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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER
EFFECTIVE DATE:	01/01/2007

#### **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
VANGUARD PIPING SYSTEMS, INC.		12/29/2006	CORPORATION: KANSAS

#### **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	VG PIPE LLC
Street Address:	301 N. MAIN, 9TH FLOOR
City:	WICHITA
State/Country:	KANSAS
Postal Code:	67202-4809
Entity Type:	LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: DELAWARE

### PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2124255	VANEX

## CORRESPONDENCE DATA

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Date:	11/20/2007	
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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

OF

VANGUARD PIPING SYSTEMS, INC.

(a Kansas corporation)

WITH AND INTO

VG PIPE LLC

(a Delaware limited liability company)

It is hereby certified that:

1. The constituent entities participating in the merger herein certified are:

(a) VG Pipe LLC (the "Company") is a limited liability company formed pursuant to the laws of the State of Delaware; and

(b) Vanguard Piping Systems, Inc. (the "Corporation") is incorporated pursuant to the laws of the State of Kansas.

2. The executed Agreement and Plan of Merger has been authorized and approved by each of the constituent entities in accordance with Section 17-7705 of the Kansas General Corporation Code, and amendments thereto, and Section 18-209 of the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act.

- 3. The merger shall become effective (the "Effective Time") on January 1, 2007.
- 4. The name of the surviving entity is "VG Pipe LLC" (the "Surviving Entity")
- 5. The address of registered office of the Surviving Entity in the State of Delaware is 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801. The name of its registered agent at such address is The Corporation Trust Company.
- 6. The certificate of formation of the Company as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be the Certificate of Formation of the Surviving Entity and the limited liability company agreement of Company as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be the limited company agreement of the Surviving Entity.
- 7. The executed Agreement and Plan of Merger between the aforementioned constituent entities is on file at an office of the Surviving Entity, the address of which is as follows: 301 N. Main, 9th Floor, Wichita, KS 67202-4809.
- 8. A copy of the Agreement and Plan of Merger will be furnished by the Surviving Entity, on request, and without cost, to any stockholder or member (as the case may be) of each of the aforementioned constituent entities.
- The Company agrees that it may be served with process in Kansas in any proceeding for enforcement of any obligation of the Corporation, as well as for enforcement of any obligation of the Company, as the surviving entity arising from the merger, including any suit or other

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proceeding to enforce the right of any stockholder as determined in appraisal proceedings pursuant to the provisions of Section 17-6712 of General Corporation Code of the State of Kansas, and amendments thereto. The Company irrevocably appoints the Secretary of State of the State of Kansas as its agent to accept service of process in any such suit or other proceedings. A copy of such process may be mailed by the Secretary of State to the Company at the following address: 301 N. Main, 9th Floor, Wichita, KS 67202-4809.

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The undersigned declares under penalty of perjury, according to the laws of Kansas, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on December 29, 2006.

VANGUARD PIPING SYSTEMS, INC.

Name: Nathan L. Spearman, CPA

Title: Secretary/Treasurer

VG PIPE LLC

Name: Nathan L. Spearman, CPA

Title: Secretary/Treasurer

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