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December 15, 1998

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SUBJECT: REMSBERG TENT RENTALS, INC.

Ref. Number: W98000028099

We have received your document for REMSBERG TENT RENTALS, 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:

Based upon information provided by the Florida Department of Revenue, pursuant to section 213.053(14), Florida Statutes, it appears that REMSBERG TENT RENTALS, INC. has transacted business in Florida prior to submitting an "Application for Authority to Transact Business in Florida". Please contact this office concerning the date first transacted business in Florida.

Pursuant to section 607.1502(4), Florida Statutes, this office collects a civil penalty of \$1000 for each year this entity transacted business in Florida prior to qualification and the appropriate charter tax and annual report fees that would have been due this office had the corporation qualified the year it began operations in this state. Please complete the enclosed form INHSE37 and contact this office for the charter tax due. The amount entitled this office in annual report fees and penalty fees is \$14,516.25.

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) 487-6958.

Lee Rivers Document Specialist

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Division of Corporations - P.O. BOX 6327 - Tallahassee, Florida 32314



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

December 22, 1998

CT SYSTEM ATTN: HOPE

SUBJECT: REMSBERG TENT RENTALS, INC.

Ref. Number: W98000028099

We are returning the letter you submitted because it is not notarized. As noted in our previous letter we require a "sworn affidavit;" in order to be considered "sworn," the letter must be notarized.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6958.

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Letter Number: 298A00060013

NOTARIZATION

STATE OF	Maryland	
COUNTY OF	Frederick	
CEO/Owner o	Douglas A. Remsberg f Remsberg Tent Rentals best of my knowledge an	, being duly sworn, state that I am the Inc. and that the foregoing statements are true and d belief. (Signature)
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December 17th, 1998

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 Attn: Lee Rivers

Ref. Number: W98000028099

To whom it may concern:

Remsberg Tent Rentals, Inc believes that incorrect information was listed on our Application By Foreign Corporation For Authorization to Transact Business in Florida. The information for line 6 of the application, date first transacting business in Florida, was filed as "Upon Qualification." However, your department listed this date as April 1, 1985, our date of incorporation. We feel that "Upon Qualification" is the correct date.

Remsberg Tent Rentals, Inc. did begin transacting business in Florida in April, 1997 but this did not constitute transacting business as per your statute 607.1501 (2) (j). Our business consists of renting party tents for private, corporate and sporting events. Our business in Florida consisted of an isolated contract for a specific event. We have since completed a few other isolated contracts for completely different events.

In 1999, however, we will be doing substantially more business in Florida and it will be repeat business for prior customers and events. Therefore, we feel that we will no longer qualify under the aforementioned statute and as such are submitting this application.

Please review this matter as soon as possible as we would like to resolve this so that we may continue to do business and to expand our operation in the State of Florida. Thank you.

Sincerell

CEO, Remsberg Tent Rentals, Inc.

285 BUCHBMER ROAD P.O. Box 682

FREDERICK, MARYLAND 21705-0682 VOICE: 301-698-5840 - FAX: 301-698-5834

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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.	Remsberg Tent Rentals, 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 3. 52-1384205
	(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
4.	April 1, 1985 5. Perpetual (Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
	(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6.	Upon Qualification (Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 607.1501, 607.1502, and 817.156, 5.5.))
7.	285 Bucheimer Road PO Box 682, Frederick, Maryland 21705 (Current mailing address)
	(Current mailing address)
8.	Tent Rentals
	(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: Island Road
	Plantation , Florida, 33324 (Zip Code)
Ha de fui	. Registered agent acceptance: ving been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place signated in this application. I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. If there agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties of I am familiar with and accept the obligation of my position as registered agent.
	C T Corporation System
	(Registered agent's signature) (Officer)

Charlie Shampang - Assistant 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:

A.	DIRECTORS	
	Chairman: See attached list of directors	S
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	Vice Chairman: <u>see attached list of direc</u>	ctors
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	Director: See attached list of directors	98 DEC
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	President: See attached list of officers	
	Address:	
	Vice President:	
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	Secretary:	
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Address: _	
NOTE: If necessary, you and/or directors.	ou may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers
13. So	an, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the
14. Willard D. Ruffner	President

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SECKETANT OF STATE

Officers and Directors Of Remsberg Tent Rentals, Inc. (Md)

Douglas A. Remsberg
Owner, CEO, Director
33 Main Street
P.O. Box 489
Walkersville, MD 21793
SS# 214-54-2421

Dennis E. Remsberg Owner, Vice President, Director 2803 Wildwood Court Walkersville, MD 21793 SS# 214-54-2420

George W. Poston
Owner, Vice President, Director
#8 Otters Run
Durham, NC 27712
SS# 224-86-5782

Willard D. Ruffner
President, CFO, Director
10328 Old Annapolis Road
Walkersville, MD 21793
SS# 215-44-9883

Brian Remsberg Secretary/Treasurer, Director 2808 Spindle Lane Bowie, MD 20715 SS# 220-17-5213 98 DEC 15 PH W 18
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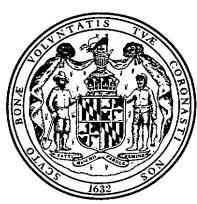
STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION

301 West Preston Street Baltimore, Maryland 21201

I, RITA WINSTON 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 REMSBERG TENT RENTALS, 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 THE STATE OR CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, AND TO TRANSACT BUSINESS 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 11TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1998.

> RITA WINSTON CHARTER DIVISION

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