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April 13, 2004

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

Re: Paradise Investments, LLC and Gulf Coast Properties, Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

I have enclosed documents necessary to register in Florida the above-captioned limited liability company and corporation. Also enclosed are checks to cover the cost of registration. If you need anything further, please let me know.

Sincerely,


Thomas S. Gibson

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Enclosures: as stated

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SUBJECT: PARADISE INVESTMENTS, LLC
Ref. Number: W04000015151

We have received your document for PARADISE INVESTMENTS, LLC and your check(s) totaling \$160.00. However, the document has not been filed and is being retained in this office for the following:

A certificate of existence or a certificate of good standing, dated no more than 90 days prior to the delivery of the application to the Department of State, duly authenticated by the secretary of state or other official having custody of the records in the jurisdiction under the laws of which it is incorporated/organized, must be submitted to this office. A translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be attached to a certificate which is in a language other than the English language. A photocopy of this certificate is not acceptable.

You sent the wrong certificate.

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) 245-6913.

Diane Cushing
Document Specialist

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

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

1. Paradise Investments, LLC
(Name of foreign limited liability company)
2. Georgia
(Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)
3. ~~20-0907971~~ 20-0907971
(FEL number, if applicable)
4. 12/24/03
(Date of Organization)
5. perpetual
(Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6. UPON ORGANIZATION
(Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 608.501, 608.502, and 817.155, F.S.))
7. 306 S. BOULEVARD
BAINBRIDGE, GA 39817
(Street address of principal office)
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:
Gregory J. Waddell, 2022 Lake Douglas Road, Bainbridge, GA 39817
William J. Moody, 306 S. Boulevard, Bainbridge, GA 39817
William H. Inlow, 306 S. Boulevard, Bainbridge, GA 39817
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: BUY / SELL REAL ESTATE / PROPERTY

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.)

Gregory J. Waddell
Typed or printed name of signee

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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:

Paradise Investments, LLC

2. The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are:

Thomas S. Gibson

(Name)

206 E. 4th Street

Florida street address (P.O. Box **NOT** ACCEPTABLE)

Port St. Joe, FL 32456

FL

(City/State/Zip)

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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.


(Signature)

\$ 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
Corporations Division
315 West Tower
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CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

I, Cathy Cox, the Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, hereby certify under the seal of my office that as of the above print date

PARADISE INVESTMENTS, LLC
A GEORGIA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

is in compliance with the applicable filing and annual registration provisions of Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

Said entity was formed in the jurisdiction stated above or was authorized to transact business in Georgia on the above date and has not filed articles of dissolution, certificate of cancellation or any other similar document with the Office of the Secretary of State.

This certificate relates only to the legal existence of the above-named entity as of the print date above. It does not certify whether or not a notice of intent to dissolve, an application for withdrawal, a statement of commencement of winding up or any other similar document has been filed or is pending with the Secretary of State.

This information is electronically transmitted, issued and certified in accordance with the Georgia Electronic Records and Signatures Act and Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated and is prima-facie evidence that said entity is in existence or is authorized to transact business in this state.

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Cathy Cox
Secretary of State

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