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#### FOREIGN FILINGS

NAME: QUORUM PURCHASING ADVANTAGE,

LLC

XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: LL)

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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: Ouorum Purchasing Advantage, LLC (Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company; must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC.") N/A (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 (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized) 4 March 11, 2010 5 Perpetual (Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to (Date of Organization) exist or "perpetual") 6. upon filing (Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.) (See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F.S. to determine penalty liability) 7. 4000 Meridian Blvd., Franklin, TN 37067 (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: Martin G. Schweinhart, Manager, 4000 Meridian Blvd., Franklin, TN 37067 W. Larry Cash, Manager, 4000 Meridian Blvd., Franklin, TN 37067 Rachel A. Seifert, Manager, 4000 Meridian Blvd., Franklin, TN 37067 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: Group Purchasing Services 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

Robin Keck, Authorized Representative

## 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:

Quorum Pur	chasing Advantage	e, LLC		
If name unava	ilable, the alternate na	ıme to b	be used in the state of Florida is:	
2. The name a	nd the Florida street a	address	of the registered agent and office are:	
	Corporation Serv	vice Co	ompany	
	<u></u>		(Name)	
	1201 Hays Stree	t		
	Florida S	treet Add	ress (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)	•
	Tallahassee		FL 32301	
			City/State/Zip	
liability compa agent and agre relating to the p obligations of n	ny at the place designo e to act in this capacit proper and complete p	ated in th y. I furth erforma ed agent	to accept service of process for the above sta his certificate, I hereby accept the appointm her agree to comply with the provisions of a nice of my duties, and I am familiar with and t as provided for in Chapter 608, Florida Sta Jona L. Priebe, Assistant VP	ent as registered ill statutes I accept the
		100.00	Filing Fee for Application	
	\$ \$	25.00 30.00	Designation of Registered Agent Certified Copy (optional)	
	\$	5.00	Certificate of Status (optional)	

# Delaware

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#### The First State

I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF

DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "QUORUM PURCHASING ADVANTAGE, 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 TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D.

2010.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "QUORUM PURCHASING ADVANTAGE, LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE ELEVENTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2010.

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

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DATE: 03-25-10

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