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TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: National Down Syndrome Society, Inc.

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:

John Hiestand

Name of Person

Harbor Compliance

Firm/Company

1830 Colonial Village Ln

Address

Lancaster, PA 17601

City/State and Zip Code

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

John Hiestand

Name of Person

at (717) 431-9164

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 &
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Certificate of Status &
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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. National Down Syndrome Society, Inc.

(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. Delaware

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

3. 13-2992567

(FEI number, if applicable)

4. 06/20/1979

(Date of Incorporation)

5. _____

(Date of duration, if other than perpetual)

6. N/A

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

7. 1155 15th St NW Ste 540, Washington, DC 20005

(Principal office street address)

(Current mailing address, if different)

8. Empower individuals with Down syndrome and their families by driving policy change, providing resources, engaging with local communities, and shifting public perceptions.

(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: Registered Agents Inc

Office Address: 7901 4th St N STE 300

St. Petersburg

(City)

, Florida 33702

(Zip Code)

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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.

David Roberts

(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.

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: Janet Slaughter Eissenstat
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1155 15th St NW Ste 540
☐ Director Washington, DC 20005
☐ President _____
☐ Vice President _____
☒ Secretary ☐ Treasurer
☐ Other: _____ ☐ Other: _____

☒ Chairman Name: Carlo P. Frappolli
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1155 15th St NW Ste 540
☐ Director Washington, DC 20005
☐ President _____
☐ Vice President _____
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer
☐ Other: _____ ☐ Other: _____

☐ Chairman Name: John Short
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1155 15th St NW Ste 540
☐ Director Washington, DC 20005
☐ President _____
☐ Vice President _____
☐ Secretary ☒ Treasurer
☐ Other: _____ ☐ Other: _____

☐ Chairman Name: Tom Warner
☒ Vice Chairman Address: 1155 15th St NW Ste 540
☐ Director Washington, DC 20005
☐ President _____
☐ Vice President _____
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer
☐ Other: _____ ☐ Other: _____

☐ Chairman Name: Kandi Pickard
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1155 15th St NW Ste 540
☐ Director Washington, DC 20005
☒ President _____
☐ Vice President _____
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer
☐ Other: _____ ☐ Other: _____

☐ Chairman Name: Elizabeth F. Goodwin
☐ Vice Chairman Address: 1155 15th St NW Ste 540
☒ Director Washington, DC 20005
☐ 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. Kandi Pickard
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Kandi Pickard, President
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "NATIONAL DOWN SYNDROME SOCIETY" 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 TWELFTH DAY OF JULY, A.D. 2024.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE AFORESAID CORPORATION IS AN EXEMPT CORPORATION.

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

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "NATIONAL DOWN SYNDROME SOCIETY" WAS INCORPORATED ON THE TWENTIETH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 1979.



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You may verify this certificate online at corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JB", is written over a horizontal line. Below the line, the text "Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State" is printed.

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