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TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Plain-English Accounting, LLC

Name of Limited Liability Company

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Limited Liability Company for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida," Certificate of Existence, and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign limited liability company to transact business in Florida..

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Dawn Till

Name of Person

Plain-English Accounting, LLC

Firm/Company

2500 Acton Road

Address

Birmingham, AL 35243

City/State and Zip Code

dawn.till@warrenaverett.com

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Dawn Till

Name of Person

205 769-3403

Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number

MAILING ADDRESS:

Division of Corporations
Registration Section
P.O. Box 6327
Tallahassee, FL 32314

STREET ADDRESS:

Division of Corporations
Registration Section
Clifton Building
2661 Executive Center Circle
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

- ☒ \$125.00 Filing Fee ☐ \$130.00 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status ☐ \$155.00 Filing Fee & Certified Copy ☐ \$160.00 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

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. Plain-English Accounting, LLC

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

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

3. 20-3578241

(FEI number, if applicable)

4. 09/28/2005

(Date of Organization)

5. Perpetual

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

6. January 1, 2010

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

7. 3815 Interstate Court

Montgomery, AL 36109

(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:

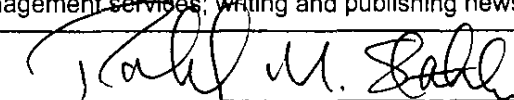
Warren Averett Companies, LLC, 2500 Acton Road, Birmingham, AL 35243

Tom R, LLC 2609 Gulfview Drive, Key West, FL 33040

each company above owns 50% of Plain-English Accounting, LLC

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: professional development training,
consulting, and management services; writing and publishing newsletters and books on accounting subjects.



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. I am aware that any false information submitted in a
document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.)

Richard M. Stabler, Member & VP, Warren Averett Companies, LLC

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 Liability Company is:

Plain-English Accounting, LLC

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

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

Dr. Thomas A. Ratcliffe

(Name)

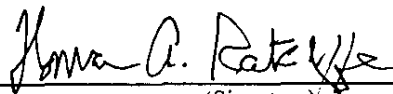
2609 Gulfview Drive

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

Key West, FL 33040

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.



(Signature)

\$ 100.00	Filing Fee for Application
\$ 25.00	Designation of Registered Agent
\$ 30.00	Certified Copy (optional)
\$ 5.00	Certificate of Status (optional)

Jim Bennett
Secretary of State

P.O. Box 5616
Montgomery, AL 36103-5616

STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Jim Bennett, Secretary of State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that

the entity records on file in this office disclose that Plain-English Accounting Limited Liability Company was formed in Montgomery County, Alabama on September 28, 2005. The Alabama Entity Identification number for this entity is 469-595. I further certify that the records do not disclose that said entity has been dissolved, cancelled or terminated.

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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this day.

10/29/2013

Date

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Jim Bennett", is written over a horizontal line.

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Jim Bennett

Secretary of State



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

December 4, 2013

DAWN TILL
2500 ACTON ROAD
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35243

SUBJECT: PLAIN-ENGLISH ACCOUNTING, LLC
Ref. Number: W13000066403

RECEIVED
DEC 30 11:31
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

We have received your document for PLAIN-ENGLISH ACCOUNTING, LLC and your check(s) totaling \$125.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

Pursuant to section 607.1502(4), 617.1502(4) or 608.502(4), Florida Statutes, this office collects a civil penalty of \$1000 for each year this entity transacted business or conducted its affairs in Florida prior to qualification and the appropriate annual report/uniform business report fees that would have been due this office had the entity qualified the year it began operations in this state. The amount due this office to cover both annual report/uniform business report and penalty fees is \$916.25.

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) 245-6051.

Barbara Bostick
Regulatory Specialist II

Letter Number: 513A00027662