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October 9, 2003

Florida Department of State Registration Section Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399

VIA AIRBORNE EXPRESS

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Florida State Statutes, I attach The Rose Group, Ltd. application, Ohio Certificate of Good Standing and our check in the amount of \$125.00 (for the filing fee for application and designation of Registered Agent).

The Rose Group, Ltd. intends to begin doing business in Florida beginning in October 2003. In accordance with the Florida instructions, please forward your letter of acknowledgment to me immediately after receipt of our transmittal. If you have any questions, please call me at (513) 494-9444.

Thank you for your prompt attention and processing of our information.

Sincerely yours,

THE ROSE GROUP, LTD.

Eugene B. Rose President and CEO

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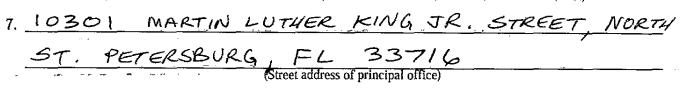


APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

		08.503, FLORIDA STATI			MITTED TO	REGISTER	A FOREIGN
LIMITED LIABILI	TY COMPANY TO TI	RANSACT BUSINESS IN T	THE STATE OF FLO	ORIDA:			
1. THE	ROSE	GROUP	LTD.				\$1. J. 1
		(Name of foreig	n limited liability c	ompany)			
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2.	_	45	3.	31-1440025
(Jurisdiction un	der the law of v company is o	which foreign limited organized)	liability	(FEI number, if applicable)
1. JUNE		1995	5	PERPETUAL
•	Date of Organi	zation)		(Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")

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6.		4 4			OCTOBER 2003	
	 (Date first transa	cted busir	ess in Florida. (See	sections 6	08.501, 608.502, and 817.155, F.S.)	



- 8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed company, check here
- 9. The name and usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as follows:

B. ROSE, 778 WINDING RIVER BLVD., MAINEVILLE, 04 450-CYNTHIA A. ROSE, 778 WINDING RIVER BLYD., MAINEVILLE, 04

- 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: AND SULPLUS USED

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.)

EUGENE ROSE MANAGER

Typed or printed name of signee

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	e Limited Liability Cor	npany is:			
THE RO	SE GROUP	LTD.	<u> </u>		
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2. The name and t	he Florida street addres EUGENC B. 1301 MARTIN	is of the registered	agent and offic	e are:	
10	301 MARTIN	LUTHER K	CING JR.	STREET	NORTH
		(Name)			
_		iddress (P.O. Box NC	OT ACCEPTABLE)	`	
<u> </u>	T. PETERSBUR	(City/State/Zip)	33716	2	

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.

MANAGER (Signature)

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

United States of America State of Ohio Office of the Secretary of State

I, J. Kenneth Blackwell, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign corporations; that said records show THE ROSE GROUP, LTD., an Ohio Limited Liability Company, Registration Number 908646, was organized within the State of Ohio on June 19, 1995, is currently in FULL FORCE AND EFFECT upon the records of this office.



Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 6th day of October, A.D. 2003

Ohio Secretary of State

Validation Number: V200327903AFBE