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EXAMINER:

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:

	USA LLC	Poin A
	(Name of Foreign Limite	ed Liability Company)
Delaware		3. 30-0383190
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9/25/06		5 perpetual
(Da	te of Organization)	(Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to rexist or "perpetual")
3/09/07	,	
	(Date first transacted business in (See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F	Florida, if prior to registration.) F.S. to determine penalty liability)
6055 Rockside	Woods Blvd.	
Independence,	OH 44131	
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II limited habi	lity company is a manager-manage	ed company, check here
The name and	usual business addresses of the ma	anaging members or managers are as follows:
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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:

LINDE GAS USA LLC

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

 Corporation Service Company

 (Name)

 1201 Hays Street

 Florida Street Address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)

 Tallahassee

 FL 32301

 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.

Corporation Service Company By: (Signature)

Karen M. Dyer, Assistant Secretary

- \$ 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 "LINDE GAS USA 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 SIXTEENTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2007.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "LINDE GAS USA LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 2006.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL TAXES HAVE NOT BEEN ASSESSED TO DATE.

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Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State AUTHENTICATION: 5511954

DATE: 03-16-07