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# APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608503, FLORIDA STATUTES. THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA: Gainesville Renewable Energy Center, LLC (Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company; must include "Limited Liability Company." "L.L.C.," or "L.L.C.") (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. Delaware 26-3206379 (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability ( FE) number, if applicable) company is organized) August 19, 2008 (Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to (Date of Organization) exist or "perpetual") Not yet transacted business (Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.) (See sections 608,501 & 608,502 F.S. to determine penalty liability) e/o Energy Management, Inc., 75 Arlington Street, Suite 704, Boston, MA 02116 (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: Sole Member: American Renewables, LLC, c/o Energy Management, Inc., 75 Arlington St., Suite 704, Boston, MA 02116 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: Development of biomass power plants 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.)

Frank W. German Jr., Manager of American Renewables, LLC, Sole

Typed or printed name of signee

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# CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE CRETARY OF CARLAMASSEE, FLORIDA

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 Com	pany is:		
Gainesville Renewable	Energy Center, LLC			
If name unavailable	e, the alternate name to	be used in the state	of Florida is:	
2. The name and the	ne Florida street address	of the registered ag	gent and office are:	\ \
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itest Bristman President und Assictant Successor	\$ 100.00 \$ 25.00 \$ 30.00 \$ 5.00	Designation of I	Registered Agent optional)	

# Delaware

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### The First State

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "GAINESVILLE RENEWABLE ENERGY CENTER, 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 SEVENTEENTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A.D. 2008.

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: 6918661

DATE: 10-17-08

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