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THE RAYMOND CORP.
17711 W STRACK
SPRING, TX 77379

SUBJECT: THE RAYMOND CORPORATION CONSULTING ENGINEERS
Ref. Number: W01000015842

We have received your document for THE RAYMOND CORPORATION CONSULTING ENGINEERS and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The date first transacted business in Florida within the meaning of s. 607.1501 or 608.501, F.S., must be set forth in section 6 of the application. If the corporation/limited liability company has not yet transacted business in Florida within this meaning, please insert the words "upon qualification" in lieu of a date. (Note: Pursuant to s. 607.1502(4), F.S., this office collects a civil penalty of \$1000 for each year other than the application filing year, that a foreign corporation or limited liability company transacts business in this state without authority along with the past annual report/uniform business report fees due to this office.)

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.

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THE RAYMOND CORP.
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SPRING, TX 77379

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO: Registration Section
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: THE RAYMOND CORPORATION CONSULTING ENGINEERS
(Name of corporation - must include suffix)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign corporation to transact business in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

LINDA STAPLETON
(Name of Person)

THE RAYMOND CORPORATION
(Firm/Company)

~~#~~ 17711 W. STRACK
(Address)

Spring, TX 77379
(City/State and Zip code)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Linda Stapleton at (281) 257 0011
(Name of Person) (Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

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STREET ADDRESS:
Registration Section
Division of Corporations
409 E. Gaines St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399

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

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

- \$70.00 Filing Fee
- \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status
- \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy
- \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. THE RAYMOND CORPORATION, CONSULTING ENGINEERS (Name of corporation; must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)

2. TEXAS (State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) 3. 76-0309935 (FEI number, if applicable)

4. April 30, 1990 (Date of incorporation) 5. Perpetual (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. "upon qualification" (Date first transacted business in Florida. If corporation has not transacted business in Florida, insert "upon qualification.") (SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)

7. 16031 Rudgewick Lane (Principal office address)

Same (Current mailing address)

8. Consulting MEP ENGINEERING (Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)

9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop 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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10. Registered agent's acceptance: Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation 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.

[Handwritten signature]

EA Wallace Assistant Secretary

(Registered agent's signature)

11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated, not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is incorporated.

12. Names and business addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: Billy R. Patterson
Address: 16031 Rudgewick Lane
Spring, TX 77379

Vice Chairman: _____
Address: _____

Director: _____
Address: _____

Director: _____
Address: _____

B. OFFICERS

President: Billy R. Patterson
Address: 16031 Rudgewick Lane
Spring, TX 77379

Vice President: _____
Address: _____

Secretary: _____
Address: _____

Treasurer: _____
Address: _____

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NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

13. Billy R. Patterson PE
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. LINDA STAPLETON Bookkeeper
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

Corporations Section
P.O.Box 13697
Austin, Texas 78711-3697



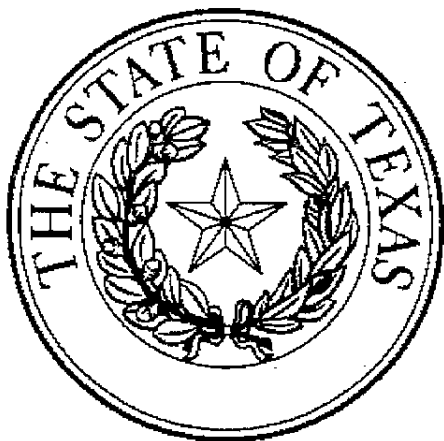
Henry Cuellar
Secretary of State

Office of the Secretary of State

The undersigned, as Secretary of State of Texas, does hereby certify that the document, Articles Of Incorporation for THE RAYMOND CORPORATION, CONSULTING ENGINEERS (filing number: 115143800), a Domestic Business Corporation, was filed in this office on April 30, 1990.

It is further certified that the entity status in Texas is active.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused to be impressed hereon the Seal of State at my office in Austin, Texas on August 06, 2001.



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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Henry Cuellar".

Henry Cuellar
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