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Amendment Section
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RE: Avid Solutions, Inc.

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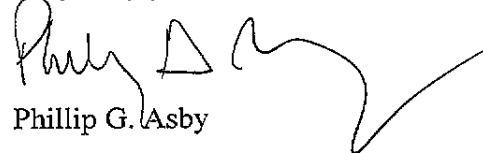
Dear Sir or Madame:

Please find enclosed the amendment to the authorization to transact business in Florida, changing the name of Carolina Instrumentation Company to Avid Solutions, Inc. to be filed with your office.

In addition, I would like to request a Certificate of Status for Carolina Instrumentation Company, currently changed to Avid Solutions, Inc.

If you should have any questions, please contact me directly. I appreciate your assistance in handling these matters for my client. With best regards, I am

Very truly yours,


Phillip G. Asby

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PROFIT CORPORATION
APPLICATION BY FOREIGN PROFIT CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO
APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA
(Pursuant to s. 607.1504, F.S.)

SECTION I
(1-3 MUST BE COMPLETED)

1. CAROLINA INSTRUMENTATION COMPANY
Name of corporation as it appears on the records of the Department of State.
2. NORTH CAROLINA 3. 7/07/2000
Incorporated under laws of Date authorized to do business in Florida

SECTION II
(4-7 COMPLETE ONLY THE APPLICABLE CHANGES)

4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was the change effected under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation? 8/08/2000
5. AVID SOLUTIONS, INC.
Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation" "company" or "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation.
6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration.

N/A
New Duration

7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction.

N/A
New Jurisdiction


Signature

Harold L. Robinson
Typed or printed name

12-14-00
Date

President
Title

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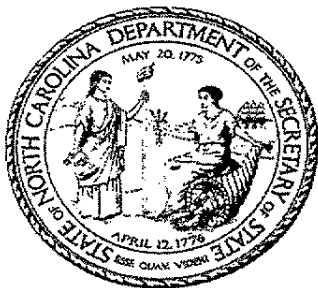
Department of The Secretary of State

To all whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, **ELAINE F. MARSHALL**, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached to be a true copy of

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
OF
AVID SOLUTIONS, INC.

the original of which is now on file and a matter of record in this office.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed my official seal at the
City of Raleigh, this 19th day of December, 2000.

Elaine F. Marshall
Secretary of State

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Elaine F. Marshall
North Carolina Secretary of State

**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
BUSINESS CORPORATION**

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Pursuant to §55-10-06 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation hereby submits the following Articles of Amendment for the purpose of amending its Articles of Incorporation.

1. The name of the corporation is CAROLINA INSTRUMENTATION COMPANY, INC.
2. The text of each amendment adopted is as follows:

Article I of the Articles of Incorporation of the corporation shall be deleted in its entirety, and the following shall be substituted therefor:

- I. The name of the corporation is AVID SOLUTIONS, INC.
3. No exchange, reclassification, or cancellation of issued shares will be effected.
4. The amendment was adopted on July 31, 2000.
5. The amendment was approved by shareholder action, and such shareholder approval was obtained as required by Chapter 55 of the North Carolina General Statutes.
6. These articles will be effective upon filing.

This the 31ST day of JULY, 2000.

CAROLINA INSTRUMENTATION COMPANY, INC.


By: HAROLD L. ROBINSON, PRESIDENT

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