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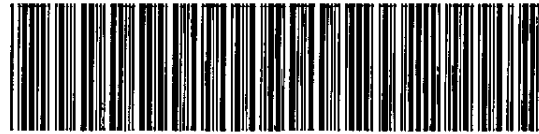
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## COVER LETTER

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Vanguard Piping Systems, Inc.  
(Name of corporation - must include suffix)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida," "Certificate of Existence," and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign corporation to transact business in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

Nathan Spearman

(Name of Person)

Vanguard Piping Systems, Inc.

(Firm/Company)

901 N. Vanguard St.

(Address)

McPherson, KS 67460-3112

(City/State and Zip code)

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For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Nathan Spearman

(Name of Person)

at ( 620 ) 241-6369

(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)

**STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:**

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

**MAILING ADDRESS:**

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

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

- ☒ \$70.00 Filing Fee    ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status    ☐ \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy    ☐ \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy

**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. Vanguard Piping Systems, Inc.

(Enter name of corporation; must include "INCORPORATED," "COMPANY," "CORPORATION,"  
"Inc.," "Co.," "Corp.," "Inc.," "Co.," or "Corp.")

(If name unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida)

2. Kansas

(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated)

3. 48-1169299

(FEI number, if applicable)

4. 12-17-1976

(Date of incorporation)

5. Perpetual

(Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. 1/1/2004

(Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration)  
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501 & 607.1502, F.S., to determine penalty liability)

7. 901 N. Vanguard St.

(Principal office address)

901 N. Vanguard St.

(Current mailing address)

8. Manufacture of plastic pipe

(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)

9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box NOT acceptable)

Name: Judy Rump

Office Address: 118 Oregon Ave

St. Cloud

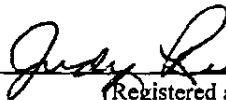
(City)

, Florida 34769

(Zip code)

10. Registered agent's acceptance:

*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this application, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.*



(Registered agent's signature)

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:

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**A. DIRECTORS**

Chairman: See attached list

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Vice Chairman: See attached list

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: See attached list

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: See attached list

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. OFFICERS**

President: See attached list

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Vice President: See attached list

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary: See attached list

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Treasurer: See attached list

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

13. Nathan J. Spearman, CPA  
(Signature of Director or Officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Nathan Spearman, Treasurer  
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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**Vanguard Piping Systems, Inc.**

**Officers:**

John Fraser, President  
133 W. Northview  
McPherson, KS 67460

Dinah L. Swinehart, Secretary  
43 Newpoint Rd.  
Beaufort, SC 29906

Nathan Spearman, Treasurer  
405 Foxborough  
McPherson, KS 67460

**Directors:**

W. Keith Swinehart, Sr.  
15 Ocean Point  
Hilton Head, SC 29928

Don C. Leggitt, Sr.  
603 Admiral Benbow Lane  
McQueen, TX 78123

Don Leggitt, Jr.  
22285 Waterford Drive  
New Braunfels, TX

W. Keith Swinehart, II  
1016 Heatherwood  
McPherson, KS 67460

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**STATE OF KANSAS  
OFFICE OF  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
RON THORNBURGH**

*To all to whom these presents shall come, Greetings:*

I, RON THORNBURGH, Secretary of State of the state of Kansas,  
do hereby certify that, according to the records of this office,

VANGUARD PIPING SYSTEMS, INC.  
KANSAS FOR PROFIT CORPORATION  
Business Entity ID Number: 2265353

was filed in this office on June 07, 1995 and has complied with the applicable  
provisions of the laws of the State of Kansas and on this date is in good  
standing and authorized to transact business or to conduct its affairs within  
this state.

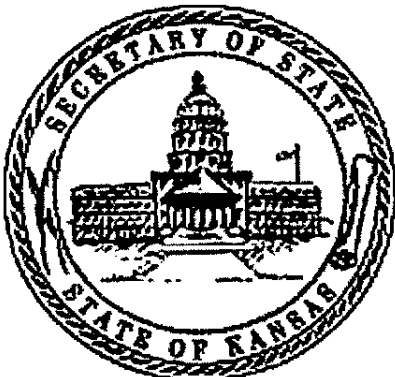
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Signed:

RON THORNBURGH  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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