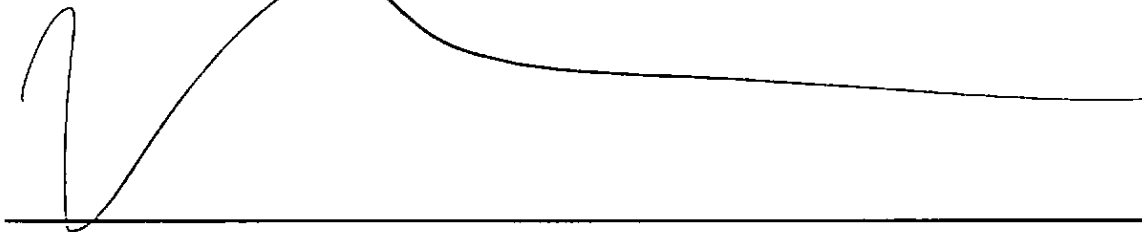
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## COVER LETTER

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Americans For Fair Taxation Corporation  
Name of Corporation – must include suffix

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Not for Profit Corporation for Authorization to Conduct its Affairs in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", or "Certificate of Status" and check are submitted to register the above referenced not for profit corporation to conduct its affairs in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Steven Hayes

Name of Person

Steven L. Hayes, P.A.

Firm/Company

2840 West Bay Drive, #373

Address

Belleair Bluffs, Florida 33770

City/State and Zip Code

steve@slhayespa.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Steven L. Hayes

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Name of Person

at (Area Code)

Daytime Telephone Number

**Mailing Address:**

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

**Street Address:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
The Centre of Tallahassee  
2415 N. Monroe Street, Suite 810  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

Please make check payable to: **FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

☐ \$70.00 Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee &  
Certificate of Status

☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee &  
Certified Copy

☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee,  
Certificate of Status &  
Certified Copy

**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO  
CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN FLORIDA**

*IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 617.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO  
REGISTER A FOREIGN NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT ITS AFFAIRS IN  
THE STATE OF FLORIDA:*

1. Americans For Fair Taxation Corporation

(Name of corporation: must include the word "INCORPORATED" or "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present. "Company" or "Co." may not be used as a corporate suffix by a nonprofit corporation.)

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

2. Texas 3. \_\_\_\_\_  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. February 11, 1983 5. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date of Incorporation) (Date of duration, if other than perpetual)

6. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date first conducted affairs in Florida if prior to registration. See sections 617.1501 & 617.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability.)

7. 2501 North Harwood Street, 20th Floor, Dallas, Texas 75201  
(Principal office street address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Current mailing address, if different)

8. Promote replacement of the U.S. income tax with a national retail sales tax.  
(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in the state of Florida)

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

Name: Steven Hayes

Office Address: 2840 West Bay Drive, #373

Belleair Bluffs, Florida 33770  
(City) (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.*



\_\_\_\_\_  
(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. For initial indexing purposes, list names, titles and addresses of the primary officers and/or directors [up to six (6) total]:

**A. DIRECTORS**

☒ Chairman Name: Steven L. Hayes  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 2501 N. Harwood St, 20th Floor  
Dallas TX 75201  
☐ Director \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: John Grafer  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 2501 N. Harwood St, 20th Floor  
Dallas TX 75201  
☐ Director \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☒ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

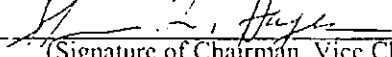
☐ Chairman Name: James Duffy  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 2501 N. Harwood St, 20th Floor  
Dallas TX 75201  
☒ Director \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: James Bennett  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 2501 N. Harwood St, 20th Floor  
Dallas TX 7  
☐ Director \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President ☒ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Randy Fischer  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 2501 N. Harwood St, 20th Floor  
Dallas TX 7  
☐ Director \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Secretary ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Marty Sturmer  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 2501 N. Harwood St, 20th Floor  
Dallas TX 7  
☐ Director ☒ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: Important Notice:** Use an attachment to report more than six (6). The attachment will be imaged for reporting purposes only. Non-indexed individuals may be added to the index when filing your Florida Department of State Annual Report form.

13.   
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Steven L. Hayes  
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)



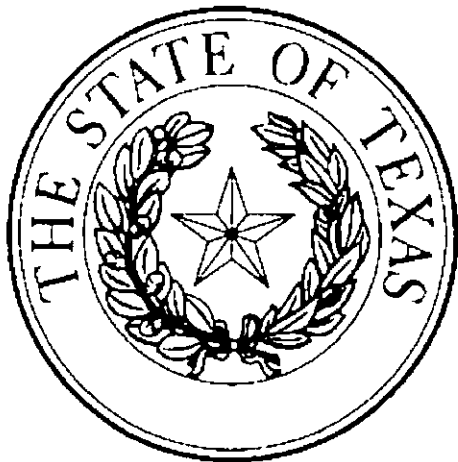
## Office of the Secretary of State

### Certificate of Fact

The undersigned, as Secretary of State of Texas, does hereby certify that the document, Articles Of Incorporation for AMERICANS FOR FAIR TAXATION (file number 135773901), a Domestic Nonprofit Corporation, was filed in this office on May 30, 1995.

It is further certified that the entity status in Texas is in existence.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused to be impressed hereon the Seal of State at my office in Austin, Texas on July 27, 2024.



A handwritten signature of Jane Nelson in black ink.

Jane Nelson  
Secretary of State