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February 3, 1998

Qualification/Tax Lien Section Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Re: Maxx Parts & Equipment, Inc. (the "Corporation")

Our File No. 2344-1

W98-2677

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find the following items:

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- 1. Transmittal Letter;
- 2. Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida, filed on behalf of the Corporation;
- 3. Corporation's Certificate of Existence issued by the Georgia Secretary of State; and
- 4. Pohl & Short, P.A. check number 107859 in the amount of \$78.75; \$70.00 is to cover filing fee for Application, and \$8.75 is fee for Certificate of Status.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions you may.

Very truly yours,

Gary A. Forster

GAF/lmf Enclosures

cc: Frank L. Pohl, Esquire

DIVISION OF CORPORATION

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To: Qualification/Tax Lien Section Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Maxx Parts & Equipment, Inc.

(Name of corporation - must include suffix)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign corporation to transact business in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Houston E. Short, Esquire
(Name of Person)

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Pohl & Short, P.A.
(Firm/Company)

280 West Canton Avenue, Suite 410

(Address)

Winter Park, FL 32789

(City/State/Zip)

Should you need to call someone concerning this matter, please call:

Houston E. Short, Esquire at (407) 647-7645

(Name of Person)

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

COURIER ADDRESS:

Qualification/Tax Lien Section Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines St. Tallahassee, FL 32399

MAILING ADDRESS:

Qualification/Tax Lien Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

February 5, 1998

HOUSTON E. SHORT, ESQ. POHL & SHORT, P.A. 280 WEST CANTON AVE., STE. 410 WINTER PARK, FL 32789

SUBJECT: MAXX PARTS AND EQUIPMENT, INC.

Ref. Number: W98000002677

SECRETARY OF STATE OF CORPORATIONS

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We have received your document for MAXX PARTS AND EQUIPMENT, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the document has not been filed and is being retained in this office for the following:

Pursuant to section 607.1502(4), 617.1502(4) or 608.502(4), Florida Statutes, this office collects a civil penalty of \$1000 for each year this entity transacted business or conducted its affairs in Florida prior to qualification and the appropriate annual report fees that would have been due this office had the entity qualified the year it began operations in this state. The amount due this office to cover both annual report and penalty fees is \$1150.00.

Enclosed please find a copy of section 607.1501 or 617.1501, Florida Statutes, which lists those activities that do not constitute transacting business in this state. If after reviewing this section you determine erroneous information was inserted on the application, a sworn affidavit containing the following information must be submitted: 1.) a statement indicating erroneous information was listed on the application; and 2.) the correct date the corporation began transacting business in Florida prior to the year the application was submitted did not constitute transacting business pursuant to section 607.1501 or 617.1501, Florida Statutes.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6095.

Jennifer Sindt Document Examiner

Letter Number: 198A00006756



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

April 8, 1998

HOUSTON E. SHORT, ESQ. POHL & SHORT, P.A. 280 WEST CANTON AVE., STE. 410 WINTER PARK, FL 32789

SUBJECT: MAXX PARTS AND EQUIPMENT, INC.

Ref. Number: W98000002677

This letter is in response to the application by foreign corporation for authorization to transact business in Florida that was previously submitted to this office for MAXX PARTS AND EQUIPMENT, INC..

The referenced application states that the corporation has transacted business in the State of Florida since January 1, 1997. You were notified by letter dated February 5, 1998, that because of failure to obtain a certificate of authority prior to transacting business in the State of Florida, the corporation is liable for \$1150.00 in appropriate fees and penalties as set forth in Section 607.1502(4), Florida Statutes, (copy enclosed).

Until a response is received by this office concerning the prior notification, the application by foreign corporation for authorization to transact business in Florida will not be processed. If erroneous information was reflected on the previously submitted application, a sworn affidavit may be filed stating the correct date the corporation first transacted business in Florida, that the corporation did not transact business in Florida prior to the application filing year and that the information entered on such application is incorrect. Any such affidavit will be included with your original qualification documents.

Please provide your response to this letter within 30 days to avoid the necessity of further action.

If you have further questions concerning the filing of your document, please telephone the Foreign Qualification/Tax Lien Section at (850) 487-6091.

Jennifer Sindt Document Examiner Letter No. 998A00018569

Enclosure

POHL & SHORT, P.A.

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April 20, 1998

Ms. Jennifer Sindt Document Examiner Florida Department of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, Florida 32314 FILED SECRETARY OF STATE OF CORPORATIONS

RE: Maxx Parts and Equipment, Inc. - Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida (the "Application")

Reference No. W98000002677

Dear Ms. Sindt:

In response to your Letter No. 998A00018569 (a copy of which is enclosed) to Houston E. Short, Esq., dated February 5, 1998, regarding the above-referenced Application, we have enclosed is an Affidavit from the President and Chief Executive Officer of Maxx Parts & Equipment, Inc. (the "Corporation"). The Affidavits regards erroneous information contained in the previously submitted Application and asserts the statutory exemption described in §607.1501(2)(f), Florida Statutes, with respect to the Corporation's activities in Florida prior to the submission of the Application.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Gary A. Forster

GAF/mrw Enclosures

cc: Houston E. Short, Esq. (w/o enc.)

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STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

	BEFOR	E ME, the	undersigne	d authority	, personally	appeared	STEVE	McCONDIC!	HIE
(the	"Affiant").	who being	first duly s	sworn, depo	oses and say	s that:			

(the Amant), who being hist duty swort	i, doposos una sajo ami	
1. Affiant represents that he is factually and from personal experience as	over the age of nineteen years, and can sto the matters addressed in this Affidavit.	speak
2. Affiant has been employed to corporation (the "Corporation"), in the cap past 2 years to the present.	by Maxx Parts & Equipment, Inc., a Geo pacity of President and Chief Executive O	rgia Officer for the
3. Erroneous information is corregistration to do business in Florida, receithe Corporation has not conducted business the Corporation's activities in Florida have §607.1501(2)(f), Florida Statutes, to wit:	s in Florida prior to the date of said appl	tate, in that ication, and
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FURTHER, AFFIANT SAYETH 1	NAUGHT.	77 CO
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Sworn to and subscribed before me McCONDICHIE who (check one) X is pe (issued by a state of the United States with produced other identification, to wit:	e this 13th day of Apeil, 1998, by ersonally known to me, \Box produced a drain the last five (5) years) as identification	iver's license
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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.

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1.	Maxx Parts Equipment, Inc.			
	(Name of corporation; must include the word "INCO	ORPORATED", "COM	PANY", "CORPORATION" or	words or
	abbreviations of like import in language as will clear		orporation instead of a natural p	erson or
	partnership if not so contained in the name at presen	t.)		
2.	Georgia		3. 58-1943158	
	(State or country under the law of which it is inc	corporated)	(FEI number, if applica	ible)
4.	09/18/865	Perpetual		
	(Date of incorporation)	(Duration: Year corp	p. will cease to exist or "perpetu	.al")
6.	January 1, 1997	 		
	(Date first transacted business in Florida.) (SEE SE	CTIONS 607.1501, 60'	7.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)	
7.	1264 Sullivan Creek Road			
	,			
	Atlanta, GA 30349			
	(Curr	ent mailing address)		
8.	Sale of Heavy Equipment and Parts			
	(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in he	ome state or country to	be carried out in state of Florida	a)
9.	Name and street address of Florida registered age	ent: (P.O. Box or Ma	il Drop Box <u>NOT</u> acceptable)	DIVISION OF 1
	Name: Houston E. Short, Esquire	<u> </u>		PR 2
Offi	fice Address: Pohl & Short, P.A. , 280 w. Cau	nton Ave., Ste.410) (e)	
	Winter Park	, Florida, 32789		5 35°
		(Zip cod	e) a	, 23
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10.	. Registered agent's acceptance:			e i

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.

	H. D. McCondichie						
Chairman:	61 Ponte Vedra Blvd.						
/ radioss	Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082						
Vice Chairman:							
	Steve H. McCondichie						
	133 Trent Jones Court						
	November CA 30265						
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Address:							
	Steven H. McCondichie	98 APR 22	SECRETARY				
Address:	133 Trent Jones Court	A# 10:	OR C				
	Newnan, GA 30265	<u> </u>	75 55 55				
Vice President:	J. Bradley Fawcett	7	Ž				
Address:	4200 Turner Church Road						
	McDonough, GA 30253						
Secretary: TR	EASURER: Katherine McCondichie						
Address:	61 Ponte Vedra Blvd.						
	Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082						
Treasurer:	•						
Address:							
NOTE: If nece	essary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.						
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13.	(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)						

Secretary of State
Corporations Division
Suite 315, West Tower
2 Martin Luther King Ir. Dr.
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

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MAXX PARTS AND EQUIPMENT, INC. ATTN: GEORGE PIRKLE 1264 SULLIVAN CREEK ATLANTA GA 30349 ASION OF CORPORATIONS

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CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

I, Lewis A. Massey, the Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify under the seal of my office that

MAXX PARTS AND EQUIPMENT, INC. A DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION

was formed in the jurisdiction stated above or was authorized to transact business in Georgia on the above date. Said entity is in compliance with the applicable filing and annual registration provisions of Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated and has not filed articles of dissolution, certificate of cancellation, or any other similar document with the office of the Secretary of State.

This certificate relates only to the legal existence of the above-named entity as of the date issued. It does not certify whether or not a notice of intent to dissolve, an application for withdrawal, a statement of commencement of winding up, or any other similar document has been filed or is pending with the Secretary of State.

This certificate is issued pursuant to Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated and is prima-facie evidence that said entity is in existence or is authorized to transact business in this state.

LEWIS A. MASSEY
SECRETARY OF STATE

