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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Awards of the Americas, Inc.

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- Individual(s)
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State: **Nevada**

Other: **Awards of the Americas, Incorporated**

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: **Quality Institute International, Inc.**

Internal
Address:

Street Address: **211 Sutter Street, 5th Floor**

City: **San Francisco** State: **California** Zip: **94108**

- Individual(s) citizenship
- Association
- General Partnership
- Limited Partnership
- Corporation-State **Nevada**
- Other

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment
- Merger
- Security Agreement
- Change of Name

Other

Execution Date: **April 23, 2002**

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

76/276844
78/096343

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

Additional number(s) attached Yes No

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

Name **Michelle T. Rutledge**

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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: **2**

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....**\$65.00**

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9. Statement and signature.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Michelle T. Rutledge

Name of Person Signing

Michelle Rutledge
Signature

August 14, 2002

Date

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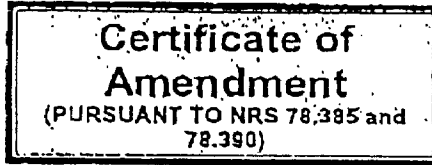
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IN THE OFFICE OF
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DEAN HELLER, SECRETARY OF STATE

Certificate of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation
For Nevada Profit Corporations
(Pursuant to NRS 78.385 and 78.390 - After Issuance of Stock)
- Remit in Duplicate -

1. Name of corporation: Awards of the Americas, Inc.

2. The articles have been amended as follows (provide article numbers, if available):

FIRST: The name of the corporation is Quality Institute International, Inc.

3. The vote by which the stockholders holding shares in the corporation entitling them to exercise at least a majority of the voting power, or such greater proportion of the voting power as may be required in the case of a vote by classes or series, or as may be required by the provisions of the articles of incorporation have voted in favor of the amendment is: 100%

4. Officer Signature (Required):
John B. Parker

John B. Parker, President

*If any proposed amendment would alter or change any preference or any relative or other right given to any class or series of outstanding shares, then the amendment must be approved by the vote, in addition to the affirmative vote otherwise required, of the holders of shares representing a majority of the voting power of each class or series affected by the amendment regardless of limitations or restrictions on the voting power thereof.

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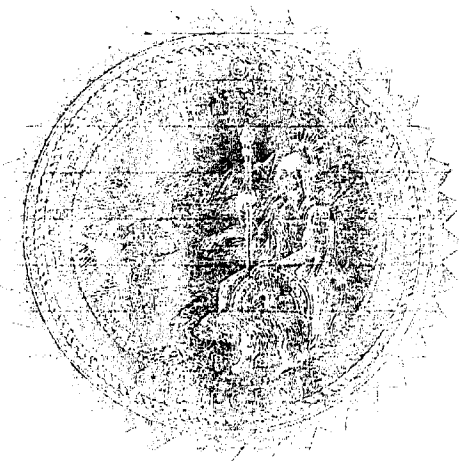
NAME CHANGE CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION

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I, BILL JONES, Secretary of State of the State of California, hereby certify:

That on the 26th day of April, 2002, there was filed in this office an Amended Statement and Designation by Foreign Corporation whereby the corporate name of **AWARDS OF THE AMERICAS, INCORPORATED**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Nevada, was changed to **QUALITY INSTITUTE INTERNATIONAL, INC.**. This corporation complied with the requirements of California law in effect on that date for the purpose of qualifying to transact intrastate business in the State of California and as of said date has been and is qualified and authorized to transact intrastate business in the State of California, subject however, to any licensing requirements otherwise imposed by the laws of this State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of May 3, 2002.



Bill Jones
BILL JONES db
Secretary of State

State of California



SECRETARY OF STATE

I, *BILL JONES*, Secretary of State of the State of California, hereby certify:

That the attached transcript of _____ page(s) has been compared with the record on file in this office, of which it purports to be a copy, and that it is full, true and correct.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of

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of the State of California

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BILL JONES, Secretary of State

**AMENDED STATEMENT BY
FOREIGN CORPORATION**

Quality Institute International, Inc.

(Name of Corporation)

_____, a corporation organized
and existing under the laws of Nevada, and which is presently
(State or Place of Incorporation)

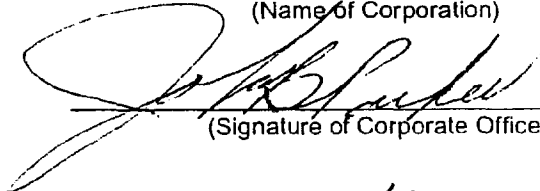
qualified for the transaction of intrastate business in the State of California, makes the
following statement:

That the name of the corporation has been changed to that hereinabove set forth and
that the name relinquished at the time of such change was _____

Awards of the Americas, Incorporated

Quality Institute International, Inc.

(Name of Corporation)

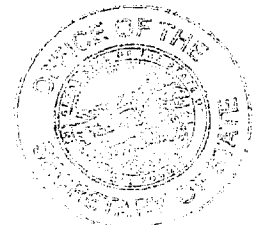


(Signature of Corporate Officer)

John Parker, President

(Typed Name and Title of Officer Signing)

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