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**CORPORATION** 

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#### FOREIGN FILINGS

NAME:

DIRECT CONNECT SYSTEMS, INC.

XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: CO)

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

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CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Tamara Odom

DIVISION OF CORPORATION 10 PM 3: 28

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

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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	DIRECT CONNECT SYSTEMS, INC.
1-	(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.)
	GEORGIA 3. 58-2061131
2.	(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
	8/1/93 5. PERPETUAL
4.	(Date of Incorporation)  (Date of Incorporation)  (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6	April 1, 1997  (Date first transacted business in Florida. (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502, AND 817.155, F.S.)
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7	2264 NORTHWEST PARKWAY, SUITE I
	MARIETTA, GEORGIA 30067  (Current mailing address)
	(Current matting address)
8.	Sell and service data protection and disaster prevention systems.
٥.	(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in the state of Florida)
9.	(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in the state of Florida)  Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)  Name: Corporation service Company
	Name: Corporation service Company
	Office Address: 1201 Hays Street
	Tallahassee , Florida , 32301 (Zip Code)
1	0. Registered agent's acceptance:
E c r	daving been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated 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.

12. Names and addresses of officers and/or directors: (Street address ONLY- P. O. Box NOT acceptable) A. DIRECTORS (Street address only- P. O . Box NOT acceptable) Chairman: \_See attached officers/directors rider Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Vice Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_ Director: Address: Director: Address: B. OFFICERS (Street address only-P. O. Box NOT acceptable) President: \_\_See attached officers/directors rider Address: Vice President: Address: Secretary: \_ Address: \_ Treasurer: Address: NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

14. DONALD R. SCHRENK, PRESIDENT

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

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

## OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF DIRECT CONNECT SYSTEMS, INC.

Donald R. Schrenk, Jr, Director, President 2264 Northwest Parkway, Suite I Marietta, Georgia 30067

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### **Secretary of State**

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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

## DIRECT CONNECT SYSTEMS, 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 Anastated 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 abovenamed 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 G. Massey

Lewis A. Massey Secretary of State