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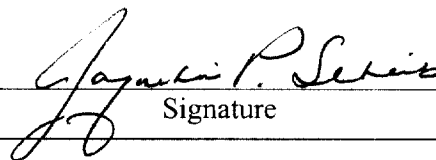
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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP, WHICH MERGES:

"ARGUS CHEMICAL CORPORATION", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,  
WITH AND INTO "WITCO INVESTMENT CORPORATION" UNDER THE NAME OF "WITCO INVESTMENT CORPORATION", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE NINTH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 1989, AT 9 O' CLOCK A.M.



A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Edward J. Freel".

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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SECRETARY OF STATE

CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP AND MERGER  
MERCING  
ARGUS CHEMICAL CORPORATION  
INTO  
WITCO INVESTMENT CORPORATION  
(Pursuant to Section 253 of the General Corporation  
Law of Delaware and Section 78.486 of the  
Nevada General Corporation Law)

Witco Investment Corporation, a Nevada corporation (the  
"Corporation"), does hereby certify:

FIRST: That the Corporation is incorporated pursuant to  
the General Corporation Law of the State of Nevada.

SECOND: That the Corporation owns all of the outstanding  
shares of each class of the capital stock of Argus Chemical  
Corporation, a Delaware corporation.

THIRD: That the Corporation, by the resolution of its  
Board of Directors attached hereto as Exhibit A, duly adopted  
effective as of the 30th day of December, 1988, determined to merge  
its subsidiary Argus Chemical Corporation with and into the  
Corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned Witco Investment  
Corporation has executed this certificate this 27th day of April,  
1989.

WITCO INVESTMENT CORPORATION

By: *[Signature]*  
Vice President

ATTEST:

By: *[Signature]*  
Assistant Secretary

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EXHIBIT A  
ACTION BY UNANIMOUS WRITTEN CONSENT  
OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF  
WITCO INVESTMENT CORPORATION  
TO THE MERGER OF  
ARGUS CHEMICAL CORPORATION  
WITH AND INTO  
WITCO INVESTMENT CORPORATION

WHEREAS, Witco Investment Corporation, a Nevada Corporation, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Witco Corporation, a Delaware Corporation, and

WHEREAS, it is the wish of Witco Investment Corporation to effectuate the merger of its subsidiary Argus Chemical Corporation, with and into Witco Investment Corporation, in accordance with Section 78-486 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Nevada, Section 253 of the General corporation Law of the State of Delaware, and Section 332 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and


NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, being all of the directors of Witco Investment Corporation, acting pursuant to Section 78-315 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Nevada do hereby, approve the plan of merger of Argus Chemical Corporation with and into Witco Investment Corporation effective as of December 31, 1988, in accordance with Section 78-315 of the General Corporation Law of Nevada, Section 253 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, and Section 332 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and

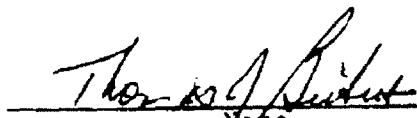
FURTHER, the proper officers of Witco Investment Corporation are hereby authorized and empowered to do and perform any and all acts and things necessary or advisable to perfect and carry out the said merger.

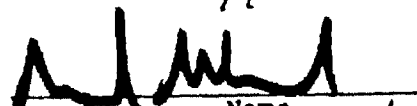
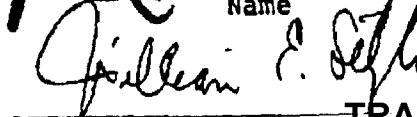
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned directors have executed this consent and the undersigned Secretary of Witco Investment Corporation has attested to their signatures and affixed the corporate seal on this 30th day of December 1988.

ATTEST:

WITCO INVESTMENT CORPORATION

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
J. Russo  
Secretary

  
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Name

  
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Name  
  
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COMPANY MERGES INTO FOREIGN COMPANY

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The surviving corporation hereby agrees that it may be served with process in the State of Delaware in any proceeding for the enforcement of any obligation of ARGUS CHEMICAL CORPORATION, arising from the merger, including the rights of any dissenting stockholders thereof, and hereby irrevocably appoints the Secretary of State of Delaware as its agent to accept service of process in any such suit or other proceedings and agrees that service of any such process may be made by personally delivering to and leaving with such Secretary of State of the State of Delaware duplicate copies of such process; and hereby authorizes the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware to send forthwith by registered mail one of such duplicate copies of such process addressed to it at Witco Investment Corporation 520 Madison Ave. New York, NY 10022 Attn: A.M. Abrams unless said surviving corporation shall hereafter designate in writing to such Secretary of State of the State of Delaware a different address for such process, in which case the duplicate copy of such process shall be mailed to the last address so designated.