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GNB Technologies, Inc. 8-29-01

- Individual(s) Association General Partnership Limited Partnership Corporation-State Delaware Other

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Exide Corporation

Internal

Address:

Street Address: 645 Penn Street

City: Reading State: PA Zip: 19601

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If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No (Designations must be a separate document from assignment) Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

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4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

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B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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Internal Address: Kirkland & Ellis

Street Address: 200 East Randolph Dr.

City: Chicago State: IL Zip: 60601

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved:

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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP, WHICH MERGES:

"GNB TECHNOLOGIES INC.", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,

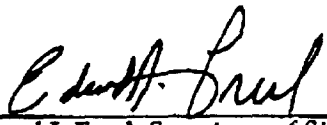
WITH AND INTO "EKIDE CORPORATION" UNDER THE NAME OF "EKIDE CORPORATION", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 2000, AT 9:01 O'CLOCK A.M.

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**CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER  
MERCING**

**GNB TECHNOLOGIES INC.**  
(a Delaware corporation)

WITH AND INTO

**EXIDE CORPORATION**  
(a Delaware corporation)

\*\*\*\*\*  
*In accordance with the provisions of §253 of the  
General Corporation Law of the  
State of Delaware*  
\*\*\*\*\*

**EXIDE CORPORATION**, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware (the "Corporation"), desiring to merge **GNB TECHNOLOGIES INC.**, a Delaware corporation, with and into itself, pursuant to the provisions of Section 253 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, **DOES HEREBY CERTIFY** as follows:

**FIRST:** The Corporation is the owner of all of the issued and outstanding shares of capital stock of the following constituent corporation (the "Subsidiary"):

CORPORATION	STATE OF INCORPORATION
GNB TECHNOLOGIES INC.	DELAWARE

**SECOND:** The Board of Directors of the Corporation, on September 25th, 2000, adopted the resolutions set forth below approving the merger of the Subsidiary with and into the Corporation (the "Merger"):

WHEREAS, the Corporation, as sole stockholder of **GNB Technologies Inc.**, a Delaware corporation ("GNB Technologies"), deems it advisable and in the best interest of the Corporation that **GNB Technologies** be merged with and into the Corporation.

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**RESOLVED**, that GNB Technologies be so merged with and into the Corporation.


**FURTHER RESOLVED**, the Proper Officers be, and each of them hereby is, authorized and directed to make, execute and acknowledge a certificate of ownership and merger setting forth a copy of the resolutions so to merge said GNB Technologies into the Corporation and to assume the liabilities and obligations of such subsidiary and to file the same in the office of the Secretary of the State of Delaware, and do all acts and make all filings whatsoever as may be necessary and proper to effect the merger.

**THIRD:** Anything herein or elsewhere to the contrary notwithstanding, the Merger may be amended or terminated and abandoned by the Board of Directors of the Corporation at any time prior to the date of filing the Certificate of Ownership and Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware.

**FOURTH:** The Merger shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State of Delaware.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the undersigned, for the purpose of effectuating the Merger, pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, under penalties of perjury does hereby declare and certify that this is the act and deed of the Corporation and the facts stated herein are true and accordingly has hereunto signed this Certificate of Ownership and Merger this 29th day of September, 2000.

EXIDE CORPORATION,  
a Delaware corporation

By:   
Name: John B. VanDine  
Title: Vice President, General Counsel  
and Secretary

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