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### **COVER LETTER**

TO: Registration Section Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: A & B PIPE AND SUPPLY, INC., LOGO (Mark to be registered)

The enclosed Trademark/Service Mark Application, specimens and fee(s) are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

## Enrique J. Collazo

A & B Pipe and Supply, Inc.

(Firm/Company)

6500 NW 37th Avenue

Miami, FL 33147

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Norma A. Knight
(Name of Person)

#### MAILING ADDRESS:

Registration Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:

Registration Section Division of Corporations Clifton Building 2661 Executive Center Circle Tallahassee, FL 32301

(NOTE: The information contained in this cover letter will be included in the permanent record and will be available to the general public.)



## FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Division of Corporations

July 11, 2017

ENRIQUE J. COLLAZO A & B PIPE AND SUPPLY, INC. 6500 NW 37TH AVENUE MIAMI, FL 33147

SUBJECT: A & B PIPE AND SUPPLY & DESIGN OF TWO WAVES THE LOGO'S (A) BLUE WAVES AND LETTERS WITH WHITE BACKGROUND (B) WHITE WAVES AND LETTERS WITH BLUE BACKGROUND

Ref. Number: W17000057262

We have received your document for A & B PIPE AND SUPPLY & DESIGN OF TWO WAVES THE LOGO'S (A) BLUE WAVES AND LETTERS WITH WHITE BACKGROUND (B) WHITE WAVES AND LETTERS WITH BLUE BACKGROUND and your check(s) totaling \$175.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

You have indicated in number 1(c) of Part I of the application that the owner and applicant of the mark will be a business entity and not an individual. Therefore, you must delete the individual's name listed in number 1(a) of Part I and insert the correct name of the appropriate business entity.

Only one mark can be registered per application. This is a service mark not a trademark, you need to remove what is written in Part I 2(b) and Part I 2.(c) Trademarks. You are a distributor of these products, therefore in Part I 2(a) you need to state what you have in Part I 2.(b) and what you have in Part I 2(c) Trademarks should be in Service marks.

The description of the trademark or service mark, which is listed in Part III, cannot include such terms as and/or, with or without, sometimes includes, may be blue or white in color, etc. If your mark varies in color or individual components, then you must submit a separate application for each version of the mark. Please revise Part III of the enclosed application accordingly.

Class(es) "35" would appear applicable to your specific mark. Please delete the class(es) you have on line 2 (d) and insert the pertinent class(es) "35".

The specimens provided this office are not acceptable; we need three permanent specimens, which may be the same or different. We do not accept camera

ready copies. We do not accept specimens which have been altered or defaced in any manner. In order to register your service mark, we need specimens from which we can determine the services being rendered. We will accept brochures, newspaper, or magazine advertisements, or business cards. If business cards are used, we must be able to determine from the business card the services offered. The mere mark, address, city, etc., on the business card, brochure, or advertisement is not acceptable -- we must be able to look at the specimens provided and be able to determine the services being rendered. We need specimens for each class of registration. We DO NOT accept letterhead, stationery, envelopes, invoices or mailing labels.

Please attach your specimens to a copy of this letter or to your corrected application, if it was returned to you for correction(s), and return it/them to this office for processing.

Pursuant to s. 495.035(5), F.S., this application will be considered abandoned if the applicant fails to reply or resubmit the corrected/amended application within three months from date of this letter.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6051.

Nanette Causseaux
Regulatory Specialist II Supervisor
Letter Number: 717A00013988

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August 14, 2017

Mrs. Nanette Causseaux Regulatory Specialist II Supervisor Florida Department of State **Division of Corporations** Registration Section P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32301

Reference:

A & B Pipe and Supply & Design of Logo document and check

Number:

W 17000057262

Letter Number: 717A00013988

Dear Mrs. Causseaux,

Thank you for your letter dated July 11, 2017 indicating that we needed to change our first application to trademark A & B Pipe and Supply's logo. Based on your instructions we now enclose a new application with the following changes:

- (a) The new application is for a Service mark rather than a Trademark.
- (b) We are applying for only one version of our logo.
- (c) We changed from Classes 6 and 19 to "35 Advertising."
- (d) We are submitting new specimens, i.e., Brochure Folios and 2 business cards as proof of the use of our logo.

In addition, since we originally sent a check for \$175.00 for two versions of our logo design, we now request a refund of \$87.50 because we are applying for one version of our logo.

If there are any problems or questions with our new application, please contact me immediately at 305-389-7473 or my assistant, Norma Knight at 561-886-0320.

Yours truly,

Enfique J. Collazo

CEO, A & B Pipe and Supply, Inc.

/Encls.

## APPLICATION FOR THE REGISTRATION OF A TRADEMARK OR SERVICE MARK PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 495, FLORIDA STATUTES

TO: Division of Corporations Post Office Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

## PART I

L. OWNER/APPLICANT: and/or Service Mark on the				entity to be listed as the ov	vner of t	he Trademark	
(a) Owner's/Applicant	A & B Pipe and Supply, Inc.						
(b) Owner's/Applicant's business address:		A & B Pipe and Supply, Inc.					
(о)		6500 NW 37th Avenue, Miami FL 33147					
If different, Owner's/Applicant's mailing address:		same as above		21 VIC			
(c) Owner's/Applicant's	_	<del></del>	City/S	State/Zip 3	17 AUG 2	CRETAR SION OF C	
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☐ Individual	☑ Corporation		□Joint Venture	Limited Liability Con	npany	H25	
	☐ Limited Partnership		□Union	☐ Limited Liability Con☐ Other:	<u>~</u>		
If the Owner/Applicant is a business entity, the business entity must have an active filing or registration on file with the Florida Department of State. If the Owner/Applicant is <u>not</u> an individual, enter the business entity's Florida registration/document number in #1, the state or country under the laws of which the business entity is currently formed, organized or incorporated under in #2, and the entity's federal employer identification number (EIN) in #3.							
(1) Florida registration/doc	ument number: <u>P94</u>	000084851					
(2) Domicile State or Country: Miami Dade							
(3) Federal Employer Identification Number: 65-0562693							
consider the mark is a very	comark If the mark i	s a service mark	-the applicant/ovener	logan being registered in col must list the specific servic ise painting services, whole ole in the market place, enter	ce(s) the	mark is being	
(Note: List only those serv	ices currently being rend	lered by the owne	er/applicant. Do not	include future services.)			
A & B Pipe and Sup	oply is a South Flo	orida distribu	itor of Pipe, Val	ve, Fittings, Waterw	orks, l	industrial,	
Mechanical, HVAC, and Fire Protection products supplied by various manufacturers.							
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2. (b) <u>TRADEMARK:</u> If the owner/applicant is using the name, logo, design and/or slogan being registered in connection with an actual product manufactured by the owner/applicant or on the owner/applicant's behalf, the mark is a trademark. If the mark is a trademark, the applicant/owner must list the specific product(s) the name, logo, design and/or slogan is being used to identify. For example: ladies sportswear, cat food, barbecue grills, shoe laces, etc. If the owner/applicant is using the name, logo, design and/or slogan to identify goods available in the market place, enter the specific product(s) the name, logo, design and/or slogan is being used to identify:
(Note: List only those product(s) currently available. Do not include future products.)
2. (c) HOW IS THE NAME, LOGO, DESIGN AND/OR SLOGAN CURRENTLY USED:
SERVICE MARKS: If the name, logo, design and/or slogan are/is being used in connection with a type of service, you must specify the form(s)/mean(s) of advertisement the applicant/owner is using to advertise the services to the general public. For example: newspaper advertisements, business cards, brochures, flyers, pamphlets, menus, etc. If the mark is being used in connection with a type of service, state how the name, logo, design and/or slogan are/is being used in advertising here:
A & B Pipe and Supply, Inc., is a distributor of Pipe, Valve, Fittings and Waterworks products
Our company logo is used, (but not limited to) on our company website, business cards,
social media, brochures, newsletters, stationery, email, etc.
TRADEMARKS: If the name, logo, design and/or slogan are/is being used to identify a product manufactured by or fore the applicant/owner, you must specify how the mark is applied or affixed to the actual product or its packaging. For example: a tag, label, imprinted or engraved on the actual product, etc. If the mark is being used in connection with a specific product, state how the name, logo, design and/or slogan is applied or affixed to the actual product(s) or the packaging:
2. (d) <u>FEE(S) AND CLASS(ES)</u> : There are a total of 45 classes or categories in which all products or services must be categorized. The fee to register a mark is \$87.50 per class. Make check payable to Florida Department of State.
List the class(es) which apply to the product(s) and/or service(s) listed in 2(a) and/or 2(b) above:
Class 35 - Advertising

#### PART II

1. You must state the date the name, logo, design and/or slogan was first used in the state of Florida, and, if it was used in another state or

country, the date you first used the name, logo, design and/or slogan in the other state or country. Enter the month, day, and year the name, logo, design and/or slogan was first used by the applicant/owner, the predecessor, or a related company in Florida. If the name, logo, design and/or slogan has been used in another state or country, then you must also enter the month, day, and year the name, logo, design and/or slogan was/were used in another state or country, when applicable. Note: The Florida Statutes require a mark to be in use prior to registration. (a) Date first used in other state or country, if applicable: (b) Date first used in Florida: January 15, 2017 PART III ENTER NAME, LOGO, DESIGN AND/OR SLOGAN BEING REGISTERED: 1. Enter the name, a brief description of the logo or design, and/or the slogan you are registering. The description of the logo and/or design must be 25 words or less. List the exact name, slogan, and/or description of the logo/design here: (NOTE: The name, logo, design and/or slogan listed in this section must match the exact name, logo, design and/or slogan listed on your specimens or examples.) Two blue waves and blue letters "AB" inside a blue box, and blue letters "Pipe and Supply" underneath box. Provide the English translation of any and all terms listed #1 above, when applicable: 2. DISCLAIMER STATEMENT (if applicable): Your mark may include a word or design that is commonly used by others. Commonly used terms or designs must be disclaimed. When you disclaim a specific term or design, you are acknowledging this term is commonly used by others and that you do not claim the exclusive right to use the disclaimed term or design. All geographical terms and representations of cities, states or countries must be disclaimed (i.e., Miami, Orlando, Florida, the design of the state of Florida, the design of the United States of America, etc.). Corporate suffixes and terms readily associated with the specific product(s) and/or(s) service being provided must also be disclaimed. Enter all terms listed in #1 above which require a disclaimer in the space provided below:

"APART FROM THE MARK AS SHOWN.

NO CLAIM IS MADE TO THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO USE THE TERM(S)" Pipe and Supply"

3. ATTACH OR INCLUDE THREE SPECIMENS OR EXAMPLES OF THE TRADEMARK OR SERVICE MARK BEING REGISTERED

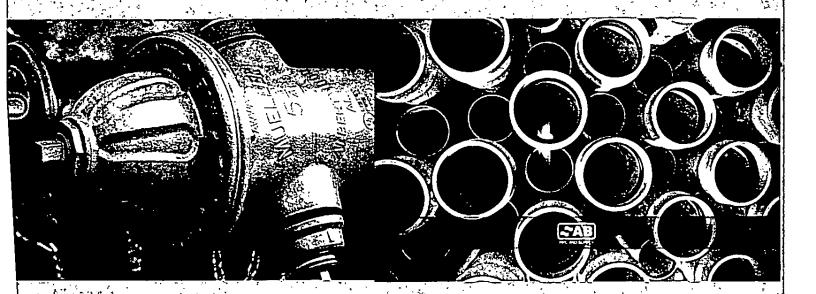
Chapter 495, F.S., requires you to submit three specimens (samples or examples) of the mark in use. You must submit three specimens FOR EACH CLASS listed in Part 1 #2(d). The name, logo, design and/or slogan on the specimens must be identical to the name, logo, design and/or slogan being registered. You may provide three identical specimens or three different specimens. For each service mark class (classes 35-45), you may provide three newspaper advertisements, business cards, brochures, flyers, or any combination thereof. For each trademark class (classes 1-34), you may provide three tags, labels, boxes, etc. or any combination thereof. Photographs of bulky specimens are acceptable if the mark being registered and the good(s) or product(s) are clearly legible.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT/OWN	ER AND NOTARIZATION:	
except a related company has registere thereof or in such near resemblance as cause mistake or to deceive. I make t	being sworn, depose an on behalf of the owner and applicant herein, and to d this mark in this state or has the right to use such to be likely, when applied to the goods or services his affidavit and verification on my/the applicant's ents thereof and that the facts stated herein are true	mark in Florida either in the identical form of such other person to cause confusion, to behalf. I further acknowledge that I have
	Enrique J. Collazo	
	Typed or printed name of applicant	
·	Applicant's signature (List name and title)	
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