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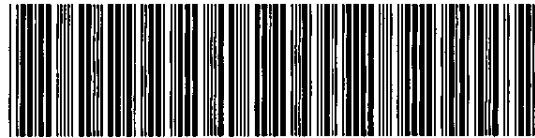
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Division of Corporations

January 15, 2008

DAN SHEPHERD
316 N. MILWAUKEE STREET, STE. 410
MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

SUBJECT: PROFESSIONAL PLACEMENT SERVICES, LLC
Ref. Number: W08000002331

We have received your document for PROFESSIONAL PLACEMENT SERVICES, LLC and your check(s) totaling \$155.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The name of your limited liability company is not available in the state of Florida since it is the same as, or it is not distinguishable from the name of an existing entity on our records. Section 608.406, Florida Statutes, was amended effective July 1, 2007, to require the name of a foreign limited liability company to be distinguishable from the names of all other filings filed with the Division of Corporations, except for fictitious name registrations and general partnership registrations. Therefore, the limited liability company must select an alternate name for use in the state of Florida. Also, please note that adding "of Florida" or "Florida" to the end of the name is not acceptable.

Please insert the alternate name in the space provided on the application form. You must also attach a copy of the written consent of the managers or managing members adopting the alternate name for Florida. For your convenience, we are enclosing a fill-in-the-blank form for you to complete and return to our office for processing.

The alternate name must end with the words "Limited Liability Company," the abbreviation "L.L.C.," or the designation "LLC." The word "Limited" may be abbreviated as "Ltd." and the word "Company" may be abbreviated as "Co." The following suffixes are no longer acceptable limited liability company suffixes in Florida: "Limited Company," "L.C.," and "LC."

The document number of the name conflict is P96000048405.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6967.

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Leslie Sellers
Regulatory Specialist II

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**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO
TRANSACTION BUSINESS IN FLORIDA**

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608.503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACTION BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

1. Professional Placement Services, LLC

(Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company; must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC.")

PPS - Collection Services Division, LLC

(If name unavailable, enter alternate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida and attach a copy of the written consent of the managers or managing members adopting the alternate name. The alternate name must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," "LLC.")

2. Wisconsin

(Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)

3. 39-1931137

(FEI number, if applicable)

4. 05/14/1998

(Date of Organization)

5. Perpetual

(Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. Upon approval

(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.)
(See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F.S. to determine penalty liability)

7. 316 N. Milwaukee Street, Suite 410, Milwaukee, WI 53202

(Street Address of Principal Office)

8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed company, check here ☐

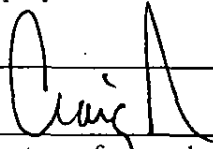
9. The name and usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as follows:

Craig Gerrit Johnson, 316 N. Milwaukee Street, Suite 410, Milwaukee, WI 53202

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: _____

Debt Collection


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.)

Craig Johnson

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:

Professional Placement Services, LLC

If name unavailable, the alternate name to be used in the state of Florida is:

PPS-Collection Services Division, LLC

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

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(Name)

1200 South Pine Island Road

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

Plantation

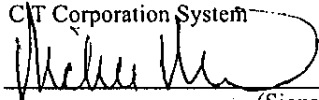
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City/State/Zip

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.

C T Corporation System

By:



(Signature)

Michele Miller
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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**WRITTEN CONSENT TO ADOPT ALTERNATE NAME FOR USE IN THE
STATE OF FLORIDA**

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that we are the Managers and/or Managing

Members of Professional Placement Services, LLC
(Name of Limited Liability Company)

a limited liability company duly organized and existing under the laws of

Wisconsin
(State or Country of Organization)

Because the name of this foreign limited liability company does not satisfy the
requirements of the s. 608.406, F.S., the limited liability company hereby adopts the
following name to transact business in the state of Florida:

PPS - Collection Services Division, LLC
(Name to be used by limited liability company in Florida. NOTE: Name must end with Limited Liability
Company, L.L.C., or LLC.)

Date: 1/22/08

Signature(s) of Manager(s) and/or Managing Member(s):

Craig A

United States of America
State of Wisconsin

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Division of Corporate & Consumer Services



To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

I, RAY ALLEN, Deputy Administrator, Division of Corporate & Consumer Services, Department of Financial Institutions, do hereby certify that

PROFESSIONAL PLACEMENT SERVICES, LLC

is a domestic corporation or a domestic limited liability company organized under the laws of this state and that its date of incorporation or organization is May 14, 1998.

I further certify that said corporation or limited liability company has, within its most recently completed report year, filed an annual report required under ss. 180.1622, 180.1921, 181.1622 or 183.0120 Wis. Stats., and that it has not filed articles of dissolution.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department on December 18, 2007.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Ray Allen".

RAY ALLEN, Deputy Administrator
Division Of Corporate & Consumer Services
Department of Financial Institutions

Effective July 1, 1996, the Department of Financial Institutions assumed the functions previously performed by the Corporations Division of the Secretary of State and is the successor custodian of corporate records formerly held by the Secretary of State.

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