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# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Katherine Harris Secretary of State

January 30, 2001

CT SYSTEM ATTN: LME

SUBJECT: NICHOLAS GRIMSHAW AND PARTNERS USA LIMITED

Ref. Number: W01000002169

We have received your document for NICHOLAS GRIMSHAW AND PARTNERS USA LIMITED and your check(s) totaling \$70.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The use of LIMITED or LTD. is not acceptable as a corporate suffix. The name must include a word such as INCORPORATED, INC., CORPORATION, CORP., COMPANY, or CO.

We have retained the fictitious name application and payment you submitted and will forward it once this filing is completed.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6958.

Hi! Corporate Suffix added. Please backdate and proceed with fictitions name filing

Lee Rivers Document Specialist

Letter Number: 701A00005444

Division of Corporations - P.O. BOX 6327 -Tallahassee, Florida 32314

## APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

1. N	icholas	Grimshaw	and Partner	s USA Limi	ted Inc.			
(Name of corporation; must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or								
words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a								
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design	ated in this	application	, I hereby accept	the appointm	ent as register	red agent and agi	ree to act in this ca	pacity. I
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11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated, not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is incorporated.

#### 12. Names and business addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTO	RS	
Chairman:	Nicholas Grimshaw	
Address:	1 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square	
	London, England WIP 6LR	
Vixexenanan:	David Harriss	
Address:	1 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square	
	London, England W1P 6LR	
Director:	Neven Sider	
Address:	1 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square	
	London, England WIP 6LR	
Director:	Christopher Nash	Andrew Whalley
Address:	1 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square	1Conway St., Fitzroy Square
	London, England WIP 6LR	London, England W1P, 6LR
B. OFFICERS		TAL.
President:	Nicholas Grimshaw	LAHA T
Address:	1 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square	<i>်</i> ဂ္
	London, England W1P 6LR	
Vice President:	•	DRATE 53
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Secretary:	David Harriss	
Address:	1 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square	
Treasurer:	London, England W1P 6LR	
Address:		
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NOTE: If nece	essary, you may attach an addendum to the application listi	ing additional officers and/or directors.
13.	(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer lis	sted in number 12 of the application)
14.	A 1 11 77 Division	
*	(Typed or printed name and canacity of person si	oning annication)

#### **PURPOSE**

The objects of the Company are:

- To carry on the business of architects and planning consultants in at its (A) branches and to provide create establish and maintain a service and an organization for and to act as specialists and maintain a service and an organization for and to act as specialists in planning and preparing designs drawings surveys plans models and the like; to maintain an organization for the provisions of a drawing office and design service to engineers builders contractors and others; to supply staff and personnel of every kind to act as advisers on all matters relating to the planning specification estimating reporting alternative methods of layout and other building problems and to collect and disseminate information and data of all kinds; to advise on possible systems and layouts and to supply estimates as to costs; to supply specifications; to carry out surveys; to obtain tenders and quotations; to draw up contracts; to obtain and place orders for the erection of buildings factories and works and for the supply of all machinery fittings plant and other requisites in relation to the erection and maintenance thereof; to make applications for planning permission council approval licenses and the like and for financial assistance and grants in respect of building projects and to undertake supervision for building contracts.
  - (ii) To institute enter into carry on assist and participate in financial promoting dealing and other business works contracts or operations of all kinds; to invest or procure the investment in and to deal and operate in and with rights securities stocks shares debentures bonds articles and things of all kind and to undertake secretarial work and to supply or lend assistance or accommodation to or do any act or thing or companies professional or business men or otherwise upon such terms as may be thought fit.
- (B) To carry on any other trade or business which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the objects specified in Sub-Clause (A) hereof or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the property or rights of the Company.
- (C) To purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire and hold for any estate or interest any lands, buildings, easements, rights, privileges, concessions, patents, rights, licenses, secret processes, machinery, plant, stock-in-trade, and any real or personal property of any kind necessary or convenient for the purpose of or in connection with the Company's business or any branch or department thereof.
- (D) To erect, construct, lay down, enlarge, alter and maintain any roads, railways, tramways, sidings, bridges, reservoirs, shops, stores, factories, buildings, works, plant and machinery necessary or convenient for the Company's business, and to contribute to or subsidize the erection, construction and maintenance of any of the above.

- (E) To borrow or raise or secure the payment of money in such manner as the Company shall think fit for the purposes of or in connection with the Company's business, and for the purposes of or in connection with the Company's business, and for the purpose of or in connection with the borrowing or raising of money to the Company to become a member of any building society.
- (F) For the purposes of or in connection with the business of the Company to mortgage and charge the undertaking and all or any of the real and personal property and assets, present and future, and all or any of the uncalled capital for the time being of the Company, and to issue at par or at a premium or discount, and for such consideration and with and subject to such rights, powers, privileges and conditions as may be thought fit, debentures or debenture stock either permanent or redeemable or repayable, and collaterally or further to secure any securities of the Company by a trust deed or other assurances. To issue and deposit any securities which the Company has power to issue by way of mortgage to secure any sum less than the nominal amount of such securities, and also by way of security for the performance of any contracts or obligations of the company or of its customers or other persons or corporations having dealings with the Company, or in whose businesses or undertakings the Company is interested, whether directly or indirectly.
- (G) To receive money on deposit or loan upon such terms as the Company may approve
- either with or without the Company receiving any consideration or advantage, direct of indirect, for giving any such guarantee, and whether or not such guarantee is given in connection without pursuant to the attainment of the objects herein stated to guarantee either by personal compant or by mortgaging or charging all or any part of the undertaking, property and assets present and future and uncalled capital of the Company or by both such methods, the performance of the obligations and the payment of the capital or principal (together with any premium) of and dividends or interest on any debenture, stocks, shares or other securities of any company, firm or person and in particular (but without limiting the generality of the foregoing) any company which is for the time being the Company's Holding or Subsidiary company or otherwise associated with the Company in business.
- (I) To establish and maintain or procure the establishment and maintenance of any non-contributory or contributory pension or superannuation funds for the benefit of, and give or procure the giving of donations, gratuities, pension, allowances, or emoluments to any persons who are or were at any time in the employment or service of the Company, or of any company which is for the time being the Company's Holding or Subsidiary company or otherwise associated with the Company in business or who are or were at any time Directors or officers of the Company or of any such other company as aforesaid, and the wives, widows, families and dependents of any such persons, and also to establish and subsidize or subscribe to any institutions, associations, clubs or funds calculated to be for the benefit of or to advance the interests and well-bing of the Company or of any such other company as aforesaid, or of any such persons as aforesaid, and to make payments for or towards the insurance of any such

persons as aforesaid, and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects or for any exhibition or for any public, general or useful object; and to establish, set up, support and maintain share purchases schemes or profit sharing schemes for the benefit of any employees of the Company, or of any company which is for the time being the Company's Holding or Subsidiary company and to do any of the matters aforesaid either alone or in conjunction with any such other company as aforesaid.

- (J) To draw, make, accept, endorse, negotiate, discount and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments.
- (K) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required for the purposes of its business in or upon such investments or securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (L) To pay for any property or rights acquired by the Company, either in cash or fally or partly paid-up shares, with or without preferred or deferred or special rights or restrictions in company has power to issue, or partly in one mode and partly in another, and generally on such terms as the Company may determine.
- (M) To accept payment for any property or rights sold or otherwise disposed of or deal with by the Company, either in cash, by installments or otherwise, or in fully or partly paid-up shares of any company or corporation, with or without deferred or preferred or special rights or restrictions in respect of dividend, repayment of capital, voting or otherwise, or in debentures or mortgage debentures or debenture stock, mortgages or other securities of any company or corporation, or partly in one mode and partly in another, and generally on such terms as the Company may determine, and to hold, dispose of or otherwise deal with any shares, stock or securities so acquired.
- (N) To enter into any partnership or joint-purse arrangement or arrangement for sharing profits, union of interest or co-operation with any company, firm or person carrying on or proposing to carry on any business within the objects of this Company, and to acquire and hold, sell, deal with or dispose of shares, stock or securities of any such company, and to guarantee the contracts or liabilities of, or the payment of the dividends, interest or capital of any shares, stock or securities of and to subsidize or otherwise assist any such company.
- (O) To establish or promote or concur in establishing or promoting any other company whose objects shall include the acquisition and taking over of all or any of the assets and liabilities of this Company or the promotion of which shall be in any manner calculated to advance directly or indirectly the objects or interests of this company, and to acquire and hold or dispose of shares, stock or securities and guarantee the payment of dividends, interest or capital of any shares, stock or securities issued by or any other obligations of any such company.

- (P) To purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property, assets, liabilities and transactions of any person, firm or company carrying on any business which this Company is authorized to carry on or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of the Company, or which can be carried on in conjunction therewith or which is capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company.
- (Q) To sell, improve, manage, develop, turn to account, exchange, let on rent, grant royalty, share of profits or otherwise, grant licenses, easements and other rights in or over, and in any other manner deal with or dispose of the undertaking and all or any of the property and assets for the time being of the Company for such consideration as the Company may think fit.
- (R) To amalgamate with any other company whose objects are or include object similar to those of this Company, whether by sale or purchase (for fully or partly paid-up shares or otherwise) of the undertaking, subject to the liabilities of this or any such other company as aforesaid, with or without winding up, or by sale or purchase (for fully or partly paid-up shares or otherwise) of all or a controlling interest in the shares for stock of this or any such other company as aforesaid, or by partnership, or any arrangement of the nature of partnership, or in any other manner.
- (S) To subscribe for, purchase or otherwise acquire, and hold shares, stock, debentures or other securities of any other company.
- (T) To distribute among the members in specie any property of the Company, or any proceeds of sale or disposal of any property of the Company, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made except with the sanction (if any) for the time being required by law.
- (U) To give such financial assistance directly or indirectly for the purpose of the acquisition of shares in the Company or the company's Holding company or for the purpose of reducing or discharging any liability incurred by any person for the purpose of the acquisition of shares in the Company or the Company's Holding company as may be lawful.
- (V) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world, and either as principals, agents, trustees, contractors or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and either by or through agents, trustees, sub-contractors or otherwise.
- (W) To do all such things as are incidental or conducive to the above objects or any of them.

#### ACCEPTANCE OF AGENT

C T Corporation System, hereby accepts the appointment as registered agent and office for Nicholas Grimshaw and Partners USA Limited in the state of Florida and hereby agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of duties in this regard and is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position as registered agent.

Dated:

November 20, 2000

C T CORPORATION SYSTEM

Jonathan L. Miles Assistant Secretary

SECRLIARY OF STATE AHASSEE FLORIDA



## **THE COMPANIES ACT 1985**

### Company No. 4023186

The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that

NICHOLAS GRIMSHAW AND PARTNERS USA LIMITED was incorporated under the Companies Act 1985 as a limited company on 23rd June 2000.

According to the documents on the file of the company in the custody of the Registrar of Companies, the company has been in continuous and unbroken existence since the date of its incorporation.

No action is currently being taken by the Registrar of Companies for striking the company off the register and dissolving it as defunct, and as far as the Registrar is aware:-

- a) the company is not in liquidation or subject to an administration order, and
- b) no receiver or manager of the company's property has been appointed.

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Given at Companies House, Cardiff the 21st November 2000

MS J. LUKER

for the Registrar of Companies

