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APPLICATION
FOR
REINSTATEMENT



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Glenda E. Hood
Secretary of State
DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS

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SECRETARY OF STATE
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

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1. Corporation Name

POOL LAB INC.

Principal Place of Business

Mailing Address

5416 TWIN CREEKS
VALRICO FL 33594
US

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VALRICO FL 33594
US



If above addresses are incorrect in any way, line through incorrect information and enter correction below.

REINSTATEMENT

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2. New Principal Office Address, If Applicable

3. New Mailing Office Address, If Applicable

4. Date Incorporated or Qualified
To Do Business in Florida

12/02/2002

Suite, Apt. #, etc.

Suite, Apt. #, etc.

5. FEI Number

Applied For

City & State

City & State

14-1859495

Not Applicable

Zip

Country

Zip

Country

33594

USA

6. CERTIFICATE OF STATUS DESIRED ☐

\$8.75 Additional Fee required
for a Certificate of Status

7. Names and Street Addresses of Each Officer and/or Director (Florida nonprofit corporations must list at least 3 directors)

Title(s) 1	Name of Officers and/or Directors 2	Street Address of Each Officer and/or Director 3	City / State / Zip 4
PRES.	CURTIS L. HOLDEN	5416 TWIN CREEKS	VALRICO, FL 33594
V.P.	PAMELA K. HOLDEN	5416 TWIN CREEKS	VALRICO, FL 33594

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8. Name and Address of Current Registered Agent

9. Name and Address of New Registered Agent

HOLDEN, CURTIS L
5416 TWIN CREEKS
VALRICO FL 33594

Name

Street Address (P.O. Box Number is Not Acceptable)

Suite, Apt. #, Etc.

City

State
FL

Zip Code

10. I, being appointed the registered agent of the above named corporation, am familiar with and accept the obligations of Section 607.0505, F.S. or 617.0505, F.S.

Signature of
Registered Agent

C. Holden
REGISTERED AGENT MUST SIGN

Date **10/8/2003**

11. I certify that I am an officer or director or the receiver or trustee empowered to execute this application as provided for in chapter 607 or 617, F.S. I further certify that when filing this reinstatement application, the reason for dissolution has been eliminated, the corporate name satisfies the requirements of section 607.0401 or 617.0401, F.S., that all fees owed by the corporation have been paid and the names of individuals listed on this form do not qualify for an exemption under section 119.07(3)(i), F.S. The information indicated on this application is true and accurate, and my signature shall have the same legal effect as if made under oath.

SIGNATURE:

C. Holden
SIGNATURE AND TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF SIGNING OFFICER OR DIRECTOR

10/8/2003
Date

813295-0001
Daytime Phone #

CR2E040 (7/03)



October 9, 2003

State of Florida Department of State
Glenda H. Hood, Secretary of State
Division Of Corporations
P.O Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Dear Ms. Glenda Hood,

I am writing in regards to a recent Notice of Administrative Dissolution that I received on October, 8, 2003 via first class mail.

Upon receipt of this notice and reading the Important Facts section, I immediately phoned (850) 245-6059 to inquire why this was sent. My belief was that somehow my application must have "crossed in the mail" as suggested in the "important facts" section of your letter. Having mailed my UBR in a timely manner, I wanted to verify the filing as recommended in your letter.

After remaining on "hold" for almost one hour, I was able to speak to the most unbelievably rude and condescending employee I have ever encountered at the state level. I was shocked to say the least at the treatment and explanation given surrounding your notice.

First, your representative stated that there was absolutely no way that I mailed my UBR in a timely manner or they would have it...this never happens.

Secondly, when I questioned him as to why I received notice on October 7, 2003 that my corporation had been dissolved on September 19, 2003, he blamed the postal service for the delay. I then asked why, for a matter of such grave concern and consequences, the State of Florida didn't attempt to call the corporation or serve an intent to dissolve using some form of certified mail to ensure the corporation was notified and could respond before dissolution. He then replied with the following statement:

"In case you haven't heard, the State of Florida is in a huge budget deficit, and the cost associated with your idea of notification is not cost effective, besides the state makes more money from the \$750.00 reinstatement Fee anyway. It's in the states interest to not

to have you renew in a timely manner. And, not only that....it's the law and you simply did not comply so therefore your business has been shutdown."

Needless to say, a logical person would question the state's methodologies. I fully respect and understand the need and legislative requirements or laws that apply to running a corporation in the state of Florida. However, what I cannot accept is the manner in which the state department has carried out the enforcement of those requirements.

The facts and remedies of this matter are as follows:

1. The requirement of submitting the UBR was met on a timely basis by Pool Lab Inc.. Only one notice was received indicating the that the State Department was not in receipt of the UBR.
2. The Application for Reinstatement as been included with a second check for the amount of \$150.00 In the event check number #116 turns up in your mail stream please do not cash.
3. Due the State of Florida's delay in notification prior to the September 19, 2003 Administrative Dissolution date, Pool Lab Inc. has been operating as an illegal corporation unknown to it's ownership. The ramifications of this fact could have far reaching impact on the operation of a small business as follows:
 - a. Insurance coverage for claims that could have taken place during the dissolved period.
 - b. Any "Notice to Owners" filed as required by the State of Florida during this period would technically be void.
 - c. Tax liability issues in regards to sales taxes etc....

Fortunately at this time, Pool Lab Inc. does not foresee any negative situations arising from any of the above. I mention these only illustrate what a reckless policy Administrative Dissolution could be for a small business.

It is with great aggravation that I address this issue with you. In a business climate and economy that presents challenges on a daily basis, this type of situation is the last thing a small business owner needs. As evidenced by the recent media attention given California and the mass exodus of corporations seeking more corporation friendly states, I would like to think your office would be interested in hearing and correcting any shortcomings that are identified by your customers rather than offering up some canned budget deficit excuse.

As you must be aware the simple solution of correcting the budget deficit (as mentioned by your employee) is to create a thriving economy. By being over zealous to dissolve Pool Lab Inc. and others that might share this situation) you are eroding the contribution that small business makes to the Florida economy., I am afraid the stated practice of attempting to make up the deficit by collecting late fees and penalties is suspect at best.

I would encourage your department to adopt a different approach of notifications for the benefit all involved. Based on your employees suggestion, and one in which I encourage you to adopt, all further communications from Pool Lab Inc. to the State Department will sent certified mail return receipt to insure delivery. :

I regret the negative tone of this correspondence, however this matter has caused Pool Lab Inc. nothing but frustration. I look forward to hearing of your intentions on this matter and ask for a speedy decision. Please keep in mind that as of this writing my business has been forced out of business and this not only impacts the economy, but my ability to earn a living and provide for my family.

Thank you for your time. I can be reached at 813-295-0001 concerning this matter.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "C. Holden", written in dark ink.

Curt Holden
President, Pool Lab Inc.

P.S. Please find the attached Application for Reinstatement and a check for the \$150.00 fee.