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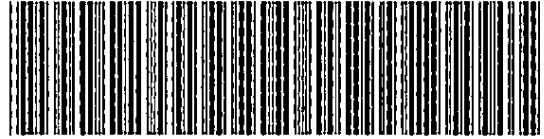
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

March 9, 2022

MICHAEL KAPLANIS  
25 NORTH MAIN AVENUE  
CLEARWATER, FL 33765

SUBJECT: FINANZA ACCEPTANCE LLC  
Ref. Number: W22000030771

We have received your document for FINANZA ACCEPTANCE LLC and check(s) totaling \$155.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

A certificate of existence or a certificate of good standing, dated no more than 90 days prior to the delivery of the application to the Department of State, duly authenticated by the secretary of state or other official having custody of the records in the jurisdiction under the laws of which it is incorporated/organized, must be submitted to this office. A translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be attached to a certificate which is in a language other than the English language. A photocopy of this certificate is not acceptable.

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Suzanne Hawkes  
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TO: Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Finanza Acceptance, 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:

Michael Kaplanis  
Name of Person

Platinum Auto Finance of Tampa Bay LLC  
Firm/Company

25 North Main Avenue  
Address

Clearwater, FL 33765  
City/State and Zip Code

m.kaplanis@platautofinance.com  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Michael Kaplanis at (727) 451-4248  
Name of Contact Person Area Code Daytime Telephone Number

**Mailing Address:**

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

**Street Address:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
The Centre of Tallahassee  
2415 N. Monroe Street, Suite 810  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

Please make check payable to: **FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

☐ \$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. Finanza Acceptance 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. 82-5196937  
(FEI number, if applicable)

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

5. 25 North Main Ave  
(Street Address of Principal Office)

6. 25 North Main Ave  
(Mailing Address)

Clearwater FL 33765

Clearwater FL 33765

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

Name: Michael Kaplanis

Office Address: 25 North Main Ave

Clearwater, Florida 33765  
(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.

Michael Kaplanis  
(Registered agent's signature)

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8. For initial indexing purposes, list names, title or capacity and addresses of the primary members/managers or persons authorized to manage [up to six (6) total]:

<u>Title or Capacity:</u>	<u>Name and Address:</u>	<u>Title or Capacity:</u>	<u>Name and Address:</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Manager	Name: <u>Michael Kaplanis</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Manager	Name: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: <u>25 North Main Ave</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Authorized	<u>Clearwater, FL 33765</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Authorized	_____
Person	_____	Person	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
 <input type="checkbox"/> Manager	Name: _____	 <input type="checkbox"/> Manager	Name: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: _____
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**Important Notice:** Use an attachment to report more than six (6). The attachment will be imaged for reporting purposes only. Non-indexed individuals may be added to the index when filing your Florida Department of State Annual Report form.

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.

Michael Kaplanis  
Signature of an authorized person

Michael Kaplanis  
Typed or printed name of signee

# Delaware

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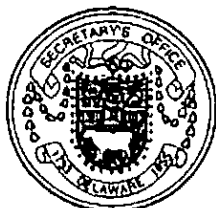
I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT "FINANZA ACCEPTANCE LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE NOT HAVING BEEN CANCELLED OR REVOKED SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW AND IS DULY AUTHORIZED TO TRANSACT BUSINESS.

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN FILED:

CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION, FILED THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2018, AT 2:36 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE IS THE ONLY PAPER OF RECORD, THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY IN QUESTION NOT HAVING FILED AN AMENDMENT NOR HAVING MADE ANY CHANGE WHATSOEVER IN THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE AS FILED.

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)

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

Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State

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