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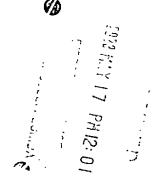


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#### ARTICLES OF MERGER

MCGILL ENGINEERING, INC.

INTO

W&W-AFCO STEEL LLC

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#### **COVER LETTER**

TO: Amendment Section Division of Corporations		
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The enclosed Articles of Merger and fee are submitt	ted for filing.	
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IMPORTANT NOTICE: Pursuant to s.607.1622(8), F.S., each party to the merger must be active and current in filing its annual report through December 31 of the calendar year which this articles of merger are being submitted to the Department of State for filing.

## **ARTICLES OF MERGER**

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The following articles of merger are submitted in accordance with the Florida Business Corporation Acts government to section 607.1105. Florida Statutes.

IRST: The name and jurisdiction of the surviving entity:				
Name	Jurisdiction	Entity Type	Document Number (If known/applicable)	
W&W-AFCO Steel LLC	DE	LLC	5724716	
SECOND: The name and jurisdiction of each	ch <u>merging</u> eligible	entity:		
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McGill Engineering, Inc.	FL	corporation	H28746	
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<u>THIRD:</u> The merger was approved by each domestic merging corporation in accordance with s.607.1101(1)(b), F.S., and by the organic law governing the other parties to the merger.

**FOURTH:** Please check one of the boxes that apply to surviving entity: This entity exists before the merger and is a domestic filing entity. This entity exists before the merger and is not authorized to transact business in Florida. This entity exists before the merger and is a domestic filing entity, and its Articles of Incorporation are being amended as attached. This entity is created by the merger and is a domestic corporation, and the Articles of Incorporation are attached. This entity is a domestic eligible entity and is not a domestic corporation and is being amended in connection with this merger as attached. This entity is a domestic eligible entity being created as a result of the merger. The public organic record of the survivor 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. **<u>FIFTH:</u>** Please check one of the boxes that apply to domestic corporations: | ✓ | The plan of merger was approved by the shareholders and each separate voting group as required. The plan of merger did not require approval by the shareholders. **SIXTH:** Please check box below if applicable to foreign corporations The participation of the foreign corporation was duly authorized in accordance with the corporation's organic laws. SEVENTH: Please check box below if applicable to domestic or foreign non corporation(s). Participation of the domestic or foreign non corporation(s) was duly authorized in accordance with each of such eligible entity's organic law.

than 90 days after the date this docume	ing, the delayed effective date of the merger, which is filed by the Florida Department of State:  does not meet the applicable statutory filing requi			
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Florida Limited Partnerships: Non-Florida Limited Partnerships:				
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#### AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

This Agreement and Plan of Merger (this "<u>Agreement</u>"), dated as of May 16, 2023, is between W&W-AFCO Steel LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "<u>W&W-AFCO</u>") and McGill Engineering, Inc., a Florida corporation (the "<u>Corporation</u>").

#### Background

WHEREAS, the Corporation is a wholly-owned subsidiary of W&W-AFCO;

WHEREAS, the sole member and board of W&W-AFCO and the sole stockholder and board of the Corporation 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, each respective entity and its respective sole member and sole stockholder; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein, the Corporation, in accordance with the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act (the "DLLCA") and the Florida Business Corporation Act (the "FBCA"), will merge with and into the W&W-AFCO, with W&W-AFCO as the surviving entity (the "Merger"), in the manner and under the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement.

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, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

#### 1. Merger.

- (a) Upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Agreement, and in accordance with the applicable provisions of the DLLCA and the FBCA, the Corporation shall be merged with and into W&W-AFCO at the Effective Time (as defined below). Following the Effective Time, the separate corporate existence of the Corporation shall cease, and W&W-AFCO shall continue as the surviving entity (the "Surviving Company"). The effects and consequences of the Merger shall be as set forth in this Agreement, the DLLCA and the FBCA.
- (b) Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, at the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of W&W-AFCO or the Corporation or the stockholder of the Corporation: (i) each share of capital stock of the Corporation, issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be canceled without payment of any consideration therefor and shall cease to exist, and (ii) all of the membership interests of W&W-AFCO existing immediately prior to the Effective Time shall remain outstanding membership interests in the Surviving Company following the consummation of the Merger.
- 2. <u>State Filings</u>. The proper officers of the Corporation and W&W-AFCO shall make and execute whatever certificates, articles and documents as are required by the DLLCA and the FBCA to effectuate the Merger, and to cause the same to be filed, in the manner provided by law,

and to do all things whatsoever, which may be necessary and proper to effectuate the Merger in accordance with this Agreement and the applicable provisions of the DLLCA and the FBCA. The effective time of the Merger shall be upon the filing of the certificate of merger related to the Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware (the "Effective\_Time").

### 3. <u>Effect of Merger</u>. Upon the Effective Time:

- (a) The separate existence of the Corporation shall cease and W&W-AFCO shall continue to exist as the Surviving Company.
- (b) W&W-AFCO shall succeed to and possess all the properties, assets, rights, privileges, amenities, powers, purposes and franchises, and shall be subject to all the obligations, debts and liabilities of the Corporation, all without further act or deed.
- (c) The properties, assets, liabilities, debts and accounts of the Corporation shall be taken upon the books of W&W-AFCO in the amounts which they are carried on the books of the Corporation.

#### 4. <u>Organizational Documents</u>.

- (a) The certificate of formation of W&W-AFCO in effect as of the Effective Time shall be the certificate of formation of the Surviving Company following consummation of the Merger, until amended in accordance with the provisions provided therein or applicable law.
- (b) The operating agreement of W&W-AFCO in effect as of the Effective Time shall be the operating agreement of the Surviving Company following consummation of the Merger, until amended in accordance with the provisions provided therein or applicable law.
- 5. <u>Officers and Board</u>. The officers and members of the board of W&W-AFCO as of immediately prior to the Effective Time shall, from and after the Effective Time, be the officers and members of the Board of the Surviving Company, until their respective successors have been duly elected or appointed and qualified, or until their earlier death, resignation or removal.
- 6. <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.
- 7. <u>Further Assurances</u>. If at any time after the date hereof, including after the Effective Time. W&W-AFCO, as the Surviving Company, shall determine that any further actions or instruments of conveyance are necessary or desirable in order to carry into effect the intents and purposes of this Agreement, then the persons who are officers of the Corporation immediately prior to the Merger shall, as such officers, take all such actions and execute and deliver all such instruments as W&W-AFCO may so determine to be necessary or desirable.
- 8. <u>Governing Law.</u> This Agreement shall be governed and construed as to its validity, interpretation and effect by the laws of the State of Delaware, notwithstanding the choice of law rules of such jurisdiction or any other jurisdiction.

9. <u>Counterparts.</u> This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed an original and all of which when taken together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Any counterpart signature page delivered by pdf. fax or other electronic transmission shall be deemed to be and have the same force and effect as an originally executed signature page.

[Signature Page Follows]

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

**W&W-AFCO STEEL LLQ** 

Name: Richard W. Cooper

Title: Chief Executive Officer

MCGILL ENGINEERING, INC.

Name: Kimberly D. Rolston

Title: Vice President