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**TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations**

SUBJECT: FIDUS FUND 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:

JILL EZZI

Name of Person

LEX NOVA LAW, LLC

Firm/Company

10 E. STOW ROAD, SUITE 250

Address

MARLTON, NJ 08053

City/State and Zip Code

jezzi@lexnovallaw.com

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

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For further information concerning this matter, please call:

JILL EZZI

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Name of Contact Person

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

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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. FIDUS FUND III 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 3. 88-1050902
(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. 1209 EDGEWATER DRIVE, SUITE 200 6. 1209 EDGEWATER DRIVE, SUITE 200
(Street Address of Principal Office) (Mailing Address)
ORLANDO, FL 32804 ORLANDO, FL 32804

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

Name: CT CORPORATION SYSTEM
Office Address: 1200 SOUTH PINE ISLAND ROAD
PLANTATION, Florida 33324
(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.

Stephanie Hencz Stephanie Hencz, Assistant Secretary 03/11/2022
(Registered agent's signature)


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: DUSTIN LAUER | <input type="checkbox"/> Manager | Name: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Member | Address: 1209 EDGEWATER DR. | <input type="checkbox"/> Member | Address: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized | SUITE 200 | <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized | _____ |
| Person | EDGEWATER, FL 32804 | 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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| <input type="checkbox"/> Member | Address: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Member | Address: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized | _____ |
| Person | _____ | Person | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

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.

DocuSigned by:

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Signature of an authorized person

DUSTIN LAUER

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 "FIDUS FUND 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 FOURTEENTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2022.

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Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State

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