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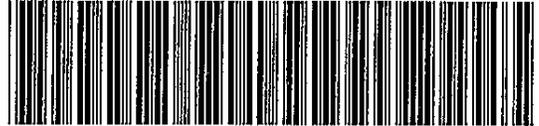
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Re: Applications by Foreign Limited Liability Company for  
Authorization to Transact Business in Florida

Dear Sir or Madam:

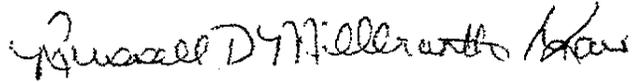
Enclosed you will find an Application by Foreign Limited Liability Company for Authorization to Transaction Business in Florida (original and one [1] copy), Certificate of Designation of Registered Agent/Registered Office (original and one [1] copy), and original certificate of existence (original) for each of the following limited liability companies:

1. Pelican Reef Real Estate Services LLC
2. Ocean Financial LLC
3. Iguana Properties LLC
4. Gator Leasing Company LLC
5. Palm Tree Financial Company LLC

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Enclosed you will also find a check in the amount of \$625.00 for the fees to registered with your office. Please return to my attention in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope a file marked copy of each Application and Certificate of Designation, along with a receipt show payment of the fees.

Very truly yours,



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cc: David Rossman  
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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:

1. Gator Leasing Company LLC (Name of foreign limited liability company)

2. Delaware (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized) 3. 83-0369103 (FEI number, if applicable)

4. July 31, 2003 (Date of Organization) 5. Perpetual (Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. Upon Admission (Date first transacted business in Florida. (See sections 608.501, 608.502, and 817.155, F.S.))

7. 175 West Lincolnway, Suite H Valparaiso, IN 46383 (Street address of principal office)

8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed company, check here [X]

9. The name and usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as follows: Palm Tree Financial Company 175 West Lincolnway, Suite H Valparaiso, IN 46383

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: Real and personal property leasing and all activities permitted by Florida law

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.) David A. Rossman 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:

Gator Leasing Company LLC

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

Corp Direct Agents, Inc.

(Name)

103 North Meridian Street, Lower Level

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

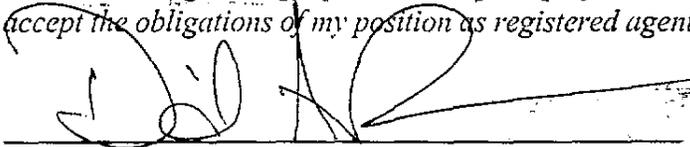
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*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. 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)

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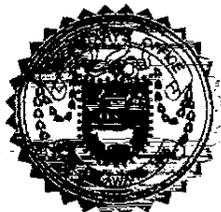
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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "GATOR LEASING COMPANY LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE NINETEENTH DAY OF MAY, A.D. 2004.

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