

# State of Idaho

## Department of State

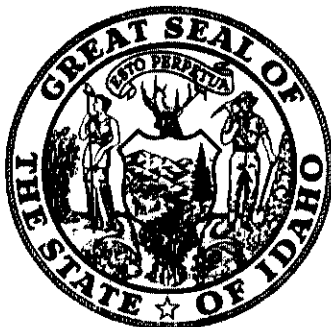
### CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY OF

### NATIONAL CREDIT AUDIT CORPORATION

I, PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that duplicate originals of an Application of NATIONAL CREDIT AUDIT CORPORATION for a Certificate of Authority to transact business in this State, duly signed and verified pursuant to the provisions of the Idaho Business Corporation Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Certificate of Authority to NATIONAL CREDIT AUDIT CORPORATION to transact business in this State under the name NATIONAL CREDIT AUDIT CORPORATION and attach hereto a duplicate original of the Application for such Certificate.

Dated: August 26, 1993



*Pete T. Cenarrusa*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

By

*[Signature]*

# APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

(Profit Corporation)

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To the Secretary of State of Idaho

Pursuant to Section 30-1-110, Idaho Code, the undersigned corporation hereby applies for a Certificate of Authority to transact business in your State, and for that purpose submits the following statement:

1. The name of the corporation is National Credit Audit Corporation
2. The name which it shall use in Idaho is \_\_\_\_\_  
(To be used only when required to avoid a conflict with a name already on file. Must be accompanied by a Board of Directors resolution adopting assumed name in Idaho.)
3. It is incorporated under the laws of Illinois
4. The date of its incorporation is December 31, 1986 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 2400 W. Altorfer Drive, Peoria, IL 61615
6. The address to which correspondence should be addressed, if different from that in item 5.  
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7. The street address of its proposed registered office in Idaho is 3810 McGuire  
Meridian, Idaho 83642, and the name of its proposed registered agent in Idaho at that address is Betty Nichols
8. The purpose or purposes which it is proposed to pursue in the transaction of business in Idaho are:  
To conduct lawful business activity.

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Submit application and certificate of status to:

Office of the Secretary of State  
Division of Corporations  
Statehouse, Room 203  
Boise, Idaho 83720

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9. The names and respective addresses of its directors and officers are:

Name	Office	Address
Thomas Lund	President/Director	8600 N. Industrial, Peoria, IL 61615
Cathy Beers	Sr. Vice President	8600 N. Industrial, Peoria, IL 61615
Charles Burnett	Secretary/Treasurer	8600 N. Industrial, Peoria, IL 61615
William Burkart	Director	8600 N. Industrial, Peoria, IL 61615
David McEldowney	Director	8600 N. Industrial, Peoria, IL 61615

10. The corporation accepts and shall comply with the provisions of the Constitution and the laws of the State of Idaho.

11. This application is accompanied by a Certificate of Corporate Status or Existence, duly authenticated by the proper officer of the state or country under the laws of which it is incorporated.

Dated: June 30, 1993

National Credit Audit Corporation

By Cathy L. Beers VP (Corporation name)  
 and C. Burnett Secretary (please specify)  
 its Secretary/Treasurer (please specify)

STATE OF Illinois )  
 COUNTY OF Peoria ) ss:

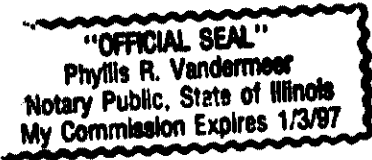
I, Phyllis R. Vandermeer, a notary public, do hereby certify that on

this 30<sup>th</sup> day of June, 19 93, personally appeared before

me Cathy L. Beers & C. Burnett, who being by me first duly sworn, declared that <sup>they</sup> ~~is~~ ~~the~~

<sup>are</sup> ~~is~~ the Vice President & Secretary of National Credit Audit Corporation

that <sup>they</sup> ~~is~~ signed the foregoing documents as their officers of the corporation and that the statements therein contained are true.



Phyllis R. Vandermeer  
 Notary Public



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**Go all to whom these Presents Shall Come, Greeting:**

*I, George H. Ryan, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois,*

*do hereby certify that* NATIONAL CREDIT AUDIT CORPORATION, A DOMESTIC CORPORATION, INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THIS STATE DECEMBER 31, 1986, APPEARS TO HAVE COMPLIED WITH ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THE BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE FILING OF ANNUAL REPORTS AND PAYMENT OF FRANCHISE TAXES, AND AS OF THIS DATE, IS IN GOOD STANDING AS A DOMESTIC CORPORATION IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS\*\*\*\*\*



**In Testimony Whereof,** *I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Illinois this* \_\_\_\_\_ **15TH** \_\_\_\_\_ **93** *day of* \_\_\_\_\_ *A.D., 19* \_\_\_\_\_

*George H Ryan*  
SECRETARY OF STATE