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REFERENCE : 478704 4321703

AUTHORIZATION :

COST LIMIT : \$ 160.00

ORDER DATE : January 26, 2015

ORDER TIME : 9:41 AM

ORDER NO. : 478704-005

CUSTOMER NO: 4321703

FOREIGN FILINGS

NAME: ENVIVA PELLETS COTTONDALE, LLC

XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: LL)

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

XX CERTIFIED COPY
 PLAIN STAMPED COPY
XX CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Courtney Williams -- EXT# 62935

EXAMINER: _____

COVER LETTER

**TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations**

SUBJECT: Enviva Pellets Cottondale, 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:

William H. Schmidt, Jr.

Name of Person

Enviva Pellets Cottondale, LLC

Firm/Company

7200 Wisconsin Ave., Suite 1000

Address

Bethesda, MD 20814

City/State and Zip Code

William.Schmidt@envivabiomass.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

William H. Schmidt, Jr. at (**301**) **657.5560**

Name of Contact Person

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 605.0902, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A
FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACTION BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:*

1. Enviva Pellets Cottondale, 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. The alternate name must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC.")

2. Delaware

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

3. Not available at this time

(FEI number, if applicable)

4. Upon filing of this document

(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.)
(See sections 605.0904 & 605.0905, F.S. to determine penalty liability)

5. 7200 Wisconsin Ave., Suite 1000

Bethesda, MD 20814

(Street Address of Principal Office)

6. 7200 Wisconsin Ave., Suite 1000

Bethesda, MD 20814

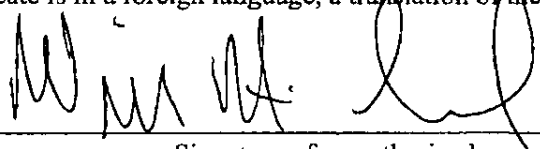
(Mailing Address)

7. The name, title or capacity and address of the person(s) who has/have authority to manage is/are:

William H. Schmidt, Jr., Executive Vice President, General Counsel and
Secretary of Enviva Pellets Cottondale, LLC

7200 Wisconsin Ave., Suite 1000, Bethesda, MD 20814

8. 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)



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 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 8.17.155, F.S.)

William H. Schmidt, Jr.

Typed or printed name of signee

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**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.

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is:

Enviva Pellets Cottondale, 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:

Corporation Service Company

(Name)

1201 Hays Street

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

Tallahassee

32301

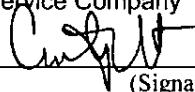
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Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. 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

By:



(Signature)

**Courtney Williams
Asst. Vice President**

\$ 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 "ENVIVA PELLETS COTTONDALE, 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-SIXTH DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 2015.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "ENVIVA PELLETS COTTONDALE, LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 2015.

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

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


Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State
AUTHENTICATION: 2065926

DATE: 01-26-15