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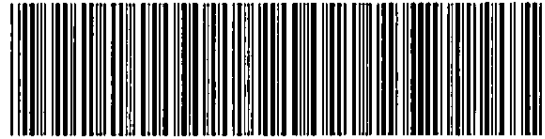
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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

February 20, 2024

STEFAN THORPE  
2101 ENTERPRISE DR NE  
LELAND, NC 28451 US

SUBJECT: BRADFORD AQUATIC GROUP, LLC  
Ref. Number: W24000028242

We have received your document for BRADFORD AQUATIC GROUP, LLC and your check(s) totaling \$125.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(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.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6051.

Andrea Andrews  
Regulatory Specialist II

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### COVER LETTER

**TO: Registration Section  
Division of Corporations**

**SUBJECT:** Bradford Aquatic Group, 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:

Stefan Thorpe

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Person

Bradford Aquatic Group, LLC

\_\_\_\_\_  
Firm/Company

2101 Enterprise Dr NE

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

Leland, NC 28451

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State and Zip Code

sthorpe@bradfordproducts.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Stefan Thorpe

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530-2574

at ( )

\_\_\_\_\_  
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 605.002, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY  
COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:*

1. Bradford Aquatic Group, LLC  
(Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company, must include "Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC")

Bradford Aquatic Group FL, 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. North Carolina 3. 84-2292561  
(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. 2101 Enterprise Dr NE 6. 2101 Enterprise Dr NE  
(Street Address of Principal Office) (Mailing Address)

Leland, NC 28451 Leland, NC 28451

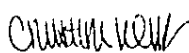
7. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box NOT acceptable)

Name: C T Corporation System  
Office Address: 1200 South Pine Island Road  
Plantation Florida 33324  
(City) (Zip code)

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**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.*



**Christine Kelm  
Assistant Secretary**

(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: Michael Brodeur	<input type="checkbox"/> Manager	Name: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: 7300 Artifact Ct	<input type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Authorized	Wilmington, NC 28411	<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: Shane Repola	<input type="checkbox"/> Manager	Name: _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: 124 Inlet Point	<input type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Authorized	Wilmington, NC 28409	<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: Jonathan Kersey	<input type="checkbox"/> Manager	Name: _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: 7309 Dune Lake Rd SE	<input type="checkbox"/> Member	Address: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Authorized	Moses Lake, WA 98837	<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.

Stefan Thorpe   
Signature of an authorized person

Stefan Thorpe

Typed or printed name of signer



# NORTH CAROLINA

## Department of the Secretary of State

### CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE (Limited Liability Company)

I, ELAINE F. MARSHALL, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that

#### **BRADFORD AQUATIC GROUP, LLC**

is a limited liability company duly formed, and existing under the laws of the State of North Carolina, having been formed on 3rd day of July, 2019

I FURTHER certify that, as of the date of this certificate, (i) the said limited liability company is not dissolved under the terms of its articles of organization, (ii) the said limited liability company's articles of organization are not suspended for failure to comply with the Revenue Act of the State of North Carolina, (iii) that said limited liability company is not administratively dissolved for failure to comply with the provisions of the North Carolina Limited Liability Company Act, (iv) that this office has not filed any decree of judicial dissolution, articles of dissolution, articles of merger, or articles of conversion for said limited liability company.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 16th day of January, 2024.

*Elaine F. Marshall*

Secretary of State



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