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Edwards Service Company, Inc.  
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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. Edwards Service Company, 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. Alabama 3. 63-1238492  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)
- 4. November 23, 1999 5. Perpetual  
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")
- 6. December 1, 1999  
(Date first transacted business in Florida.) (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)
- 7. 42 Arlington Crest, 2700 Arlington Avenue  
Birmingham, Alabama 35205  
(Current mailing address)

8. Any and all lawful acts or activities for which companies may be organized.  
(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: C T Corporation System

Office Address: 1200 South Pine Island Road

Plantation, Florida, 33324  
(Zip code)

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.*

Connie Bryan  
CONNIE BRYAN  
SPECIAL ASSISTANT SECRETARY  
(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: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Vice Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Director: Drue D. Gravlee

Address: 42 Arlington Crest, 2700 Arlington Avenue

Birmingham, Alabama 35205

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

President: See attached Exhibit A.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Vice President: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

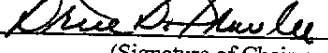
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Treasurer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

13. 

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

14. Drue D. Gravlee - President

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

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**EXHIBIT A**  
**EDWARDS SERVICE COMPANY, INC.**  
**LIST OF OFFICERS**

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Business Address</u>
Drue D. Gravlee	President & Treasurer	42 Arlington Crest 2700 Arlington Avenue Birmingham, Alabama 35205
Macon Gravlee	Vice President & Secretary	42 Arlington Crest 2700 Arlington Avenue Birmingham, Alabama 35205
Larry Joe Yerby	Vice President	42 Arlington Crest 2700 Arlington Avenue Birmingham, Alabama 35205

# STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Jim Bennett, Secretary of State of the State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that

the domestic corporation records on file in this office disclose that Edwards Service Company, Inc. incorporated in Jefferson County, Birmingham, Alabama on November 23, 1999. I further certify that the records do not disclose that said Edwards Service Company, Inc. has been dissolved.

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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this day.

December 27, 1999

Date

*Jim Bennett*

Jim Bennett

Secretary of State