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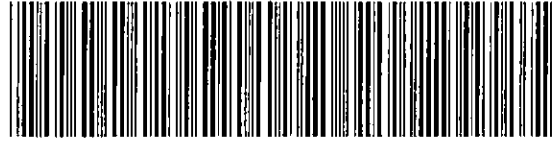
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December 29, 2022

Amendment Section  
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Via FedEx, Tracking Number 7709 0608 5681

RE: Articles of Merger Brighter Utilities Tampa Air LLC

To whom it may concern:

Enclosed please find an original and one copy of the Articles of Merger of Brighter Utilities Tampa Mechanical LLC with Brighter Utilities Tampa Air LLC with Brighter Utilities Tampa Air LLC being the surviving entity. Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$80.00 representing the filing fee and payment for a certified copy of the filed Articles of Merger. The Effective Date of this merger is to be December 31, 2022.

I appreciate your attention to this matter. Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

  
Patrick H. Neale, Esq.

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June 9, 2023

Ms. Darlene Connell  
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Via email: Darlene.connell@dOS.myflorida.com

Re: Articles of Merger Brighter Utilities Mechanical LLC (L21000347390)  
Into Brighter Utilities Tampa Air, LLC L21000397527

Dear Ms. Connell:

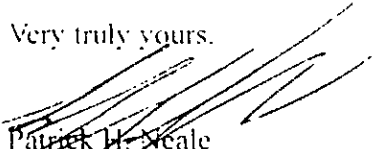
We were given your name to assist with the Articles of Merger of the above which were delivered to your office on January 3, 2023. We have never received any response and were told this morning that your office has no record of the request. We are attaching herewith the following:

1. 12/29/22 Cover letter directed to your office, including copy of check 3062 in the amount of \$80.00 payable to Florida Department of State
2. Copy of Signed Articles of Merger to be effective December 31, 2022
3. Copy of Federal Express Delivery receipt, showing delivery January 3, 2023
4. Copy of the back of our check #3062 showing that it was cashed on January 6, 2023.

We would appreciate expediting the processing of this application due to the unreasonable delay that our client has experienced in this merger. If you are able to provide the articles of merger via email or expedited mail, it would be appreciated.

If you should need additional information, please contact our office at 239-642-1485. Thank you.

Very truly yours,



Patrick H. Neale

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August 7, 2023

Ms. Darlene Connell  
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Via Federal Express

Re: Articles of Merger – Brighter Utilities Mechanical LLC (L21000347390)  
Into Brighter Utilities Tampa Air, LLC (L21000397527)

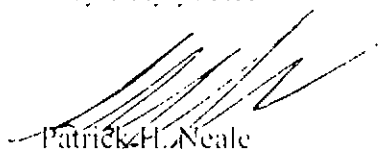
Dear Ms. Connell:

We apologize for the delay in getting back to you. For your reference, I am attaching a copy of our letter dated June 9<sup>th</sup>, and your response June 16<sup>th</sup>, relative to the above, as well as the original submission with the rejection notification.

As per your instructions, we have filed the annual report for Brighter Utilities Tampa Mechanical, LLC (#L21000347390) and are also enclosing herewith the 2023 Annual Report Payment Voucher, and our check in the amount of \$138.75 representing the fee for the annual report filing. This payment is being submitted less the late fee, per your June 16<sup>th</sup> email.

We sincerely appreciate your assistance in completing this merger. Should you require anything further, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Very truly yours,



Patrick H. Neale

PHN:jm  
Enclosure

COVER LETTER

TO: Amendment Section  
Division of Corporations

SUBJECT: Brighter Utilities Tampa Air LLC

Name of Surviving Party

The enclosed Certificate of Merger and fee(s) are submitted for filing.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to:

Patrick H. Neale

Contact Person

Patrick Neale & Associates

Firm/Company

5470 Bryson Court, Suite 103

Address

Naples, FL 34109

City, State and Zip Code

office@patrickneale.com

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

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

Patrick Neale

at

239

642-1485

Name of Contact Person

Area Code

Daytime Telephone Number

☒ Certified copy (optional) \$30.00

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

June 20, 2023

PATRICK H. NEALE  
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SUBJECT: BRIGHTER UTILITIES TAMPA MECHANICAL, LLC  
Ref. Number: L21000347390

We have received your document and check(s) totaling \$80.00. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned to you for the following reason(s):

As a condition of a merger, pursuant to s.605.0212(8) and/or s.607.1622 (8), Florida Statutes, each party to the merger must be active and current in filing its annual reports with the Department of State through December 31 of the calendar year in which the articles of merger are submitted for filing.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6050.

Darlene Connell  
Regulatory Specialist II Supervisor

Letter Number: 723A00013947

**Articles of Merger  
For  
Florida Limited Liability Company**

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TALLAHASSEE, FL

The following Articles of Merger is submitted to merge the following Florida Limited Liability Company(ies) in accordance with s. 605.1025, Florida Statutes.

**FIRST:** The exact name, form/entity type, and jurisdiction for each merging party are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Form/Entity Type</u>
Brighter Utilities Tampa Mechanical LLC	Florida	LLC L21-347390
Brighter Utilities Tampa Air LLC	Florida	LLC
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**SECOND:** The exact name, form/entity type, and jurisdiction of the surviving party are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Form/Entity Type</u>
Brighter Utilities Tampa Air LLC	Florida	LLC / L21-297527

**THIRD:** The merger was approved by each domestic merging entity that is a limited liability company in accordance with ss.605.1021-605.1026; by each other merging entity in accordance with the laws of its jurisdiction; and by each member of such limited liability company who as a result of the merger will have interest holder liability under s.605.1023(1)(b).

**FOURTH:** Please check one of the boxes that apply to surviving entity: (if applicable)

- ☒ This entity exists before the merger and is a domestic filing entity, the amendment, if any to its public organic record are attached.
- ☐ This entity is created by the merger and is a domestic filing entity, the public organic record is attached.
- ☐ This entity is created by the merger and is a domestic limited liability limited partnership or a domestic limited liability partnership, its statement of qualification is attached.
- ☐ This entity is a foreign entity that does not have a certificate of authority to transact business in this state. The mailing address to which the department may send any process served pursuant to s. 605.0117 and Chapter 48, Florida Statutes is:

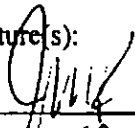

**FIFTH:** This entity agrees to pay any members with appraisal rights the amount, to which members are entitled under ss.605.1006 and 605.1061-605.1072, F.S.

**SIXTH:** If other than the date of filing, the delayed effective date of the merger, which cannot be prior to nor more than 90 days after the date this document is filed by the Florida Department of State:

Effective date December 31, 2022, per F.S. 605.1025(4) and 605.0207

**Note:** If the date inserted in this block does not meet the applicable statutory filing requirements, this date will not be listed as the document's effective date on the Department of State's records.

**SEVENTH:** Signature(s) for Each Party:

Name of Entity/Organization:	Signature(s):	Typed or Printed Name of Individual:
Brighter Utilities Tampa Mechanical LLC		Jason Rogers
Brighter Utilities Tampa Air LLC		Daniel Smith

**Corporations:**

Chairman, Vice Chairman, President or Officer  
(If no directors selected, signature of incorporator.)

**General partnerships:**

Signature of a general partner or authorized person

**Florida Limited Partnerships:**

Signatures of all general partners

**Non-Florida Limited Partnerships:**

Signature of a general partner

**Limited Liability Companies:**

Signature of an authorized person

<b><u>Fees:</u></b> For each Limited Liability Company:	\$25.00	For each Corporation:	\$35.00
For each Limited Partnership:	\$52.50	For each General Partnership:	\$25.00
For each Other Business Entity:	\$25.00	<b><u>Certified Copy (optional):</u></b>	\$30.00