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### FOREIGN PROFIT/NONPROFIT CORPORATION

#### Economists Incorporated

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**COVER LETTER**

**TO:** New Filing Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Economists Incorporated

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," or "Certificate of Good Standing" 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:

Lori J. Rodriguez

Name of Person

Economists Incorporated

Firm/Company

2121 K Street, NW - Suite 1100

Address

Washington, DC 20037

City/State and Zip code

rodriguez.l@ei.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Lori J. Rodriguez

Name of Person

at ( 202 ) 223-4700

Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number

**STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:**

New Filing Section  
Division of Corporations  
Clifton Building  
2661 Executive Center Circle  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

**MAILING ADDRESS:**

New Filing 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. Economists Incorporated**

(Enter name of corporation; must include "INCORPORATED," "COMPANY," "CORPORATION," "Inc.," "Co.," "Corp.," "Inc.," "Co.," or "Corp.")

(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)

**2. District of Columbia**

(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)

**3. 52-1203378**

(FE) number, if applicable

**4. 3/1981**

(Date of incorporation)

**5. perpetual**

(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

**6. upon filing**

(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration)  
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)

**7. 2121 K Street, NW - Suite 1100, Washington, DC 20037**

(Principal office address)

(Current mailing address)

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

Name: CT Corporation System

Office Address: 1200 South Pine Island Rd.

Plantation, Florida

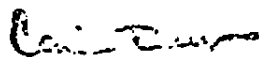
(City)

33324

(Zip code)

**9. 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.*



Carol Brown

(Registered agent's signature)

**10. 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.**

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DIVISION OF CORPORATE REGISTRATION

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

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Vice Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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B. OFFICERS

President: Jonathan L. Walker

Address: 101 Mission Street - Suite 1000  
San Francisco, CA 94105

Vice President: Corporate Vice President/Secretary: David A. Argue

Address: 2121 K Street, NW - Suite 1100  
Washington, DC 20037

Secretary: Corporate Vice President/Treasurer: Matthew B. Wright

Address: 2121 K Street, NW - Suite 1100, Washington, DC 20037

Treasurer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

12. David A. Argue  
Signature of Director or Officer

The officer or director signing this document (and who is listed in number 12 above) affirms that the facts stated herein are true and that he or she is aware that 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.

13. David A. Argue, Corporate Vice President

(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)



Citywide Clean Hands Compliance Status

ECONOMISTS INCORPORATED  
2121 K ST NW STE 1100  
WASHINGTON, DC 20037-1801

As of Monday December 1, 2014 4:03:16 PM  
you are in compliance with the following D.C. Official Code provision:

TITLE 47. TAXATION, LICENSING, PERMITS, ASSESSMENTS AND FEES  
CHAPTER 28. GENERAL LICENSE LAW  
SUBCHAPTER II. CLEAN HANDS BEFORE RECEIVING A LICENSE OR PERMIT  
D.C. Code § 47-2862 (2006)  
§ 47-2862. Prohibition against issuance of license or permit.

(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the District government shall not issue or reissue any license or permit to any applicant for a license or permit if the applicant has failed to file required District tax returns or owes more than \$100 in outstanding debt to the District as a result of:

- (1) Fines, penalties, or interest assessed pursuant to Chapter 8 of Title 8;
- (2) Fines or penalties assessed pursuant to Chapter 9 of Title 8;
- (3) Fines, penalties, or interest assessed pursuant to Chapter 18 of Title 2;
- (4) Past due taxes;
- (5) Past due District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority service fees; or
- (6) Fines or penalties assessed pursuant to Chapter 23 of Title 50.
- (7) Parking fines or penalties assessed by another jurisdiction; provided, that a reciprocity agreement is in effect between the jurisdiction and the District.
- (8) Fines assessed to car dealers pursuant to section 2(i) of the District of Columbia Revenue Act of 1937, approved August 17, 1937 (50 Stat. 679; D.C. Code § 50-1501.02(i)); or
- (9) Repealed.

(b) For purposes of this section, if: (A) the amount of outstanding debt over \$100 is subject to dispute, (B) the applicant has properly and timely appealed the infraction, assessment, tax, or basis for the alleged debt, and (C) the appeal is pending, then the outstanding debt shall not be cause for the District government to deny the issuance or reissuance of any license or permit pursuant to subsection (a) of this section. Nothing in this section shall be construed as allowing the nonpayment of any tax, fee, fine, penalty, or any other debt owed to the District government for which payment is required by other law.

(c) A license or permit shall not be denied pursuant to subsection (a) of this section if the applicant has agreed to a payment schedule to eliminate the outstanding debt, the payment schedule has been agreed to by the District government, the applicant is complying with the payment schedule, and the payment schedule is otherwise permitted by law.

Office of Tax and Revenue Contacts: Rosalyn Lewis - (202) 442-6822  
Bobby Tucker - (202) 442-6621

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**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
CORPORATIONS DIVISION



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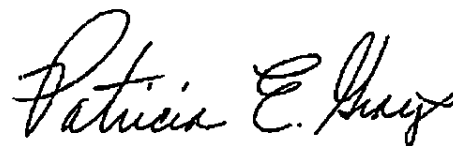
**THIS IS TO CERTIFY** that all applicable provisions of the District of Columbia Business Organizations Code (Title 29) have been complied with and accordingly, this **CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING** is hereby issued to

**ECONOMISTS INCORPORATED**

**WE FURTHER CERTIFY** that the domestic filing entity is formed under the law of the District on 3/2/1981; that all fees, and penalties owed to the District for entity filings collected through the Mayor have been paid and Payment is reflected in the records of the Mayor; The entity's most recent biennial report required by § 29-102.11 has been delivered for filing to the Mayor; and the entity has not been dissolved. This office does not have any information about the entity's business practices and financial standing and this certificate shall not be construed as the entity's endorsement.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this office to be affixed as of 12/1/2014 7:01 PM

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PATRICIA E. GRAYS  
Superintendent of Corporations  
Corporations Division

Vincent C. Gray  
Mayor

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