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We have received your document for GTA GP, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the document has not been filed and is being retained in this office for the following:

A certificate of existence, dated no more than 90 days prior to the delivery of the application to the Department of State, duly authenticated by the secretary of state or other official having custody of the records in the jurisdiction under the laws of which it is incorporated/organized, must be submitted to this office. A translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be attached to a certificate which is in a language other than the English language. A photocopy of this certificate is not acceptable.

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Jennifer Sindt  
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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. GTA GP, INC.  
(Name of corporation: must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "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.)
2. Maryland  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)
3. 58-2290217  
(FEI number, if applicable)
4. January 29, 1997  
(Date of incorporation)
5. Perpetual  
(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6. Oct. 3, 1997  
(Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 607.1501, 607.1502, and 817.156, F.S.))
7. 14 North Adger's Wharf, Charleston, South Carolina 29401  
(Current mailing address)
8. property ownership & leasing through limited partnership in which applicant is a  
general partner  
(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:

Name: C T Corporation System  
Office Address: c/o C T Corporation System, 1200 South Pine  
Plantation, Florida, 33324  
(Zip Code)

10. Registered agent 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 obligation of my position as registered agent.

C T Corporation System

George C. Romero

(Registered agent's signature) (Officer)

George C. Romero  
Assistant Vice President

(Type Name and Title of Officer)

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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. Names and addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: See attached list of directors

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

Vice Chairman: See attached list of directors

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

Director: See attached list of directors

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

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

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

B. OFFICERS

President: See attached list of officers

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

Vice President: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

13.

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

14. W. Bradley Blair, II, President

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

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**GTA GP, INC.**

**OFFICERS & DIRECTORS**

all located at:  
14 North Adger's Wharf  
Charleston, South Carolina 29401

**W. BRADLEY BLAIR II**  
Chief Executive Officer & President  
Chairman of the Board

**DAVID J. DICK**  
Executive Vice President & Secretary  
Director

**SCOTT D. PETERS**  
Senior Vice President, Treasurer & Chief Financial Officer  
Director

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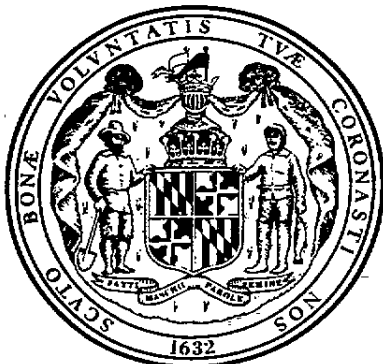
## STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION

301 West Preston Street Baltimore, Maryland 21201

I, NANCY GRUENINGER OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT SAID DEPARTMENT, BY THE LAWS OF SAID STATE, IS THE CUSTODIAN OF THE RECORDS OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE FORFEITURE OR SUSPENSION OF CORPORATE CHARTERS, OR OF CORPORATIONS TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THIS STATE; AND I AM THE PROPER OFFICER TO EXECUTE THIS CERTIFICATE.

I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT GTA GP, INC. IS A CORPORATION DULY INCORPORATED AND EXISTING UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE LAWS OF MARYLAND AND SAID 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 THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND AFFIXED THE SEAL OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF MARYLAND AT BALTIMORE THIS 30TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1997.

*Nancy Grueninger*  
NANCY GRUENINGER  
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER