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PROFIT CORPORATION ANNUAL REPORT <b>1997</b>		FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE <b>Sandra B. North</b> Secretary of State DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS
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**DOCUMENT # P96000089377 (1)**  
 1. Corporation Name  
**FORTE NURSERY, INC.**



Principal Place of Business <b>4001 SMITH RYALS ROAD PLANT CITY FL 33567</b>	Mailing Address <b>4001 SMITH RYALS ROAD PLANT CITY FL 33567-3639</b>
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3. Date Incorporated or Qualified <b>10/25/1996</b>	3a. Date of Last Report
4. FEI Number <b>59-3406787</b>	Applied For Not Applicable
5. Certificate of Status Desired <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$8.75 Additional Fee Required</b>
6. Election Campaign Financing Trust Fund Contribution <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$5.00 May Be Added to Fees</b>
8. This corporation has liability for intangible tax under s. 199.032, Florida Statutes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

21. Principal Place of Business Suite, Apt #, etc.	22. Mailing Address Suite, Apt #, etc.
23. City & State	24. City & State
25. Zip	26. Country
27. Zip	28. Country

**9. Name and Address of Current Registered Agent**  
**FORTE, BENJAMIN**  
**4001 SMITH RYALS ROAD**  
**PLANT CITY FL 33567**

**10. Name and Address of New Registered Agent**

81. Name
82. Street Address (P.O. Box Number is Not Acceptable)
83.
84. City
85. Zip Code

11. Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 607.0502 and 607.1508, Florida Statutes, the above-named corporation submits this statement for the purpose of changing its registered office or registered agent, or both, in the State of Florida. Such change was authorized by the corporation's board of directors. I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with, and accept the obligations of, Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.

SIGNATURE: *Benjamin Forte* DATE: **4-11-97**

Signature typed over name of registered agent and title if applicable. (NOTE: Registered Agent signature required when reinstating)

12. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS		13. ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS IN 12	
TITLE	<b>D</b> <input type="checkbox"/> DELETE	1.1 TITLE	<input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Addition
NAME	<b>FORTE, BENJAMIN</b>	1.2 NAME	
STREET ADDRESS	<b>2109 BERRY ROAD</b>	1.3 STREET ADDRESS	
CITY-ST-ZIP	<b>PLANT CITY FL 33566</b>	1.4 CITY-ST-ZIP	<input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Addition
TITLE	<input type="checkbox"/> DELETE	2.1 TITLE	<input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Addition
NAME		2.2 NAME	
STREET ADDRESS		2.3 STREET ADDRESS	
CITY-ST-ZIP		2.4 CITY-ST-ZIP	<input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Addition
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NAME		4.2 NAME	
STREET ADDRESS		4.3 STREET ADDRESS	
CITY-ST-ZIP		4.4 CITY-ST-ZIP	<input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Addition
TITLE	<input type="checkbox"/> DELETE	5.1 TITLE	<input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Addition
NAME		5.2 NAME	
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STREET ADDRESS		6.3 STREET ADDRESS	
CITY-ST-ZIP		6.4 CITY-ST-ZIP	<input type="checkbox"/> Change <input type="checkbox"/> Addition

14. I do hereby certify that the information supplied with this filing does not qualify for the exemption stated in Section 119.07(3)(i), Florida Statutes. I further certify that the information indicated on this annual report or supplemental annual report is true and accurate and that my signature shall have the same legal effect as if made under oath; that I am an officer or director of the corporation or the receiver or trustee empowered to execute this report as required by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes; and that my name appears in Block 12 or Block 13 if changed, or on an attachment with an address.

SIGNATURE: *Benjamin Forte* DATE: **4-11-97**

Signature AND TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF SIGNING OFFICER OR DIRECTOR Date Daytime Phone #

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