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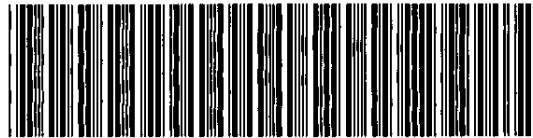
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ACCOUNT NO. : I20000000195

REFERENCE : 185231 7809672

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NAME: NATIONS EQUIPMENT FINANCE  
FUNDING III, LLC

XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: LL)

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

       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**

**SUBJECT:** Nations Equipment Finance Funding III, 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:

Rebecca Chandler

Name of Person

Nations Equipment Finance Funding III, LLC

Firm/Company

501 Merritt Seven, 6th Floor

Address

Norwalk, CT 06851

City/State and Zip Code

rchandler@nationsef.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Jeanne Marie Mazzari

at ( 203 )

229-2234

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

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**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:*

1. Nations Equipment Finance Funding III, LLC  
(Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company; must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC.")

Nations Equipment Finance Funding III, 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 3. 81-1229995  
(Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized) (FEI number, if applicable)

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

5. 501 Merritt Seven, 6th Floor  
Norwalk, CT 06851  
(Street Address of Principal Office)

6. 501 Merritt Seven, 6th Floor  
Norwalk, CT 06851  
(Mailing Address)

7. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box NOT acceptable)

Name: Corporation Service Company  
Office Address: 1201 Hays Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301  
(City) (Zip code)

**Registered agent's acceptance:**

*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 application, 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 relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.*

By: Corporation Service Company  
(Registered agent's signature)

Courtney Williams  
Asst. Vice President

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

Rebecca Chandler 501 Merritt Seven, 6th Floor, Norwalk, CT 06851 (CFO/MEMBER)  
Philip Carlson 501 Merritt Seven, 6th Floor, Norwalk, CT 06851 (CEO/MEMBER)

9. Attached is a 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. (If the certificate is in a foreign language, a translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be submitted)

Rebecca Chandler  
Signature of an authorized person

This document is executed in accordance with section 605.0203 (1) (b), Florida Statutes. 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.

Rebecca Chandler  
Typed or printed name of signee

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "NATIONS EQUIPMENT FINANCE FUNDING III, 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 TWENTIETH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 2016.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "NATIONS EQUIPMENT FINANCE FUNDING III, LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE FIFTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2015.

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

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You may verify this certificate online at [corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml](http://corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml)

  
Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State

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