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# APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

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#### **SECTION I (1-3 must be completed)**

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Name of corporation as it appears within the records of the Department of State.

- 2. Incorporated under laws of: Delaware
- 3. Date authorized to do business in Florida: April 29, 1996

#### **SECTION II (4-7 complete only the applicable changes)**

4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was the change effected under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation?

May 18, 1999

5. Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation," "company," "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation:

CitiFinancial Corporation

- 6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration.
- 7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction.

Name and Title

Frederick J. Sujat, Wice President

Date

## State of Delaware

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### Office of the Secretary of State

I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF

DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "COMMERCIAL CREDIT OF

ALABAMA, INC.", FILED A CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT, CHANGING ITS

NAME TO "CITIFINANCIAL CORPORATION", THE EIGHTEENTH DAY OF MAY,

A.D. 1999, AT 3 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I\_DO\_HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE AFORESAID

CORPORATION IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF

DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE

EXISTENCE NOT HAVING BEEN CANCELLED OR DISSOLVED SO FAR AS THE

RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW AND IS DULY AUTHORIZED TO TRANSACT

BUSINESS.

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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## RESOLUTION BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS CORPORATION ADOPTING A FICTITIOUS NAME FOR USE IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

I, the undersigned, Linda S. Davis, do hereby certify that the following is a true, complete and correct copy of a certain resolution of the board of directors of CitiFinancial Corporation, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, which resolution was duly adopted by unanimous written consent of the Board on June 9, 1999, and is set forth in the minutes of said meeting; that I am the keeper of the minutes and records of this corporation, and that the resolution has not been rescinded or modified.

"BE IT RESOLVED THAT CitiFinancial Corporation organized and existing in the state of Delaware hereby adopts the name CitiFinancial Corporation (DE) for use in the state of Florida for all purposes; further resolved that the officers of the corporation are authorized and directed to take all steps that they deem necessary and appropriate to qualify the corporation to do business with the state of Florida under the name of CitiFinancial Corporation (DE); and resolved further that all activities and business of the corporation with the state of Florida shall be carried out under the name CitiFinancial Corporation (DE)."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name for the corporation, on this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1999.

Officer of the Corporation

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