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Name GNB INDUSTRIAL BATTERY COMPANY

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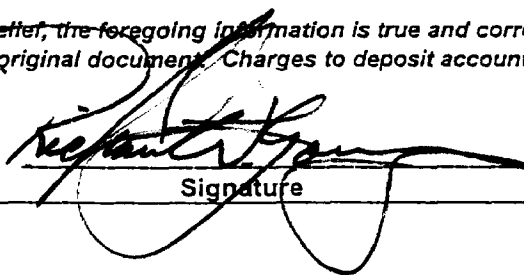
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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP, WHICH MERGES:

"GNB INDUSTRIAL BATTERY COMPANY", A DELAWARE CORPORATION, WITH AND INTO "EXIDE CORPORATION" UNDER THE NAME OF "EXIDE CORPORATION", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 2000, AT 9:02 O'CLOCK A.M.

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Edward J. Freel
Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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**CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER
MERGING**

GNB INDUSTRIAL BATTERY COMPANY
(a Delaware corporation)

WITH AND INTO

EXIDE CORPORATION
(a Delaware corporation)

*In accordance with the provisions of §253 of the
General Corporation Law of the
State of Delaware*

EXIDE CORPORATION, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Corporation"), desiring to merge **GNB INDUSTRIAL BATTERY COMPANY**, a Delaware corporation, with and into itself, pursuant to the provisions of Section 253 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, **DOES HEREBY CERTIFY** as follows:

FIRST: The Corporation is the owner of all of the issued and outstanding shares of capital stock of the following constituent corporation (the "Subsidiary"):

CORPORATION	STATE OF INCORPORATION
GNB INDUSTRIAL BATTERY COMPANY	DELAWARE

SECOND: The Board of Directors of the Corporation, on September 25th, 2000, adopted the resolutions set forth below approving the merger of the Subsidiary with and into the Corporation (the "Merger"):

WHEREAS, the Corporation, as sole stockholder of **GNB Industrial Battery Company**, a Delaware corporation ("GNB Industrial Battery"), deems it advisable and in the best interest of the Corporation that **GNB Industrial Battery** be merged with and into the Corporation.

RESOLVED, that GNB Industrial Battery be so merged with and into the Corporation.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Proper Officers be, and each of them hereby is, authorized and directed to make, execute and acknowledge a certificate of ownership and merger setting forth a copy of the resolutions so to merge said GNB Industrial Battery into the Corporation and to assume the liabilities and obligations of such subsidiary and to file the same in the office of the Secretary of the State of Delaware, and do all acts and make all filings whatsoever as may be necessary and proper to effect the merger.

THIRD: Anything herein or elsewhere to the contrary notwithstanding, the Merger may be amended or terminated and abandoned by the Board of Directors of the Corporation at any time prior to the date of filing the Certificate of Ownership and Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware.

FOURTH: The Merger shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State of Delaware.

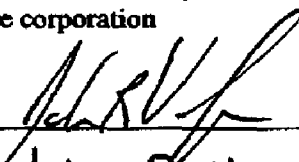
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, for the purpose of effectuating the Merger, pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, under penalties of perjury does hereby declare and certify that this is the act and deed of the Corporation and the facts stated herein are true and accordingly has hereunto signed this Certificate of Ownership and Merger this 29th day of September, 2000.

EXIDE CORPORATION,
a Delaware corporation

By: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____



John R. van Zik

Vice President, General Counsel
and Secretary