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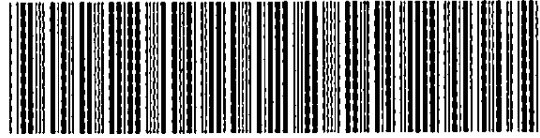
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CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY  
1201 Hays Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32301  
Phone: 850-558-1500

ACCOUNT NO. : I20000000195

REFERENCE : 695745 4352435

AUTHORIZATION :



COST LIMIT : \$ 70.00

ORDER DATE : March 8, 2021

ORDER TIME : 10:53 AM

ORDER NO. : 695745-005

CUSTOMER NO: 4352435

FOREIGN FILINGS

NAME: VEECO PROCESS EQUIPMENT INC.

XXXX QUALIFICATION (TYPE: CO)

PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING AS PROOF OF FILING:

       CERTIFIED COPY  
XX        PLAIN STAMPED COPY  
       CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Alexxis Weiland -- EXT# 61592

EXAMINER: \_\_\_\_\_

## COVER LETTER

**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Veeco Process Equipment 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," or "Certificate of Good Standing" 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:

Maggie Akerley

Name of Person

Veeco Instruments Inc.

Firm/Company

1 Terminal Drive

Address

Plainview, NY 11803

City/State and Zip code

makerley@veeco.com

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Maggie Akerley at (516) 818-4772

Name of Person	Area Code	Daytime Telephone Number
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**STREET/COURIER ADDRESS:**

Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
The Centre of Tallahassee  
2415 N. Monroe Street, Suite 810  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

**MAILING ADDRESS:**

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

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

Please make check payable to: **FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

- ☐ \$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. Veeco Process Equipment 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. Delaware 3. \_\_\_\_\_  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. 11/24/2004 5. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date of incorporation) (Date of duration, if other than perpetual)

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

7. 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
(Principal office street address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Current mailing address, if different)

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

Name: Corporation Service Company

Office Address: 1201 Hays Street

Tallahassee, Florida 32301  
(City) (Zip code)

**9. 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.*

Corporation Service Company

By: \_\_\_\_\_

(Registered agent's signature)

  
Amanda E. Blum, Assistant Vice President

10. 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.

11. For initial indexing purposes, list names, titles and addresses of the primary officers and/or directors [up to six (6) total]:

**A. DIRECTORS**

☐ Chairman Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: c/o Veeco Instruments Inc. 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
☒ Director William J. Miller  
☒ President 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: c/o Veeco Instruments Inc. 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
☒ Director John P. Kiernan  
☐ President 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
☒ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☒ Treasurer  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Gary W. Reifert  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: c/o Veeco Instruments Inc. 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
☐ Director 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☒ Other Ass't Treasurer ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: Kirk W. Mackey  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: c/o Veeco Instruments Inc. 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
☐ Director 1 Terminal Drive, Plainview, NY 11803  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Director \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Chairman Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice Chairman Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Director \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Vice President \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Secretary ☐ Treasurer  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Important Notice:** Use an attachment to report more than six (6). The attachment will be imaged for reporting purposes only. Non-indexed individuals may be added to the index when filing your Florida Department of State Annual Report form.

12. \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Director or Officer

The officer or director signing this document (and who is listed in number 11 above) affirms that the facts stated herein are true and that he or she is aware that false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

13. Kirk W. Mackey, Secretary

(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "VEECO PROCESS EQUIPMENT INC." IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE EIGHTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2021.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "VEECO PROCESS EQUIPMENT INC." WAS INCORPORATED ON THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2004.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FRANCHISE TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JB", is written over a horizontal line. Below the line, the text "Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State" is printed.

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You may verify this certificate online at [corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml](http://corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml)

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