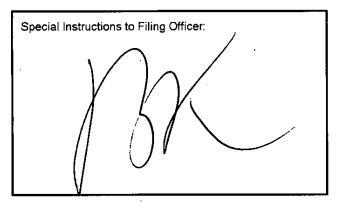
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#### FOREIGN FILINGS

NAME: SUMMIT SECURITIES GROUP LLC

XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: LL)

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CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Harry B. Davis -- EXT# 2926

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 LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA: Summit Securities Group LLC (Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company) 2. Delaware (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability (FEI number, if applicable) January 29, 2007 Perpetual (Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual") (Date of Organization) (Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.) (See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F.S. to determine penalty liability) Suite 23001, 150 East 52nd Street, New York, NY 10022 (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: Summit Research Holdings Inc. 55 Railroad Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830 MEFCO LLC, 17 Pleasant Ridge Road, Harrison, NY 10528 JPA Investments, 24A Long Hill Lane, Chathan, NJ 07928 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: Broker/Dealer 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.)

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 Liz Summit Securities Group	• •
2. The name and the Florida st	reet address of the registered agent and office are:
Corporation	Service Company
	(Name)
1201 Hays S	
Flo	rida 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)

Asst. 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 "SUMMIT SECURITIES GROUP 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. 2007.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "SUMMIT SECURITIES GROUP LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 2007.

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

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Warriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION: 5777641

DATE: 06-20-07