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### APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608.503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

(Name of foreign limited liability "L.C." if not so contained in the	ty company must end wit e name at present.)	h the words "limited company" or	their abbreviation
Delaware		3 13-399050	<b>7</b> %
(Jurisdiction under the law of company is organized)	which foreign limited liabi	3. <u>13-399050</u> lity (FEI number, if a	applicable)
December 18, 1997		December 31, 2096	•
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c/o Ripplewood Hol	dings L.L.C., 1	Rockefeller	7 PH 3: 54
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#### AFFIDAVIT OF MEMBERSHIP AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

The undersig	ned member or authorized represe	entative of a member of Asbu	ry
Automotive	Tampa GP L.L.C.	deposes and says	<b>:</b> :
1) the above	named limited liability company has	one at least <u>two</u> members	
2) the total a	mount of cash contributed by the n	nember(s) is \$ 100.00	<u> </u>
3) if any, the \$_00.00	agreed value of property other that	n cash contributed by membe property is attached and made	
4) the total at \$ <u>100-00</u>	mount of cash or property anticipat This total includes amou		per(s) is
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	Signature of a member or authorized (In accordance with section 608,408(3), Fioridal constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of pe	Statutes, the execution of this affidavit	SECRETARY OF STATE ON SINISION OF CORPORATIONS 98 MAY -7 PM 3: 54

Filing Fee: \$52.50 for Affidavit

#### CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 OR 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN DESIGNATING THE REGISTERED OFFICE/REGISTERED AGENT, IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. The name of the limited liability company is: Asbury Automotive				
mpa GP L.L.C.				
The name and address of the registered agent and office is:	DIVING SE			
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c/o C T CORPORATION, 1200 South Pine Island Road, (P.O. Box not secuptable)	-7 PM			
Plantation, Plorida 33324 (City/State/Zip)	3: 54			
	The name and address of the registered agent and office is:  C T CORPORATION SYSTEM (Name)  C/O C T CORPORATION, 1200 South Pine Island Road, (P.O. Box agg acceptable)  Plantation, Plorida 33324			

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

C T CORPORATION SYSTEM

(Signature)
Kim Gilbertson, Assistant Secretary

FILINGFEE: \$ 35 for Designation of Registered Agent

## State of Delaware . Office of the Secretary of State

I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE TAMPA GP L.L.C."

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 SIXTH DAY OF MAY, A.D. 1998.

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

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Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION:

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DATE:

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