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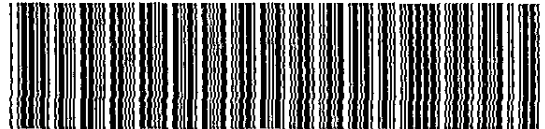
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VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS PRIORITY OVERNIGHT #7913 5872 5478

Glenda E. Hood
Florida Secretary of State
ATTN: Corporations Division
2661 Executive Center Circle
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Re: Application for Authority by a Foreign Limited Liability Company to Transact Business in Florida for JABEZ PARTNERS, LLC, a Wyoming Limited Liability Company

Dear Secretary Hood:

The enclosed Application for Authority by a Foreign Limited Liability Company to Transact Business in Florida for JABEZ PARTNERS, LLC, a Wyoming Limited Liability Company, and a Certificate of Designation of registered Agent/Registered Office are submitted in duplicate for filing. Please file one (1) of each in the records of the office and return the others to us stamped "filed" with the appropriate Certificate of Authority. We have also enclosed a check in the amount of \$140.00 for the Filing Fee, Registered Agent Fee, and your return to us of three (3) original Certificates of Status.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following in the stamped envelope enclosed for your convenience.

**Steven T. Welch
4399 Commons Dr., E, Ste. 300
Destin, Florida 32541**

You may contact me at the above number should you require anything further.

Yours Very Truly,



Steven T. Welch

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Enclosures

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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. Name of foreign limited liability company: Jabez Partners, LLC
2. Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized: State of
Wyoming
3. FEI number, if applicable: 20 - 4223962
4. Date of organization: January 23, 2006
5. Duration: perpetual
(Year limited liability company will cease to exist, or "perpetual")
6. Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration: February 10, 2006 (See
sections 608.501 & 608.502, to determine penalty liability)
7. Street address of principal office: 4399 Commons Dr E Ste 300, Destin, FL 32541
8. This limited liability company is a manager-managed company.
9. The name and usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as
follows:

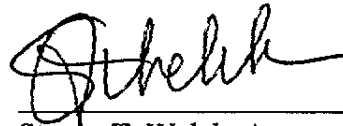
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NAME & ADDRESS:

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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: any and all lawful purposes



Steven T. Welch, Attorney for Company

**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 Jabez Partners, LLC, 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 Jabez Partners, LLC.
2. The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are:
Steven T. Welch
4399 Commons Dr E Ste 300, Destin, FL 32541 (Post office box is NOT acceptable.)

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.



Steven T. Welch
Registered Agent

State of Wyoming

Office of the Secretary of State



United States of America, }
State of Wyoming } ss.

I, JOSEPH B. MEYER, Secretary of State of the State of Wyoming, do hereby certify that JABEZ PARTNERS LLC, A WYOMING CLOSE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, a limited liability company organized under the laws of the State of Wyoming, did on 01/23/2006, file its Articles of Organization in the Office of the Secretary of State of Wyoming, and is in good standing at the date of this certificate.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate is not to be construed as an endorsement, recommendation, or notice of approval of the limited liability company's financial condition or business activities and practices, as this information is not available from the records of this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Wyoming. Done at Cheyenne, the Capital, this 28th day of January A.D., 2006.



Joseph B. Meyer

Secretary of State

By *John Meadows*
