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Jerry Kronenberg Vice President -- General Counsel (901) 537-8827 Thomes & Betts Corporation 1555 Lynnfield Rond Memphis, TN 38119 (901) 682-7766

### Thomas&Betts

### CONSENT TO USE OF NAME

Thomas & Betts Corporation, a New Jersey corporation, hereby consents to the use of the name Thomas & Betts by Thomas & Betts Corporation, a Tennessee corporation.

Thomas & Betts Corporation, a New Jersey corporation

Jerry Kronenberg Vice President-General Counsel

Dated: May 2, 1996

I, Ann R. Carlisle, a Notary Public in and of the State of Tennessee, County of Shelby, hereby certify that the foregoing was signed by Jerry Kronenberg, who is personally known to me to be the Vice President-General Counsel of Thomas & Betts Corporation.

Ann P Carliele

Dated: May 2, 1996

My Commission Expires Jan. 14, 1998

## : "APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION 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.	THOMAS & BETTS CORPORATION (Name of corporation: must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATED abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)	TION' of a no	", or words or olural person
2,	Tenneagee 3. 22-13269 (State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number 1)		applicable)
4.	(Date of incorporation)  5. Perpetual (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist	it or "	perpetual")
6.	Upon Qualification (Date first transacted business in Flonda. (See sections 607,1501, 607,1502, and 817,156, F.S.	5.))	
7.	1555 Lynnfield Road, Memphis, Tennessee 38119	<del></del>	
	(Current mailing address)	—	
8.	Manufacture of connectors and components for electrical and electron (Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in the state of Florida)	<u>ic m</u>	arketa
9.	Name and street address of Florida registered agent:	96 SEP	SECRE
	Name: <u>C T Corporation System</u> c/o C T Corporation System, 1200 South Pine  Office Address: <u>Island Road</u>	င်	FARY OF CC
	Office Address: <u>Island Road</u> , Florida, <u>33324</u> (Zip Code)	PH 4: 30	ED OF STATE DRFORATION
Ha de fur	Registered agent acceptance: aving been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated consignated in this application. I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to atther agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete perfect that agree is a registered agent.	act in	this capacity. I
	C T Corporation System  (Registered agent's signature) (Officer)		
(F)	L-2189-11/16/94) Tohn Thinhan Asst Vice Hesident (Type Name and Title of Officer)		

- 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 addresses of officers and/or directors:

A.	DIRECTORS
	Chairman: Soo attached list of directors
	Address:
	Vice Chairman: see attached list of directors
	Address:
	Director: see attached list of directors
	Address:
	Director:
	Address:
В.	OFFICERS
	President: See attached list of officers
	Address:
	Vice President:
	Address:
	Secretary:
	Address:

Treasurer:	
Address: _	
NOTE: If necessary, you and/or directors.	u may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers
13. Janee 11. (Signature of Chairma application)	. Way an, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the
14. Janice B. Way. Secr	ne and capacity of person signing application)

### Thomas & Detts Corporation

Business Address: 1555 Lynnfield Road Memphis, TN 38119

<b>OFFI</b>	CERS	:
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Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

President and Chief Operating Officer

President-Electronics/OEM Division

President-Special Markets Division

President-Thomas & Betts Europe

President-Utility Division

President-Mechanical Products Division

President-Electrical Components Division

Vice President-Controller

Vice President-Finance and Treasurer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

Vice President-General Counsel

Vice President-Administration

Vice President-Operations

Corporate Secretary

### **DIRECTORS:**

Raymond B. Carey, Jr. Ernest H. Drew
T. Kevin Dunnigan
Jeananne K. Hauswald
Thomas W. Jones
Robert A. Kenkel

T. Kevin Dunnigan

Clyde R. Moore

T. Roy Burton

William A. Fredrick

Uberto Gamaggio

Gregory M. Langston

Dick R. McCullough

W. Neil Parker

John R. Janulis

Fred R. Jones

Jerry Kronenberg

David D. Myler

Gary R. Stevenson

Janice H. Way

Kenneth R. Masterson Clyde R. Moore J. David Parkinson Jean-Paul Richard Ian M. Ross William H. Waltrip Secretary of State
Corporations Section
James K. Polk Building, Sulte 1800
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0306

ISSUANCE DATE: 08/27/1996 REQUEST NUMBER: 96240118 TELEPHONE CONTACT: (615) 741-6488

CHARTER/QUALIFICATION DATE: 02/21/1996 STATUS: ACTIVE CONFORATE EXPIRATION DATE: PERPETUAL CONTROL NUMBER: 0307723 JURISDICTION: TENNESSEE

TO: CAPITAL FILING SERVICE, INC. 7051 HWY 70 SO #333 NASHVILLE, TN 37221 REQUESTED BY: CAPITAL FILING SERVICE, INC. 7051 HWY 70 SO #333 NASHVILLE, TN 37221

#### CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

I, RILEY C DARNELL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT
"THOMAS & BETTS CORPORATION"

IS A CORPORATION DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAW OF THIS STATE WITH DATE OF INCORPORATION AND DURATION AS GI/EN ABOVE, THAT ALL FEES, TAXES, AND PENALTIES OWED TO THIS STATE WHICH AFFECT THE EXISTENCE OF THE CORPORATION HAVE BEEN PAID, THAT ARTICLES OF DISSOLUTION HAVE NOT BEEN FILED, AND THAT ARTICLES OF TERMINATION OF CORPORATE EXISTENCE HAVE NOT BEEN FILED

SECRETARY OF STATE
DIVISION OF CARPORATIONS

FOR: REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE

FROM: CAPITAL FILING SERVICE, INC. 7051 HWY 70 S #333

NASHVILLE, TN 37221-0000

ON DATE: 08/27/96

RECEIVED:

FEES \$170.00

\$170.00

TOTAL PAYMENT RECEIVED:

\$340.00

RECEIPT NUMBER: 00002002426 ACCOUNT NUMBER: 00101230



RILEY C. DARNELL SECRETARY OF STATE

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