

CERTIFICATE THAT A PUBLIC COMPANY IS ENTITLED TO DO BUSINESS AND BORROW

No. 3217729

I hereby certify that the provisions of section 117(1) of the Companies Act 1985 have been complied with in relation to

FIRST 2000 PLC

and that the company is entitled to do business and borrow

Given under my hand at Companies House, Cardiff the 20th January 1997

MR. F. A. JOSEPH An Authorised Officer