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To: Qualification/Tax Lien Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: SYMBIONT, Inc.

(Name of corporation - must include suffix)

Dear Sir or Madam:

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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:

James Bud Ward

(Name of Person)

SYMBIONT, Inc.

(Firm/Company)

1156 15th Street, N.W., 6th Floor

(Address)

Washington, D. C. 20005-1704

(City/State/Zip)

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

James Bud Ward

(Name of Person)

at (202) 887-6800

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

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Qualification/Tax Lien Section
Division of Corporations
P.O. Box 6327
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**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT
BUSINESS IN FLORIDA**

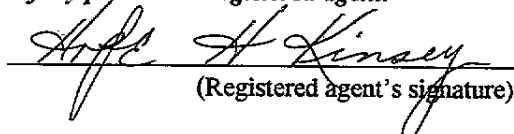
*IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO
REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.*

1. SYMBIONT, 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. District of Columbia 3. 52-1389353
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
4. March 8, 1985 5. Perpetual
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6. N/A
(Date first transacted business in Florida.) (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)
7. 1156 15th Street, N.W., 6th Floor
Washington, D. C. 20005-1704
(Current mailing address)
8. Computer Systems Services; Engineering Management; Local Area Networks;
Imaging Documentation; Telecommunications
(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)
9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)
- Name: Hope Kinsey
- Office Address: 2570 NW 155 Street
Opalocka, Florida, 33054
(Zip code)

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10. Registered agent's 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 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: James Bud Ward

Address: 1156 15th Street, N.W., 6th Floor

Washington, D. C. 20005-1704

Vice Chairman: Sterling A. Ward

Address: 1156 15th Street, N.W., 6th Floor

Washington, D. C. 20005-1704

Director: Forrest C. Ward

Address: 101 Federal Street, Suite 1900

Boston, MA 02110

Director: _____

Address: _____

B. OFFICERS (Street address only - P.O. Box NOT acceptable)

President: James Bud Ward

Address: 1156 15th Street, N.W., 6th Floor

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Vice President: Sterling A. Ward

Address: 1156 15th Street, N.W., 6th Floor

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Secretary: Sterling A. Ward

Address: 1156 15th Street, N.W., 6th Floor

Washington, D. C. 20005-1704

Treasurer: James Bud Ward

Address: 1156 15th Street, N.W., 6th Floor

Washington, D. C. 20005-1704

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

13. James Bud Ward
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. James Bud Ward, President
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
BUSINESS REGULATION ADMINISTRATION



C E R T I F I C A T E

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that there were received and accepted for record in the Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs, Corporations Division, on the **8th** day of **March**, **1985**, Articles of Incorporation of:

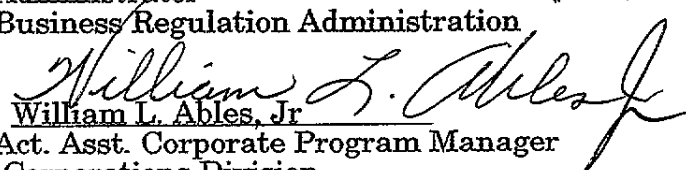
SYMBIONT, INC.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that the above named corporation is in Good Standing and is duly incorporated and existing according to the records of the Corporations Division, having filed all annual reports as required by the District of Columbia Business Corporation Act.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this office to be affixed this **14th** day of **October** **1998**.

Lloyd J. Jordan
Director

Patricia A. Montgomery
Administrator
Business Regulation Administration


William L. Ables, Jr.
Act. Asst. Corporate Program Manager
Corporations Division

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Marion Barry, Jr.
Mayor