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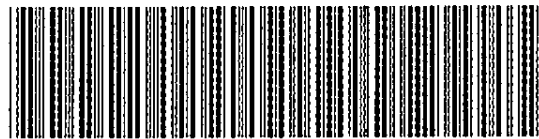
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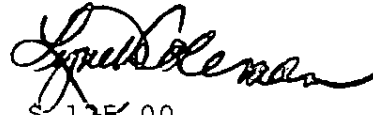
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CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY  
1201 Hays Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32301  
Phone: 850-558-1500

ACCOUNT NO. : I20000000195

REFERENCE : 564347 8139028

AUTHORIZATION :



COST LIMIT : \$ 125.00

ORDER DATE : December 31, 2018

ORDER TIME : 9:51 AM

ORDER NO. : 564347-005

CUSTOMER NO: 8139028

FOREIGN FILINGS

NAME: WHIPPLE & COMPANY, AN ALERA  
GROUP AGENCY, 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: Roxanne Turner -- EXT# 62969

EXAMINER: \_\_\_\_\_

**COVER LETTER**

**TO: Registration Section  
Division of Corporations**

**SUBJECT:** Whipple & Company, an Alera Group Agency, 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:

Peter J. Marathas Jr.

Name of Person

Marathas Barrow Weatherhead & Lent LLP

Firm/Company

One Financial Center, 15th Floor

Address

Boston, MA 02111

City/State and Zip Code

pmarathas@marbarlaw.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Peter J. Marathas Jr.

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at ( )

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 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. Whipple & Company, an Alera Group Agency, 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. (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized)

3. 83-2883094  
(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. 3 Parkway North, Suite 500  
(Street Address of Principal Office)

6. (Mailing Address)

Deerfield, IL

60015

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

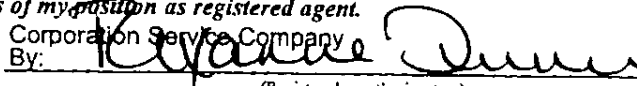
Name: Corporation Service Company

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.

Corporation Service Company  
By: 

(Registered agent's signature)

Roxanne Turner  
Asst. Vice President

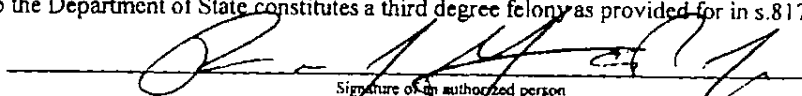
8. The name, title or capacity and address of the person(s) who has/have authority to manage is/are:

Title or Capacity:	Name and Address:	Title or Capacity:	Name and Address:
Sole Member	Alera Group, Inc. 3 Parkway North, Suite 500 Deerfield, IL 60015		

(Use attachments if necessary)

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)

10. 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.

  
Signature of an authorized person

Peter J. Marathas, Jr.

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 "WHIPPLE & COMPANY, AN ALERA GROUP AGENCY, 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 THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2018.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "WHIPPLE & COMPANY, AN ALERA GROUP AGENCY, LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2018.

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



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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JWB", is written over a horizontal line. Below the line, the text "Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State" is printed in a small font.

Authentication: 204207691

Date: 12-31-18