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March 19, 2001

Florida Secretary of State Division of Corporations P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 100

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RE: PPA Litigation Group, L.C.

Application by Foreign Limited Liability Company for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

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Please find enclosed:

- Completed Application by Foreign Limited Liability Company for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida for the above-named limited liability company;
- Check in the amount of \$100.00 to cover your filing fee; and
- 3. Certificate of existence duly authorized by the Louisiana Secretary of State.

Please forward the letter of acknowledgment to my attention at the address contained in this letterhead. Should you require any additional information in order to process this request, please advise.

Sincerely yours,

Barry J. Cooper, Jr.

Law Clerk

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## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

March 27, 2001

BARRY J. COOPER, JR. LEHMANN STETTER & MARCUS LC 400 POYDRAS ST SUITE 2050 NEW ORLEANS, LA 70130

SUBJECT: PPA LITIGATION GROUP, L.C.

Ref. Number: W01000006847

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

We have received your document for PPA LITIGATION GROUP, L.C. and check(s) totaling \$100.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

There is a balance due of \$25.00. Refer to the attached fee schedule for a breakdown of the fees. Please return a copy of this letter to ensure your money is properly credited.

You must list your Federal Employer Identification Number in the appropriate block. If applied for, enter "applied for", or if not applicable, enter "N/A".

The date first transacted business in Florida within the meaning of s. 607.1501 or 608.501, F.S., must be set forth in section 6 of the application. If the corporation/limited liability company has not yet transacted business in Florida within this meaning, please insert the words "upon qualification" in lieu of a date. (Note: Pursuant to s. 607.1502(4), F.S., this office collects a civil penalty of \$1000 for each year other than the application filing year, that a foreign corporation or limited liability company transacts business in this state without authority along with the past annual report/uniform business report fees due this office.)

The designation of the registered office and the registered agent, both at the same Florida street address, must be contained within the document pursuant to Florida Statutes. The registered agent must sign accepting the designation as required by Florida Statutes.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6043.

Shawn Logan Document Specialist

Letter Number: 901A00018289

## 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: PPA Litigation Group, L.C. (Name of foreign limited liability company) Louisiana (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability (FEI number, if applicable) company is organized) 02/13/2001 02/13/2016 (Date of Organization) (Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual") Upon Qualification (Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 608.501, 608.502, and 817.155, F.S.) 516 Rue St. Philip New Orleans, Louisiana 70116 (Street address of principal office) 8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed company, check here 9. The usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as follows: Stuart H. Smith, 516 Rue St. Philip, New Orleans, Jack Harang, 3500 N. Hullen Street, Metairie, LA 7000 David Cobb, 407 Orchard Park, Building 2 Suite 200-A Ridgeland, MS 39157 10. Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 days old, duly authenticated by the official having custody of records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photocopy is not acceptable. If the certificate is in a foreign language, a translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be submitted.) 11. Nature of business or purposes to be conducted or promoted in Florida: Litigation Awareness Signature of a member or an authorized representative of a member. (In accordance with section 608.408(3), F.S., the execution of this document constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.) Lawrence M. Lehmann Typed or printed name of signee

Attorney for Applicants.

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## 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:			
	PPA Litigation Group, L.C.			
2.	The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are:			
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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..

Jennifer J. McBurnett
(Signature)

Jennifer J. McBurnett
Assistant Secretary

\$ 100.00 Filing Fee for Application
\$ 25.00 Designation of Registered Agent
\$ 30.00 Certified Copy (optional)
\$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (optional)



SECRETARY OF STATE

As Secretary of State, of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby Certify that

the Articles of Organization of

PPA LITIGATION GROUP, L.C.

Domiciled at NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA,

Were filed in this Office and a Certificate of Organization was issued on February 13, 2001,

I further certify that no Certificate of Dissolution has been issued.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of my Office to be affixed at the City of Baton Rouge on,

March 14, 2001

CLO 35039650K Secretary of State

