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CERTIFIED COPY XX PLAIN STAMPED COPY CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING						
CONTACT PERSON: Courtney Williams EXT# 62935						

EXAMINER:

COVER LETTER

TO: Registration Section Division of Corporations

HFR Research, 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:

John M. Klimek Name of Person HFR Asset Management, LLC 10 S. Riverside Plaza, Suite 700 Address Chicago, IL 60606 City/State and Zip Code dbishton@hfr.com E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

John M. Klimek

Name of Contact Person

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 TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 605.0902, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORE	ID4:	
1 HFR Research, LLC	.,	
(Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company; must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," of	or "LLC.")	_
(If name unavailable, enter alternate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida. The alternate national Liability Company," "L.L.C," or "LLC,")	ame must include "I	Limited
₂ Delaware _{3,} 32-0366033		
(Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized) (FEI number, if applic	able)	—
4 upon qualification	· 50	20
(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.) (See sections 605.0904 & 605.0905, F.S. to determine penalty liability)	177	-
₅ 17001 Collins Avenue, Unit 4305		<u> </u>
<u> </u>		-23
Sunny Isles Beach, FL 33160 (Street Address of Principal Office)	<u> </u>	_372°
6. 17001 Collins Avenue, Unit 4305		₽
Sunny Isles Beach, FL 33160		
(Mailing Address)		
7. The name, title or capacity and address of the person(s) who has/have authority to m	anage is/are:	
Joseph G. Nicholas, Chairman of Hedge Fund Research, Inc., Mana	ging Membe	er .
17001 Collins Avenue, Unit 4305		_
Sunny Isles Beach, FL 33160		_
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8. Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 days old, duly authen having custody of records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A pacceptable. If the certificate is in a foreign language, a translation of the certificate under must be submitted)	hotocopy is not	t
Signature of an authorized person	-	
In accordance with section 605,0203, F.S., the execution of this document constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury un aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provide	that the facts stated he ed for in s.817.155, F.S	rein are true. I i.)
John M. Klimek		

Typed or printed name of signee

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 605.0113 or 605.0902 (1)(d), FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

f unavailable	e, the alternate to be used in	the state of Florida is:	
			Zg.
2. The name	and the Florida street addre	ess of the registered agent and office are:	LARA TA
	Corporation Service Com	pany .	32 32
	12-71-2-11-11	(Name)	다. 구. 연기
	1201 Hays Street		<u> </u>
	Florida Street	Address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)	; rug
	Tallahassee	F) 32301	
		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 605, Florida Statutes.

Corporation Service Company	Courtney Williams
By:	
(Signature)	

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

DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "HFR RESEARCH, 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 FOURTEENTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A.D. 2014.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "HFR RESEARCH, LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2011.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.

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UTHENT'S CATION: 1777781

DATE: 10-14-14

Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State

You may verify this certificate online at corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml