



State of Rhode Island  
Department of State - Business Services Division

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### Application for Certificate of Authority

FOREIGN Business Corporation

→ Filing Fee: \$310.00 minimum

Pursuant to the provisions of RIGL 7-1.2-1405, 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:  CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC.		
2. It is incorporated under the laws of:                      Delaware		
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:                      04/08/1987		
And the period of its duration is: <b>CHECK ONE BOX ONLY</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Perpetual (on-going) Date certain for dissolution _____		
5. The address of its principal office is:  2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA, 95134		
6. The name and address of the initial registered agent/office in Rhode Island:		
Agent Name                      C T Corporation System		
Street Address ( <u>NOT</u> a P.O. Box)                      450 Veterans Memorial Parkway, Suite 7A		
City/Town                      East Providence	State                      RHODE ISLAND	Zip Code                      02914

**MAIL TO:**  
Division of Business Services  
148 W. River Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02904-2615  
Phone: (401) 222-3040  
Website: www.sos.ri.gov

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

Computational software for electronic design and system analysis.

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):

NAME	ADDRESS
See attached	

Check the box to indicate an attachment

8. (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):

OFFICE	NAME	ADDRESS
PRESIDENT	See attached.	
VICE PRESIDENT		
TREASURER		
SECRETARY		

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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:

NUMBER OF SHARES	CLASS	SERIES	PAR VALUE OR STATE NO PAR VALUE
600,000,000	Common		0.01000
400,000	Preferred	A. Jr. Part	0.01000

10. An estimate, 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. (Note: Percentage obtained from worksheet.)

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11. An estimate, as a percentage, of the proportion 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 compared to the gross amount thereof which will be transacted by the corporation during the following year. (Note: Percentage obtained from worksheet.)

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**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND - DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**Application for Certificate of Authority**

**Corporation Name:** CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC.

**Question #8(a) and 8(b):** Additional sheet to list names of officers and directors.

<b>Title</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>
Director, President & CEO	Anirudh Devgan	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Sr VP & CFO	John M. Wall	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Sr VP, General Counsel & Secretary	Karna Nisewaner	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Senior Vice President	Chin-Chi Teng	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Senior Vice President	Thomas P. Beckley	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Senior Vice President	Paul Cunningham	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Senior Vice President	Christina R. Jones	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Senior Vice President	Nimish H. Modi	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Treasurer	Charles (Charlie) Eldredge	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Assistant Treasurer	Ann Stewart	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Assistant Secretary	Stephanie Wells	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Director	Mark W. Adams	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Director	Ita Brennan	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Director	Lewis Chew	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Director	ML Krakauer	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Director	Julia Liuson	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Director	James Plummer	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Director	Alberto Luigi Sangiovanni-Vincentelli	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134
Director	Young K. Sohn	2655 Seely Avenue, Bldg. #5, San Jose, CA 95134

12. This application must be accompanied by a Certificate of Good Standing/Letter of Status from the state or country of formation dated within 60 days of the date of this filing.

13. Date when the Certificate of Authority will be effective: **CHECK ONE BOX ONLY**

Date received (Upon filing)

Later effective date (Date must be no more than 90 days from the date of filing) \_\_\_\_\_

14. *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.*

Type or Print Name of Authorized Officer

Stephanie Wells

Date

May 7, 2024

Signature of Authorized Officer of the Corporation

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*Stephanie Wells*  
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If you have any questions, please call us at (401) 222-3040, Monday through Friday, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., or email [corporations@sos.ri.gov](mailto:corporations@sos.ri.gov).

# Delaware

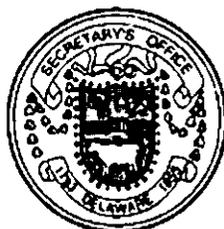
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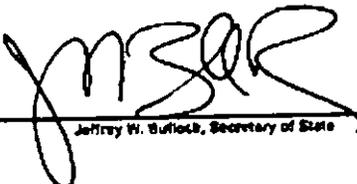
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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "CADENCE DESIGN SYSTEMS, INC." IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF MAY, A.D. 2024.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FRANCHISE TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.



  
Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State

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State of Rhode Island  
**Department of State | Office of the Secretary of State**  
Gregg M. Amore, *Secretary of State*

I, GREGG M. AMORE, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island,  
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:

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gregg M. Amore".

Gregg M. Amore  
*Secretary of State*

