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February 14, 2000

Shelton Davis
United Welding Services, Inc.
606 Industrial Park Drive
Perry, FL 32347

Re: Articles of Amendment

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Dear Shelton,

Please find enclosed the Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of United Welding Services, Inc.

Please note that the Articles of Amendment must be filed with the Secretary of State along with a filing fee of \$35.00.

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed, please contact my office.

Sincerely,
Gregory S. Parker

By: *Charlie Williams*
Lydia "Charlie" Williams

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encl.

Amend

T. LEWIS JUN 19 2000

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
TO
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
UNITED WELDING SERVICES, INC.**

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Pursuant to the provisions of section 607.1006, Florida Statue, this corporation adopts the following article of amendment to its articles of incorporation:

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted: ARTICLE IV is amended as follows:

CAPITAL STOCK

The number of authorized shares of common stock is reduced by 10 shares. The corporation is now authorized to issue ninety (90) shares of stock at ten dollar (\$10.00) par value common stock.

SECOND: The provisions for implementing the amendment are as follows:

a. The number of shares canceled, itemized by classes and series, is as follows:

Number of Shares	Class	Series (if any)
10	COMMON	N/A

b. The number of shares which the corporation has authority to issue, itemized by classes and series, after giving effect to the cancellation, is as follows:

Number of Shares	Class	Series (if any)
90	COMMON	N/A

c. The amount of the stated capital of the corporation, after giving effect to such cancellation, is \$76,313.00.

THIRD: The date of the amendment's adoption: June 24, 1999

FOURTH: Adoption of Amendment was made at a meeting of the shareholders of the corporation on the 24th Day of June, 1999.

a. The number of shares of the corporation outstanding at the time of adoption was 6; and the number of shares entitled to vote on the amendments was 6.

b. The number of shares voted for the amendment was 6; and the number of shares voted against the amendment was 0

INWITNESS WHEREOF, we, the undersigned, have executed these Articles of

Amendment on _____


JIMMY GIDDENS, President

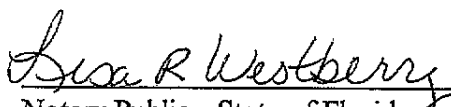

SHELTON DAVIS, Secretary/Treasurer


LARRY K. JONES, Chief Executive Officer

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF TAYLOR.

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on this 5th day of April, 2000 by JIMMY GIDDENS, SHELTON DAVIS and LARRY KENNY JONES, President, Secretary/Treasurer, and Chief Executive Officer, respectively, of United Welding Services, Inc., a Florida Corporation, on behalf of the Corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I here sign and set my seal


Notary Public - State of Florida

X Personally Known OR _____ Produced Identification.

Type of Identification Produced _____
Notary Public - State of Florida

My commission expires on 8-23-2002



Lisa R. Westberry
MY COMMISSION # CC769795 EXPIRES
August 23, 2002
BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.