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DOCUMENT # (6) P11722 A. O. SMITH CORPORATION Principal Place of Business Mailing Address 11270 W PARK PLACE PO BOX 23965 ONE PARK PLAZA MILWAUKEE WI 53223-0965 MILWAUKEE WI \$3224 DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE 3. Date Incorporated or Qualified 10/08/1986 2. Principal Place of Business 4. FEI Number 2a. Mailing Address Applied For 36-0619790 21 Not Applicable Suite, Apt. #, etc. Suite, Apt. #, etc. \$8.75 Additional 6. Certificate of Status Desired 22 27 Fee Required City & State City & State 6. Election Campaign Financing \$5.00 May Be 23 Trust Fund Contribution Added to Fees 28 Zip Country Country 8. This corporation owes or has paid the current year Intangible 24 25 30 Personal Property Tax due June 30. Yes 29 9. Name and Address of Current Registered Agent 10. Name and Address of New Registered Agent THE PRENTICE-HALL CORPORATION SYSTEM INC. 1201 HAYS STREET 82 Street Address (P.O. Box Number is Not Acceptable) SUITE 105 TALLAHASSEE FL 32301 83 84 City Zip Code Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 607.0502 and 607.1508, Florida Statutes, the above-named corporation submits this statement for the purpose of changing its registered office or registered agent, or both, in the State of Florida, Such change was authorized by the corporation's board of directors. I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with, and accept the obligations of, Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes. SIGNATURE Signatura, typed or printed name of registered agent and little if applicable (NOTE Registered Agent signature required when reinstating) 12. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS IN 12 13. DELETE TITLE 11 TITLE HEINRICH, DONALD M NAME 12 NAME See attached. 10708 N GAZEBO HILL STREET ADDRESS 1.3 STREET ADDRESS MEQUON WI-CITY-ST-ZIP 1.4 CITY - ST - ZIP CEOP DELETE Change Addition TITLE 2.1 TITLE O'TOOLE, ROBERT J. NAME 2.2 NAME 2401 W. CEDAR LANE STREET ADDRESS 2.3 STREET ADDRESS MILWAUKEE WI CITY-ST-ZIP 2.4 CITY-ST-ZIP DELETE Change Addition TITLE 3.1 TITLE BOMBERGER, GLEN R. NAME 3.2 NAME 4640 SOMERSET CT. STREET ADDRESS 3.3 STREET ADDRESS **BROOKFIELD WI** CITY-ST-ZIP 3.4. CITY - ST - ZIP VIC TITLE DELETE 4.1 TITLE Change Addition KITA, JOHN J NAME 4. 2 NAME 133 BIRCH ROAD STREET ADDRESS 4.3 STREET ADDRESS **DELAFIELD WI** CITY-ST-ZIP 4.4 CITY-ST-ZIP DELETE Change Addition TITLE 51 TITLE O'CONNOR, EDWARD J NAME 5.2 NAME 16615 MARY CLIFF LANE STREET ADDRESS 5.3 STREET ADDRESS **BROOKFIELD WI** CITY-ST-ZIP 5.4 CITY-ST-ZIP DELETE Change Addition TITLE 6.1 TITLE ROMOSER, W. D NAME 6.2 NAME 11019 N WYNGATE TRACE STREET ADDRESS 6.3 STREET ADDRESS MEQUON WI CITY-ST-ZIP 6.4 CITY-ST-ZIP

14. Thereby certify that the Information supplied with this filing does not qualify for the exemption stated in Section 119.07(3)(i), Florida Statutes. I further certify that the information indicated on this annual report or supplemental annual report is true and accurate and that my signature shall have the same legal effect as if made under oath; that I am an officer or director of the corporation or the receiver or trustee empowered to execute this report as required by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes; and that my name appears in Block 12 or Block 13 if changed, or on an attachment with an address.

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