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# ARTICLES OF MERGER OF MEISNER ELECTRIC, INC.

## WITH AND INTO

#### MEISNER ELECTRIC INC. OF FLORIDA

Pursuant to the Sections 607.1101 - 607.11101 of the Florida Statutes, the following Articles of Merger are submitted to merge the following corporations (the "Merger") in accordance with Act:

FIRST: The exact name, entity type, and jurisdiction of the merging entity is as follows:

MEISNER ELECTRIC, INC., a Colorado corporation (the "Merging Company"); and

**SECOND:** The exact name, entity type, and jurisdiction of the surviving entity is as follows:

MEISNER ELECTRIC INC. OF FLORIDA, a Florida corporation (the "Surviving Corporation").

**THIRD:** A copy of the Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "<u>Plan of Merger</u>") is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and is incorporated by reference into these Articles of Merger as if fully restated herein.

**FOURTH:** The Merger is permitted by the laws of the State of Colorado, the domestic jurisdiction of the Merging Company, and was unanimously approved by joint written consent of the directors and the shareholders of the Merging Company, pursuant to Sections 7-107-104 and 7-108-202 of the Colorado Revised Statutes, dated as of March 17, 2016.

FIFTH: The merger is permitted by the laws of the State of Florida, the domestic jurisdiction of the Surviving Corporation, and was unanimously approved by joint written consent of the directors and the shareholders of the Surviving Corporation, pursuant to Sections 607.1101, 607.0704, and 607.0821 of the Florida Statutes, dated as of March 17, 2016.

SIXTH: The effective date and time of the Merger shall be March 31, 2016 at 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time (the "Effective Time").

**SEVENTH:** As provided in the Plan of Merger, effective as of the Effective Time, the Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation are hereby amended to change the name of the Surviving Corporation to: MEISNER ELECTRIC, INC.

[Signatures hereto contained on following page.]

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the constituent corporations has caused these Articles of Merger to be signed in its corporate name and on its behalf by its duly authorized officer as of the 17th day of March, 2016.

## THE MERGING COMPANY:

MEISNER ELECTRIC, INC., a Colorado corporation

By:
Name:
Title:

PRESIDENT

THE SURVIVING CORPORATION:

MEISNER ELECTRIC INC. OF FLORIDA, a Florida corporation

By:
Name:

### D. GWNEN

Title:

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## EXHIBIT A

### AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

(See attached)

#### AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

This AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER (the "Agreement"), is entered into as of March 17, 2016, by and between MEISNER ELECTRIC INC. OF FLORIDA, a Florida corporation ("Surviving Corporation"), and MEISNER ELECTRIC, INC., a Colorado corporation (the "Company").

WHEREAS, the respective Boards of Directors of the Surviving Corporation and the Company have each approved and adopted this Agreement and the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, in each case after making a determination that this Agreement and such transactions are advisable and fair to, and in the best interests of, such corporation and its stockholders;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein, the Company, in accordance with the Florida Business Corporation Act (the "Florida Act") and the Colorado Corporations and Associations Act (the "Colorado Act"), will merge with and into the Surviving Corporation, with the Surviving Corporation as the surviving corporation (the "Merger"); and

WHEREAS, for US federal income tax purposes, the parties intend that the Merger qualify as a tax-free reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, terms and conditions set forth herein, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

1. Merger. Upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Agreement, and in accordance with Sections 7-90-203.7 and § 7-90-204.5 of the Colorado Act and Section 607.1107 of the Florida Act, the Company shall be merged with and into the Surviving Corporation at the Effective Time (as hereinafter defined). Following the Effective Time, the separate corporate existence of the Company shall cease, and the Surviving Corporation shall continue as the surviving corporation. The effects and consequences of the Merger shall be as set forth in this Agreement, the Colorado Act and the Florida Act.

#### 2. <u>Effective Time</u>.

- (a) Subject to the provisions of this Agreement, the parties shall duly prepare, execute and file a statement of merger (the "Statement of Merger") complying with Section 7-90-203.7 of the Colorado Act with the Secretary of State of the State of Colorado and (ii) articles of merger (the "Articles of Merger") complying with Section 607.1109 of the Florida Act, in each case with respect to the Merger. The Merger shall become effective at 11:59 p.m. (Eastern Time) on March 31, 2016 (the "Effective Time").
- (b) The Merger shall have the effects set forth in the Colorado Act, including without limitation, Section 7-90-204 of the Colorado Act, and Section 607.11101 of the Florida Act. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, from the Effective Time, (i) all the properties, rights, privileges, immunities, powers and franchises of the Company shall vest in the Surviving Corporation, as the Surviving Corporation, and all debts, liabilities, obligations and duties of the Company shall become the debts, liabilities, obligations and duties of the Surviving Corporation.

- 3. <u>Organizational Documents</u>. The Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation in effect at the Effective Time shall be the bylaws of the Surviving Corporation until thereafter amended as provided therein or by the Florida Act, and the Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation until thereafter amended as provided therein or by the Florida Act, provided, however, that from the Effective Time, the name of the Surviving Corporation shall be MEISNER ELECTRIC, INC.
- 4. <u>Directors and Officers</u>. The directors and officers of the Surviving Corporation immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be the directors of the Surviving Corporation from and after the Effective Time and shall hold office until the earlier of their respective death, resignation or removal or their respective successors are duly elected or appointed and qualified in the manner provided for in the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation or as otherwise provided by the Florida Act.
- 5. <u>Conversion of Securities</u>. At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the Surviving Corporation or the Company or the holders of shares of capital stock of the Company:
- (c) each share of common stock of the Company, par value \$1.00 per share ("Company Common Stock"), issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall, without any action on the part of the holders thereof, be canceled and retired and will cease to exist, and no consideration will be delivered in exchange therefor, and
- (b) each share of common stock of the Surviving Corporation, par value \$1.00 per share ("Surviving Corporation Common Stock"), issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall, without any action on the part of the holders thereof, remain unchanged and continue to remain outstanding and the current shareholders of the Surviving Corporation shall continue to own the same number of shares of the Surviving Corporation Common Stock as such shareholders owned prior to the Effective Time.
- 6. Entire Agreement. This Agreement, together with the Statement of Merger and Articles of Merger, constitutes the sole and entire agreement of the parties to this Agreement with respect to the subject matter contained herein, and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous understandings, representations and warranties and agreements, both written and oral, with respect to such subject matter.
- 7. <u>Successors and Assigns.</u> This Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns.
- 8. <u>No Third-Party Beneficiaries</u>. This Agreement is for the sole benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns and nothing herein, express or implied, is intended to or shall confer upon any other person any legal or equitable right, benefit or remedy of any nature whatsoever, under or by reason of this Agreement.
- 9. <u>Headings</u>. The headings in this Agreement are for reference only and shall not affect the interpretation of this Agreement.
- 10. <u>Amendment and Modification; Waiver.</u> This Agreement may only be amended, modified or supplemented by an agreement in writing signed by each party hereto. No waiver by any party of any of the provisions hereof shall be effective unless explicitly set forth in writing and signed by the party so waiving. Except as otherwise set forth in this Agreement, no failure to exercise, or delay in exercising, any rights, remedy, power or privilege arising from this Agreement shall operate or be construed as a

waiver thereof, nor shall any single or partial exercise of any right, remedy, power or privilege hereunder preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, remedy, power or privilege.

- 11. <u>Severability</u>. If any term or provision of this Agreement is invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other term or provision of this Agreement or invalidate or render unenforceable such term or provision in any other jurisdiction. Upon such determination that any term or other provision is invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the parties hereto shall negotiate in good faith to modify this Agreement so as to effect the original intent of the parties as closely as possible in a mutually acceptable manner in order that the transactions contemplated hereby be consummated as originally contemplated to the greatest extent possible.
- 12. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement and all transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall be governed by, and construed and enforced in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of Florida without regard to principles of conflicts of laws.
- 13. <u>Jurisdiction and Venue</u>. The parties acknowledge that a substantial portion of the negotiations, anticipated performance and execution of this Agreement occurred or shall occur in Palm Beach County, Florida. Any civil action or legal proceeding arising out of or relating to this Agreement shall be brought exclusively in the courts of record of the State of Florida in Palm Beach County or the United States District Court, Southern District of Florida West Palm Beach. Each party consents to the exclusive jurisdiction of such Florida court in any such civil action or legal proceeding and waives any objection to the laying of venue of any such civil action or legal proceeding in such Florida court. Service of any court paper may be effected on such party by mail, as provided in this Agreement, or in such other manner as may be provided under applicable laws, rules of procedure or local rules.
- 14. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall be deemed to be one and the same agreement. A signed copy of this Agreement delivered by facsimile, e-mail or other means of electronic transmission shall be deemed to have the same legal effect as delivery of an original signed copy of this Agreement.

[Signature Page Follows]

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement and Plan of Merger as of the date first above written.

MEISNER ELECTRIC, INC., a Colorado corporation

By: Name: Title:

PRESIDENT

MEISNER ELECTRIC INC. OF FLORIDA, a Florida corporation

By: (Name:

TIME D. ONNEN

Title: PRESIDENT