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#### VIA US MAIL

August 18, 2009

Florida Department of State Division of Corporations Amendment Section P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314 Herbert Hoffman Vice President and General Counsel herbert hoffman@elster.com

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RE: American Meter Company

Application by Foreign Profit Corporation to File Amendment to Application for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida

To the Business Services Division,

Enclosed please find an Application by Foreign Profit Corporation to File Amendment to Application for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida, a Certificate of Amendment evidencing the name change from American Meter Company to Elster American Meter Company, a Certificate of Good Standing/Certificate of Existence and a check for \$43.75.

Should you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Herbert E. Hoffman

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Secretary, Elster American Meter Company

### **COVER LETTER**

TO: Amendment Section Division of Corporations	
SUBJECT: Ameri	can Meter Company
	e of Corporation
DOCUMENT NUMBER: F98000006502	
The enclosed Amendment and fee are sub	mitted for filing.
Please return all correspondence concernie	ng this matter to the following:
Valerie Lubar Name of Contact Person	
Elster Group c/o Elster American Me	eter Company
2 West Liberty Blvd., Suite Address	180
Malvern, PA 19355 City/State and Zip Code	
Valerie.Lubar@elster.com	
E-mail address: (to be used for future and	nual report notification)
For further information concerning this ma	atter, please call:
Valerie Lubar Name of Contact Person	at (610) 993 2614  Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number
Enclosed is a check for the following amo	ount:
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Mailing Address: Amendment Section Division of Corporations P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314	Street Address: Amendment Section Division of Corporations Clifton Building 2661 Executive Center Circle Tallahassee, El. 32301

# PROFIT CORPORATION APPLICATION BY FOREIGN PROFIT CORPORATION TO FILE AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA.

(Pursuant to s. 607.1504, F.S.)

## SECTION I (1-3 MUST BE COMPLETED) F98000006502 (Document number of corporation (if known) American Meter Company (Name of corporation as it appears on the records of the Department of State) November 30, 1998 (Date authorized to do business in Florida) Delaware (Incorporated under laws of) **SECTION II** (4-7 COMPLETE ONLY THE APPLICABLE CHANGES) 4. If the amendment changes the name of the corporation, when was the change effected under the laws of December 13, 2006 its jurisdiction of incorporation? Elster American Meter Company (Name of corporation after the amendment, adding suffix "corporation," "company," or "incorporated," or appropriate abbreviation, if not contained in new name of the corporation) (If new name is unavailable in Florida, enter alternate corporate name adopted for the purpose of transacting business in Florida) 6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration. (New duration) 7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of incorporation, indicate new jurisdiction. (New jurisdiction) 8. Attached is a certificate or document of similar import, evidencing the amendment, authenticated not more than 90 days prior to delivery of the application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the laws of which it is incorporated. (Signature of a director, president or other officer - if in the hands of a receiver or other court appointed fiduciary, by that fiduciary)

Secretary

(Title of person signing)

Herbert E. Hoffman

(Typed or printed name of person signing)

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### The First State

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF "AMERICAN METER COMPANY", CHANGING ITS NAME FROM "AMERICAN METER COMPANY" TO "ELSTER AMERICAN METER COMPANY", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2006, AT 4:36 O'CLOCK P.M.

A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.



Harrlet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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#### CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

OF

#### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

OF

#### AMERICAN METER COMPANY

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American Meter Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as amended (the "Corporation"),

DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST: That by Unanimous Written Consent in Lieu of Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Corporation resolutions were duly adopted in accordance with Section 141(f) of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as amended, setting forth a proposed amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation. The resolution setting forth the proposed amendment is as follows:

RESOLVED, that the name of the Corporation shall hereby be changed to the following:

#### Eister American Meter Company

SECOND: That said amendment was duly adopted by the sole stockholder of the Corporation by an Action by Written Consent of the Sole Shareholder in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as amended.

THIRD: That said amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the provisions of Section 242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as amended,

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said American Meter Company has caused this certificate to be to be signed this 11 day of December, 2006.

AMERICAN METER COMPANY

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF

DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "ELSTER AMERICAN METER COMPANY" 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 FIRST DAY OF JULY,

A.D. 2009.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "ELSTER

AMERICAN METER COMPANY" WAS INCORPORATED ON THE THIRTEENTH DAY

OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 1984.

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

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

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DATE: 07-01-09

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