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APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO  
FILE AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO  
TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

SECTION I (1-3 must be completed)

1. Name of limited liability company as it appears on the records of the Florida Department of State: LINDE GAS LLC
2. Jurisdiction of its organization: DELAWARE
3. Date authorized to do business in Florida: 12-16-03

SECTION II (4-7 complete only the applicable changes)

4. If the amendment changes the name of the limited liability company, when was the change effected under the laws of its jurisdiction of organization? 03-09-07
5. New name of the limited liability company: Airgas Merchant Gases, LLC
6. If the amendment changes the period of duration, indicate new period of duration:  
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7. If the amendment changes the jurisdiction of organization, indicate new jurisdiction:  
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8. If the amendment corrects any false statement, indicate the statement being corrected and the correction:  
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9. Attached is an original certificate, no more than 90 days old, evidencing the aforementioned amendment(s), duly authenticated by the official having custody of records in the jurisdiction under the law of which this entity is organized.

  
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Signature of a member of the authorized representative of a member

Thomas M. Smyth, member  
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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "LINDE GAS LLC", FILED A CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT, CHANGING ITS NAME TO "AIRGAS MERCHANT GASES, LLC", THE NINTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2007, AT 4:52 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT IS THE NINTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2007, AT 11:59 O'CLOCK P.M.

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