

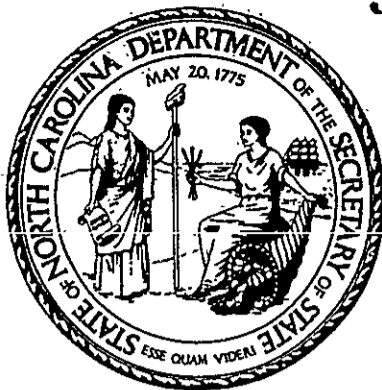


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# State of North Carolina



**Department  
of the  
Secretary of State**

**To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:**

*I, Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached ( 3 sheets) to be a true copy of*

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

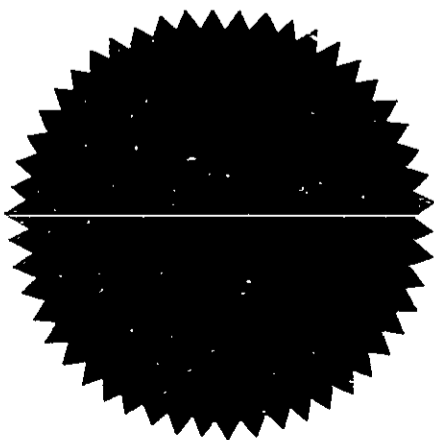
OF

G & G WELDING, INC.

*and the probates thereon, the original of which was filed in this office on the 7th day of October 19 83, after having been found to conform to law.*

**In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal.**

**Done in Office, at Raleigh, this 7th day of October in the year of our Lord 19 83.**



*Thad Eure*  
Secretary of State  
By *[Signature]*  
Deputy Secretary of State

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

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THAD EURE  
SECRET, the undersigned, being a person of full age, do hereby acknowledge these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a business corporation under and by virtue of the State of North Carolina and do hereby set forth:

I.

The name of the corporation shall be G & G WELDING, INC.

II.

The period of duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

III.

The objects for which the corporation is created are as follows:

A. To lease, own, buy, sell, mortgage, manage and otherwise act as agent, trustee, broker, fiduciary and owner of each and every kind of real estate of whatsoever kind and nature for the purpose of engaging in any and all types of commercial, industrial and residential welding.

B. To buy, sell, trade, hold, lease and otherwise deal with real estate for the above said purposes.

C. To build, remodel, renovate, demolish, repair or maintain buildings of any and all kinds and nature for the carrying out of Section A above.

D. In order to prosecute or promote the objects and purposes already or hereinafter implied or expressly set forth, the corporation shall have full power and authority to purchase, lease or otherwise dispose of all kinds of property, both real and personal, both in this state and any other states, territories and dependencies of the United States; to purchase the business, good will and all other property or valuable interests in any individual, firm or corporation as a going concern, and to assume all its debts, contracts, and obligations, provided said corporation can properly do so, under and in connection with the rights and powers herein granted to construct, equip and maintain buildings, manufacturing plants, laboratories, stores, offices, storage houses, warehouses of all kinds, and to operate the same by hand, steam, water, electric or other motive power, and generally to perform all acts which may be deemed necessary or expedient for the proper and successful prosecution of the objects and purposes for which this corporation is created.

E. Furthermore, this corporation shall have the power to buy, sell and hold real property, personal property, capital stock, securities and bonds, and to otherwise do all lawful acts to which the corporation would be entitled.

#### IV.

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 100,000. The designation of each class, number of shares of each class, series, if any, within each class, and the par value, if any, of the shares of each class, or a statement that the shares of any class are without par value, is as follows:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Number of Shares</u>	<u>Par Value Per Share</u>
A	Common	100,000	\$1.00

This corporation shall issue Section 1244 of the Internal Revenue Service Code Stock. Said stock shall be called "Small Business Stock". Said Stock shall be issued within two years from the date of the adoption of these Articles of Incorporation.

The minimum amount of consideration for its shares to be received by the corporation before it shall commence business is \$500.00.

No stockholder shall transfer, alienate, or in any way dispose of any share or shares of stock in this corporation unless such share or shares shall first have been offered for sale to the Corporation. The Corporation reserves and shall have the exclusive right and option to purchase such shares at a price equal to the book value therein within thirty (30) days after receipt of written notice of such offer. After the expiration of such time, the stockholder, if the Corporation shall not have exercised its option to purchase such share or shares, shall be free to transfer, alienate, or otherwise dispose of such share or shares without any restrictions whatsoever.

#### V.

The address of the initial registered office of the corporation, including city and county is 4370 Rockhill Road, Pfafftown, Forsyth County, North Carolina 27040; and the name of the initial registered agent at such address is George Tasedan.

#### VI.

The number of directors of the corporation may be fixed by the bylaws, but shall not be less than 1.

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors shall be two (2), and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first meeting of the shareholders or until their successors are elected and qualified are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
George Tasedan	4370 Rockhill Road Pfafftown, NC 27040
Glenna Jean Tasedan	4370 Rockhill Road Pfafftown, NC 27040

VII.

The name and address of the original incorporator is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
B. G. Martin, Attorney	1979 Beach Street, Suite 16 Winston-Salem, NC 27103

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 30th day of September, 1983.

 (SEAL)  
B. G. Martin

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA      )  
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COUNTY OF FORSYTH            )      ACKNOWLEDGMENT

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that on the 30th day of September, 1983, before me personally appeared B. G. MARTIN, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and after I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 30th day of September, 1983.

(SEAL)      OFFICIAL SEAL  
DOLORES L. BARAUSKAS  
— NOTARY PUBLIC —  
FORSYTH COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA  
My Commission Expires Feb. 11, 1987

My Commission Expires:  
2-11-83

PRESENTED FOR  
REGISTRATION  
AND RECORDED

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EUNICE AYERS  
REGISTERED DEEDS  
FORSYTH COUNTY N.C.

8:50 pm  
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