

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT		
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER		
EFFECTIVE DATE:	12/28/1979		
CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Wingaersheek, Inc.		12/28/1979	CORPORATION: MASSACHUSETTS
RECEIVING PARTY DATA			
Name:	Victor Equipment Company		
Street Address:	16052 Swingley Ridge Road		
City:	Chesterfield		
State/Country:	MISSOURI		
Postal Code:	63017		
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE		
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1			
Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
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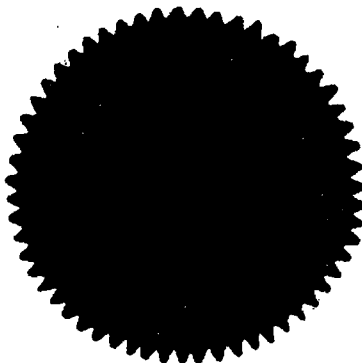


State of DELAWARE

Office of SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Glenn C. Kenton Secretary of State of the State of Delaware,
do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of
Certificate of Ownership of the "VICTOR EQUIPMENT COMPANY", a corporation organized
and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, merging "WINGAERSHEEK,
INC.", a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of
Massachusetts, pursuant to Section 253 of the General Corporation Law of the
State of Delaware, as received and filed in this office the twenty-sixth day of
December, A.D. 1979, at 10 o'clock A.M.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my hand*
and official seal at Dover this twenty-sixth *day*
of December *in the year of our Lord*
one thousand nine hundred and seventy-nine.



Glenn C. Kenton

Glenn C. Kenton, Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER

MERGING

WINGAERSHEEK, INC.

INTO

VICTOR EQUIPMENT COMPANY

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VICTOR EQUIPMENT COMPANY, a corporation organized
and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware,
DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST: That this corporation was incorporated on
the third day of December, 1969, pursuant to the General
Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

SECOND: That this corporation owns all of the
outstanding shares of the stock of Wingaersheek, Inc., a
corporation incorporated on the 12th day of December, 1960,
pursuant to the General Laws of the Commonwealth of
Massachusetts.

THIRD: That this corporation, by the following
resolutions of its Board of Directors, duly adopted at a
meeting held on the 20th day of December, 1979, determined
to and did merge into itself said Wingaersheek, Inc.

RESOLVED, that Victor Equipment Company
merge, and it hereby does merge, into itself said
Wingaersheek, Inc., and assumes all of its obliga-
tions;

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FURTHER RESOLVED, that the merger shall become effective as of the close of business on December 28, 1979 (the "Effective Date"); and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that after the Effective Date the outstanding shares of Common Stock of Wingaersheek, Inc. shall cease to exist, and all certificates representing such shares shall be cancelled; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proper officers of this corporation be, and they each hereby are, authorized and directed to make and execute Articles of Merger of Parent and Subsidiary Corporations setting forth a copy of the resolutions to merge Wingaersheek, Inc. into this corporation and to assume its liabilities and obligations, and the date of the adoption thereof, and to cause the same to be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and to do all acts and things whatsoever, whether within or without the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which may be necessary or appropriate to effect said merger; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proper officers of this corporation be, and they each hereby are, authorized and directed to make and execute a Certificate of Ownership and Merger setting forth a copy of the resolutions to merge said Wingaersheek, Inc. and assume its liabilities and obligations, and the date of adoption thereof, and to cause the same to be filed with the Secretary of State and a certified copy recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of New Castle County and to do all acts and things whatsoever, whether within or without the State of Delaware, which may be in anywise necessary or proper to effect said merger; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proper officers of this corporation be, and they each hereby are, authorized and directed to do all things appropriate or necessary to be done to cause this corporation to become qualified to do business as a foreign corporation in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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FOURTH: Anything herein or elsewhere to the contrary notwithstanding this merger may be terminated and abandoned by the board of directors of Victor Equipment Company at any time prior to the date of filing the merger with the Secretary of State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Victor Equipment Company has caused this certificate to be signed by Turner G. Brashaer, its President, and attested by Edward W. Beck, its Secretary, this 21st day of December, 1979.

VICTOR EQUIPMENT COMPANY

By Turner G. Brashaer
Turner G. Brashaer
President

ATTEST:

By

Edward W. Beck
Secretary

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State of DELAWARE

Office of SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Glenn C. Kenton Secretary of State of the State of Delaware,
do hereby certify that the Certificate of Incorporation of the "TPLC Corporation",
was received and filed in this office the third day of December, A.D. 1969, at 10 o'clock
A.M.

And I do hereby further certify that the said "TPLC Corporation", filed a Certificate
of Agreement of Merger, changing its corporate title to "VICTOR EQUIPMENT COMPANY", on
the sixteenth day of March, A.D. 1970, at 8:30 o'clock A.M.

And I do hereby further certify that the aforesaid Corporation is duly incorporated
under the laws of the State of Delaware and is in good standing and has a legal corporate
existence so far as the records of this office show and is duly authorized to transact
business.

And I do hereby further certify that the said "VICTOR EQUIPMENT COMPANY", is the
last known title of record of the aforesaid Corporation.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my hand*
and official seal at Dover this seventeenth *day*
of December *in the year of our Lord*
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