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### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO: Registration Section Division of Corporations

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SUBJECT: Equitable Capital Management, LLC

(Name of Limited Liability Company)

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Limited Liability Company for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida," Certificate of Existence, and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign limited liability company to transact business in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

	(Name of Person)	
	Equitable Capital Management, LLC	
	(Firm/Company)	
	601 N. Ashley Street, Suite 1200	
<u></u>	(Address)	
	Tampa, FL 33602	
	(City/State and Zip Code)	

Cristin A. Conley

(Name of Person)

at (813 \_\_\_\_) 223-7000

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

STREET ADDRESS:

Registration Section Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399 MAILING ADDRESS:

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

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

□ \$125.00 Filing Fee	ZI \$130.00 Filing Fee &	🖾 \$155.00	Filing Fee &	□ \$160.00 Filing Fee, Certificate
5	Certificate of S	tatus	Certified Copy	of Status & Certified Copy



## 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.	Equitable Capital Management, LLC (Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company)
2.	Delaware       3.         (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability       (FEI number, if applicable)
	company is organized)
4.	November 19, 2004 5, Perpetual
	(Date of Organization) (Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")
6.	
	(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.) (See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F.S. to determine penalty liability)
7.	601 N. Ashley Street, Suite 1200
	Tampa, FL 33602
	(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:
	Manager: Ken Grider, 601 N. Ashley Street, Suite 1200, Tampa, FL 33602
	Manager: Anne Barish, 601 N. Ashley Street, Suite 1200, Tampa, FL 33602
ťh	). Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 days old, duly authenticated by the official having custody of records in c jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photocopy is not acceptable. If the certificate is in a foreign language, a inslation of the certificate under eath of the translator must be submitted.)
1	1. Nature of business or purposes to be conducted or promoted in Florida: Investing in and operating
	businesses. 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.)

Ken Grider

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 Limited Liability Company is:

Equitable Capital Management, LLC

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

Ken Grider

(Name)

601 N. Ashley Street, Suite 1200 Florida Street Address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)

Tampa

FL 33602 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, Florida Statutes.

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- \$ 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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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "EQUITABLE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, 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 TWENTIETH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 2005.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "EQUITABLE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE NINETEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2004.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.



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