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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.	Meritage Mortgage Corporation	OU ARG	rordo on
	(Name of corporation: must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a ror partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)	natural	person
2.	Oregon  (State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)  3. 93-1186856 (FEI number,	if annli	icable)
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4.	August 26, 1996 5. Perpetual  (Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or	· "perpe	etual")
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6.	Upon Oualification	,	_
	(Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 607.1501, 607.1502, and 817.156, F.S.))	38£	N.S.
7.	7909 Parklane Road, Columbia, South Carolina 29223	2 833	
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8.	mortgage banking		r)
	(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		
	C/o C T Corporation System, 1200 South Pine Office Address: Island Road		
	Plantation , Florida, 33324		,
	(Zip Code)		
10	D. 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.

> (Registered agent's signature) (Officer) Allan P. Farmell, Asst. Secretary

(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:

٩.	DIRECTORS
	Chairman: See attached list of directors
	Address:
	Vice Chairman: <u>See attached list of directors</u>
	Address:
	Director: See attached list of directors
	Address:
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	Address:
B.	OFFICERS
	President: See attached list of officers
	Address:
	Vice President:
	Address:
	Secretary:
	Address:

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Treasurer:	
Address:	
NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the appand/or directors.	lication listing additional officers
13. Elyabeth C. Jouday (Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed	Cin number 12 of the
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14. Elizabeth G. Jourdain, Assistant Vice President  (Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing appl	ication)

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Directors and Executive Officers Page 1 of 2

Directors Date of Birth/SS#	Business Address & Business Telephone	Residence Address & Residence Telephone
D. Fred Baldwin DOB: 12/15/31 SS# 504-20-3787	5665 SW Meadows Road Suite 350 Lake Oswego, OR 97035 (800) 257-6040	01511 SW Radcliff Court Portland, OR 97219 (503) 699-2194
Michael C. Baldwin DOB: 2/5/67 SS# 552-69-4309	5665 SW Meadows Road Suite 350 Lake Oswego, OR 97035 (800) 257-6040	2067 Bay Meadows West Linn, OR 97068 (503) 657-6091
Jordan D. Dorchuck DOB: 8/31/55, SS# 058-48-7912	7909 Parklane Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 741-3294	133 Cricket Hill Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 788-3801
Richard M. Duncan DOB: 1/15/48 SS# 248-80-1088	7909 Parklane Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 741-3736	205 Genesee Valley Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 788-4579
Steven F. Herbert DOB: 5/11/56 SS# 254-88-1811	7909 Parklane Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 741-3539	342 Amstar Road Columbia, SC 29212 (803) 732-4890
David W. Johnson, Jr. DOB: 10/18/48 SS# 251-82-5406	7909 Parklane Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 741-6615	300 Harwell Drive Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 736-6478
Jeffery W. Lewis DOB: 1/30/56 SS# 568-06-0828	5665 SW Meadows Road Suite 350 Lake Oswego, OR 97035 (800) 257-6040	3835 SW Trail Road Tualatin, OR 97062 (503) 638-2681

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**Directors and Executive Officers Page 2 of 2** 

Exec. Officers/Title <u>Date of Birth/ SS#</u>	Business Address & Business Telephone	Residence Address & Residence Telephone
D. Fred Baldwin President & CEO DOB: 12/15/31 SS# 504-20-3787	5665 SW Meadows Road Suite 350 Lake Oswego, OR 97035 (800) 257-6040	01511 SW Radcliff Court Portland, OR 97219 (503) 699-2194
Michael C. Baldwin Chief Operating Officer DOB: 2/5/67 SS# 552-69-4309	5665 SW Meadows Road Suite 350 Lake Oswego, OR 97035 (800) 257-6040	2067 Bay Meadows West Linn, OR 97068 (503) 657-6091
Steven F. Herbert Sr. Exec. Vice President & Chief Financial Officer DOB: 5/11/56 SS# 254-88-1811	7909 Parklane Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 741-3539	342 Amstar Road Columbia, SC 29212 (803) 732-4890
Rick W. Baldwin Exec. Vice President DOB: 9/27/53 SS# 571-94-8110	5665 SW Meadows Road Suite 350 Lake Oswego, OR 97035 (800) 257-6040	3404 Chelan Drive West Linn, OR 97068 (503) 655-2826
Scott E. Baldwin Exec. Vice President DOB: 6/25/56 SS# 571-94-8097	5665 SW Meadows Road Suite 350 Lake Oswego, OR 97035	1336 Stonehaven Drive West Linn, OR 97068 (503) 697-4981
Jeffery W. Lewis Exec. Vice President DOB: 1/30/56 SS# 568-06-0828	5665 SW Meadows Road Suite 350 Lake Oswego, OR 97035 (800) 257-6040	3835 SW Trail Road Tualatin, OR 97062 (503) 638-2681
Elizabeth G. Jourdain Asst. Vice President DOB: 2/20/65 SS# 251-25-9758	7909 Parklane Road Columbia, SC 29223 (803) 741-3254	Route 2, Box 99-18 Gaston, SC 29053 (803) 796-0437

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#### **CERTIFICATE**

### State of Oregon

### OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE Corporation Division

I, PHIL KEISLING, Secretary of State of Oregon, and Custodian of the Seal of said State, do hereby certify:

### MERITAGE MORTGAGE CORPORATION

was

incorporated under the Oregon

Business Corporation Act
on

August 26, 1996

and is active on the records of the Corporation Division as of the date of this certificate.

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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed hereto the Seal of the State of Oregon.

PHIL KEISLING, Secretary of

State

By

Arnold E. Lowder

February 13, 1998