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Registration Section Division of Corporations Florida Department of State P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Re: Suncoast Investments, L.L.C.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find enclosed herein the following documents:

- 1. Application by Foreign Limited Liability Company for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida;
- Certificate of Designation of Registered Agent/Registered Office
- 3. Iowa Certificate of Existence:
- 4. Check in the amount of \$125.00.

I would appreciate it if you would see that the enclosed documents are filed with your office.

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Very truly yours

William E. Robak

Enclosures



### APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608.503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

| SUNCOAST INVESTMENTS, L.L.C. (Name of foreign   | n limit            | ed liability company)   |          |           |          |
|---|--------------------|---|----------|-----------|----------|
| STATE OF IOWA  Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)  | 3                  | 42-1514714<br>(FEI number, if appli   | cable)   |           |          |
| JANUARY 2,2001 (Date of Organization)   | 5                  | PERPETUAL (Duration: Year limited liability of exist or "perpetual")              | ompany v | vill ceas | se to    |
| FEBRUARY 1,2001   |                    |   |          |           |          |
| (Date first transacted business in Florida. (Se   | ee sec             | tions 608.501, 608.502, and 817.13  | 5, F.S.) | ···•      |          |
| DOUGLAS E. GRATIAS & VAL GRATIAS  |                    |   |          | 0         |          |
| 763 PLANTERS MANOR WAY, BRADENTON, FL   | 342                | 202   | ALLA     | 1 APR     | 71       |
| (Street address  If limited liability company is a manager-manage   | _                  | orincipal office) mpany, check here x   | PASSE E  | 나 맘       | 3        |
| The name and usual business addresses of the ma   | anagi              | ng members or managers are  | as for   | ws: 5     | •        |
| DOUGLAS E. GRATIAS & VAL GRATIAS  |                    |   | -        | •         |          |
| 763 PLANTERS MANOR WAY, BRADENTON, F  | L 34               | 202   |          |           |          |
|   |                    |   |          |           | <u> </u> |
| . Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than so<br>jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photoconstation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be so | соруі              | s not acceptable. If the certificate is in  |          |           |          |
| . Nature of business or purposes to be conducted  | or pi              | comoted in Florida: RENTAL  | PROPE    | RTY MA    | NAGEM    |
| Signature of a member or an a (In accordance with section 608.408(3) an affirmation under the penalties of polymers. Crafta.  Typed or print  | ), F.S.,<br>erjury | the execution of this document constit<br>that the facts stated herein are true.) |          |           |          |

## CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 or 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

| 1. | The name of the Limited Liability Company is:                                   | 1 SE S   |
|----|---|--|
|    | SUNCOAST INVESTMENTS, L.L.C.  | 第 3  |
| 2. | The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are: | 2 P. C.  |
|    | VAL GRATIAS   | <b>100 100</b> |
|    |   |  |
|    | 763 PLANTERS MANOR WAY Florida street address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)         | -  |
|    | BRADENTON, FL 34202   |  |
|    | City/State/Zip  |  |

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, 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 relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent as provided for in Chapter 608, F.S..

Dougles G. Draw (Signature)

\$ 100.00 Filing Fee for Application

\$ 25.00 Designation of Registered Agent

\$ 30.00 Certified Copy (optional)

\$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (optional)



No. 00124417 Date: 02/02/2001

490DLC-000248406 WILLIAM E ROBAK, ATTY AT LAW ATTN:WILLIAM E ROBAK 3705 GRAND AVE DES MOINES, IA 50312

### CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

Name: SUNCOAST INVESTMENTS, L.L.C.

Begin date: 20010102 Expiration: PERPETUAL

I, CHESTER J. CULVER, secretary of state of the state of Iowa, custodian of the records of limited liability companies, certify that the limited liability company named on this certificate was duly organized under the laws of Iowa on the date printed above, that all fees required by the Iowa Limited Liability Company Act have been paid, and that articles of dissolution have not been filed.

