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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Office of the Secretary of State  
Corporations Division  
148 W. River Street  
Providence, Rhode Island 02904-2615

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**BUSINESS CORPORATION**

**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 7-1.2-1405 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended, the undersigned foreign corporation hereby applies for a Certificate of Authority to transact business in the State of Rhode Island, and for that purpose submits the following statement:

1. The name of the corporation is CSO Architects, Inc.

2. It is incorporated under the laws of Indiana

3. The name, if different, which it elects to use in Rhode Island is:

(a) If the name of the corporation in its jurisdiction of incorporation does not contain the word "corporation," "company," "incorporated," or "limited," or an abbreviation thereof, then list the name of the corporation with the addition of one of the above corporate endings for use in Rhode Island:

(b) If the corporate name is not available in Rhode Island, then set forth below the fictitious name under which the corporation will qualify and transact business in Rhode Island as stated in the "Fictitious Business Name Statement" to be filed with this application:

4. The date of its incorporation is July 1, 1964 and the period of its duration is Perpetual

5. The address of its principal office in the state or country under the laws of which it is incorporated is 280 E. 96th Street, Suite 100, Indianapolis, IN 46240

6. The address of its proposed registered office in Rhode Island is 222 Jefferson Blvd, Ste 2280  
(Street Address, **not** P.O. Box)

Warwick, RI 02888 and the name of its proposed registered agent in Rhode Island is

(City/Town) (Zip Code)  
that address is National Registered Agents, Inc.  
(Name of Agent)

7. The purpose or purposes which it proposes to pursue in the transaction of business in Rhode Island are:

Architectural Design

8. (a) The names and respective addresses of its directors (optional unless directors are required under the laws of the state or country of which it is incorporated).

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Director	_____	_____

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(b) The names and respective addresses of its principal officers (mandatory if directors are not required under the laws of the state or country of which it is incorporated).

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
President	<u>James Schellinger</u>	<u>280 E. 96th Street, Suite 100, Indpls, IN 46240</u>
Vice President	<u>Daniel T. Moriarity</u>	<u>Same as above</u>
Treasurer	<u>Allan Tucker</u>	<u>Same as above</u>
Secretary	<u>John Rigsbee</u>	<u>Same as above</u>

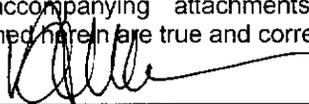
9. The aggregate number of shares which it has authority to issue, itemized by classes, par value of shares, shares without par value, and series, if any, within a class, is:

<u>Number of Shares</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Par Value or Statement that Shares are without Par Value</u>
<u>250,000</u>	<u>Common</u>		<u>\$3.56</u>

10. (a) An estimate of the value of all property to be owned by the corporation for the following year, wherever located, is \$ \$5,849,435.90.
- (b) An estimate of the value of the corporation's property to be located within Rhode Island during the following year is \$ \$0.00.
- (c) An estimate, expressed as a percentage, of the proportion that the estimated value of the property of the corporation to be located within this state during the following year bears to the value of all property of the corporation to be owned during the following year, wherever located, is 0 %. [divide (b) by (a) and multiply by 100 to obtain the percentage].
11. (a) An estimate of the gross amount of business to be transacted by the corporation during the following year is \$ \$26,000,000.
- (b) An estimate of the gross amount of business to be transacted by the corporation at or from places of business in Rhode Island during the following year is \$ 500,000.
- (c) An estimate, expressed as a percentage, of the proportion that the gross amount of business to be transacted by the corporation at or from places of business in this state during the following year bears to the gross amount thereof which will be transacted by the corporation during the following year is 1 % [divide (b) by (a) and multiply by 100 to obtain the percentage].
12. This application is accompanied by a certificate of Good Standing issued by the proper officer of the state or country under the laws of which it is incorporated.
13. This Application for Certificate of Authority shall be effective upon filing unless a specified date is provided which shall be no later than the 90<sup>th</sup> day after the date of this filing \_\_\_\_\_

Under penalty of perjury, I declare and affirm that I have examined this Application for Certificate of Authority, including any accompanying attachments, and that all statements contained herein are true and correct.

Date: April 10, 2008

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Authorized Officer of the Corporation

Daniel T. Moriarity  
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 Type or Print Name of Authorized Officer



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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28 March 2008

CSO ARCHITECTS, INC.  
280 E. 96TH ST., STE 100  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240

Dear Sir/Madam:

Your request for Certificate of Authorization has been reviewed and approved by the Architects Committee (the "Committee") of the Unified Board of the Division of Design Professionals. In accordance with the procedures adopted by this Board, **you are requested to provide the following information.**

The document requested by the Committee is a **CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING**, not Certificate of Authority, issued by the Rhode Island Secretary of State's Office, indicating that at the present time your corporate entity is in good standing insofar as registration procedures required by the Secretary of State's Office. The Committee is requesting that the **original certificate of such notice be provided within 60 days. A copy of this letter must accompany your certificate of authority application, along with the required fee for a certificate of good standing, to the Secretary of State's office.**

You can contact the Secretary of State's Office by calling (401) 222-3040. Ask for corporations and explain you need the necessary papers to become registered in the State of Rhode Island.

**Upon receipt** of this **CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING**, the Committee will issue your Certificate of Authorization. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact this Committee.

**Please be advised that until receipt of this CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING, your application is considered incomplete and you are not authorized to practice architecture in the state of Rhode Island.**

Very truly yours,

ARCHITECTS COMMITTEE

James R. Carlson, NCARB, AIA  
Secretary

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**STATE OF INDIANA  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE**

To Whom These Presents Come, Greetings:

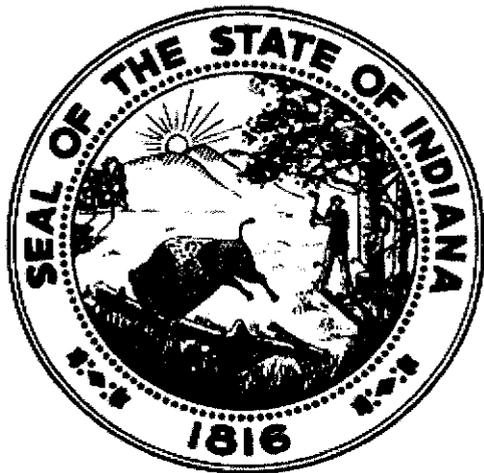
I, TODD ROKITA, Secretary of State of Indiana, do hereby certify that I am, by virtue of the laws of the State of Indiana, the custodian of the corporate records, and proper official to execute this certificate.

I further certify that records of this office disclose that

**CSO ARCHITECTS, INC.**

duly filed the requisite documents to commence business activities under the laws of State of Indiana on July 01, 1964, and was in existence or authorized to transact business in the State of Indiana on April 10, 2008.

I further certify this For-Profit Domestic Corporation has filed its most recent report required by Indiana law with the Secretary of State, or is not yet required to file such report, and that no notice of withdrawal, dissolution or expiration has been filed or taken place.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State of Indiana, at the city of Indianapolis, this Tenth Day of April, 2008.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Todd Rokita".

TODD ROKITA, Secretary of State

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# State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

**A. Ralph Mollis**

*Secretary of State*

## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

I, A. RALPH MOLLIS, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island  
and Providence Plantations, hereby certify that this document, duly  
executed in accordance with the provisions of Title 7 of the General Laws  
of Rhode Island, as amended, has been filed in this office on this day:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "A. Ralph Mollis".

A. RALPH MOLLIS

*Secretary of State*

