
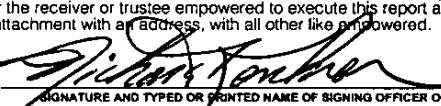


2006 FOR PROFIT CORPORATION ANNUAL REPORT

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DOCUMENT # F01000006234 1. Entity Name THE ESAB GROUP, INC.					
Principal Place of Business 411 SOUTH EBENEZER ROAD FLORENCE, SC 29501			Mailing Address PO BOX 100545 FLORENCE, SC 29501-0545		
2. Principal Place of Business		3. Mailing Address			
Suite, Apt. #, etc.		Suite, Apt. #, etc.			
City & State		City & State			
Zip	Country	Zip	Country		
4. FEI Number 84-0966648			Applied For <input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable		
5. Certificate of Status Desired <input type="checkbox"/>			\$8.75 Additional Fee Required		
6. Name and Address of Current Registered Agent			7. Name and Address of New Registered Agent		
C T CORPORATION SYSTEM 1200 SOUTH PINE ISLAND ROAD PLANTATION, FL 33324			Name Street Address (P.O. Box Number is Not Acceptable) City FL Zip Code		
8. The above named entity submits this statement for the purpose of changing its registered office or registered agent, or both, in the State of Florida. I am familiar with, and accept the obligations of registered agent.					
SIGNATURE _____ (NOTE: Registered Agent signature required when reinstating) DATE _____					
FILE NOW!!! FEE IS \$150.00 After May 1, 2006 Fee will be \$550.00		9. Election Campaign Financing Trust Fund Contribution. <input type="checkbox"/>		\$5.00 May Be Added to Fees	
10. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS			11. ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS IN 11		
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12. I hereby certify that the information supplied with this filing does not qualify for the exemptions contained in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. I further certify that the information indicated on this report or supplemental report is true and accurate and that my signature shall have the same legal effect as if made under oath; that I am an officer or director of the corporation or the receiver or trustee empowered to execute this report as required by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes; and that my name appears in Block 10 or Block 11 if changed, or on an attachment with an address, with all other like empowered.					
SIGNATURE: 		RICHARD KERSHNER Date		843-669-4411 Daytime Phone #	

ATTACHMENT

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**THE ESAB GROUP, INC.
CORPORATE OFFICERS & DIRECTORS**

DIRECTORS

NAME	ADDRESS
THOMAS A. BLANCHARD	801 WILSON AVENUE; HANOVER, PA 17331-7948
DAVID P. MURPHY	801 WILSON AVENUE; HANOVER, PA 17331-7948
DELBERT H. TANNER	3575 PIEDMONT RD, 15 PIEDMONT CTR., STE L120; ATLANT
BRENDAN COLGAN	3575 PIEDMONT RD, 15 PIEDMONT CTR., STE L120; ATLANT

OFFICERS

PRESIDENT & CEO	THOMAS A. BLANCHARD	801 WILSON AVENUE; HANOVER, PA 17331-7948
SECRETARY	RICHARD KERSHNER	411 S. EBENEZER ROAD; FLORENCE, SC 29501-7916
TREASURER	RICHARD KERSHNER	411 S. EBENEZER ROAD; FLORENCE, SC 29501-7916
SR. VICE PRESIDENT OF FINANCE	DAVID P. MURPHY	801 WILSON AVENUE; HANOVER, PA 17331-7948
SR. VICE PRESIDENT FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND STRATEGIC PLANNING	RICHARD J. POWELL	411 S. EBENEZER ROAD; FLORENCE, SC 29501-7916
SR. VICE PRES - EQUIPMENT, CUTTING MACHINES AND SIP	JEFF HOFFART	411 S. EBENEZER ROAD; FLORENCE, SC 29501-7916
ASSISTANT SECRETARY	NEIL C. SCHEMM	3575 PIEDMONT RD, 15 PIEDMONT CTR., STE L120; ATLANT
ASSISTANT TREASURER	JILL D. HEIDEN	411 S. EBENEZER ROAD; FLORENCE, SC 29501-7916