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

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608508, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

| Continental Tire the Americas, LLC     (Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company; must inc.)   | lude "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC.")   |
|---|--|
|   | •  |
| (If name unavailable, enter alternate name adopted for the purp<br>consent of the managers or managing members adopting the alt<br>Company," "L.L.C," "LLC.") | ose of transacting business in Florida and attach a copy of the writt<br>ternate name. The alternate name must include "Limited Liability  |
| 2. Ohio   | 3. 34-1417030  |
| (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)  | (FEI number, if applicable)  |
| 4. 8/22/83  | 5 Perpetual  |
| (Date of Organization)  | (Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual")  |
| 6. Upon Qualification   | • •  |
| (Date first transacted business in FI<br>(See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F.S  | orida, if prior to registration.)<br>I to determine penalty liability)   |
| 7. 1830 MacMillan Park Drive, Fort Mill, SC 29707   | ·  |
|   |  |
| (0,   | AN   |
| (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 man   | aging members or managers are as follows:  |
| SEE ATTACHMENT  |  |
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| O. Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 d  | lays old, duly authenticated by the official having custody of records in  |
| ne jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photocopy  |  |
| anslation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be subo  | mitted)  |
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| 1. Nature of business or purposes to be conducted or  | promoted in Florida:   |
| Tire manufacturer - sales and distribution  |  |
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| Signature of a member or an aud   | horized representative of a member.  |
| (In accommon with section 608.408(3), P.S.  | S., the execution of this document constitutes   |
| an affirmation under the penalties of perjui  | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·  |
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#### Attachment

### Managers

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Dr. Hans-Joachim Nikolin Address: Vahrenwalder Str. 9, D-30165 Hannover, Germany

Matthias Schönberg Address:1830 MacMillan Park Drive, Fort Mill, SC 29707

# 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 o  | f the Limited Liability Company is:   |
|--|---|
| Continental Tire   | the Americas, LLC   |
| If unavailable,  | the alternate to be used in the state of Florida is:                        |
| · .  |   |
| 2. The name at   | nd the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are:       |
|  | C T Corporation System  |
|  | (Name)  |
|  | 1200 South Pins Island Road   |
|  | Florida Street Address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)                            |
|  | Plantation FL 33324   |
| •  | City/State/Zip  |
| liability company<br>agent and agree<br>relating to the pr | 4 11 //   |
| By: Krust  | Kristine Heiberger  |
| . 07   | 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)                                    |

# United States of America State of Ohio Office of the Secretary of State

I, Jennifer Brunner, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign business entities; that said records show CONTINENTAL TIRE THE AMERICAS, LLC, an Ohio For Profit Limited Liability Company, Registration Number 619188, was organized within the State of Ohio on August 22, 1983, is currently in FULL FORCE AND EFFECT upon the records of this office.



Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 2nd day of March, A.D. 2010

Ohio Secretary of State

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