### Instructions for Filing Non-Profit Corporation Statement of Change of Registered Agent

Section 7-6-13 and 7-6-78 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended

The attached form is designed to meet minimal statutory filing requirements pursuant to the relevant statutory provision. This form and the information provided are not substitutes for the advice and services of an attorney and/or tax specialist.

All filings are public records under RIGL 38-2-1, et seq. This means all information is available to the public by a variety of methods including, without limitations, inspections at our office, telephone inquiries and electronically through our online database.

#### This legal document should be typed. All illegible documents will be REJECTED.

### How to complete the form:

- List the entity's ID number. The ID number can be found by looking up your entity in the <u>Corporate Database</u>. Please include this number on your check and refer to it in any future correspondence or filings with the Business Services Division.
- List the name of the corporation. The entity name can be verified through our <u>Corporate Database</u>. If the corporate name has changed, an amendment, form <u>201</u> or form <u>251</u>, must be filed with this office. <u>Electronic filing</u> may be available.
- List the address of the registered office as PRESENTLY shown in the records on file with our office. The entity's registered office can be verified through our <u>Corporate</u> Database.
- List the registered agent as PRESENTLY shown in the records on file with our office. The entity's registered agent can be verified through our <u>Corporate Database</u>.
- List the address of the NEW registered office. A Rhode Island street address is required, NOT a P.O. Box. In addition to all legal service of process, other important correspondence from the state will be sent to this address.
- List the name of the **NEW** registered agent. The registered agent is an individual or entity that will accept all legal service for this entity. The agent must be a Rhode Island resident or entity qualified to do business in the state.
- The address of the corporation's registered office and the address of the office of its registered agent, as changed, will be identical.
- 8. The change was authorized by a resolution duly adopted by its board of directors.
- The President or Vice President of the corporation MUST sign and date the form.

## How to pay the filing fee:

The filing fee is \$10, payable either by mail via check made payable to RI Department of State or in person via cash, credit card, or check at the Business Services Division, 148 W. River Street, Ste. 1, Providence, RI 02904. Contact our office at (401) 222-3040 for further information.

### How to confirm your filing:

Entity records are retrievable and viewable through our website. Successful filings will **NOT** result in a mailed confirmation. Filings that cannot be processed will be posted <u>online</u> and then returned. To confirm your submission and obtain evidence of your filing:

- Go to our Corporate Database
- Enter the name or ID number of your entity and click "Search"
- Click on the link to your entity record, scroll down, select "All Filings" and then "View Filing"
- Identify desired type of filing and click on "PDF" under "View PDF" to view and print the record

# How to maintain your status:

The corporation is responsible for filing an annual report each calendar year, excluding the year of incorporation, between June 1 and June 30. A courtesy reminder will be mailed to the registered agent prior to June 1 of each year. Be sure to follow up with your registered agent concerning filing this report. Failure to file an annual report or maintain a registered agent/office may result in the revocation of the Certificate of Incorporation/Authority pursuant to RIGL 7-6-56 and 7-6-85.

Every entity registered with the Rhode Island Department of State - Business Services Division may have filing requirements with the Rhode Island Division of Taxation, even if no business is conducted within Rhode Island for a particular year. Your business may require additional licensing. Please visit our website for further information.