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C E R T I F I C A T E O F T H E O R G A N I Z A T I O N

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THE AMERICAN PIPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That we Edwin T. Swiftidge, Nathan S. Cox,  
Joseph W. Hanley, William L. Scott, Jr., William M. Paul, David  
J. Haas, Joseph S. Kuse, Jr., Charles S. Penruddick and Clifford Stine  
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do hereby associate ourselves into a Company, under and by  
virtue of the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the  
State of New Jersey, entitled "An act concerning Corporations,"  
approved April 7, 1875, and the supplements thereto and acts  
amendatory thereof, for the purposes hereinafter mentioned; and  
to that end we do, by this our certificate,

FIRST.- That the name we have assumed to denote such Com-  
pany, and to be used in its business and dealings, is

THE AMERICAN PIPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

SECOND.- That the place in this State where the business of  
such Company is to be conducted is the City of Camden, in the  
County of Camden, and the place out of this State where the  
same is to be conducted is the City of Philadelphia, in the  
State of Pennsylvania; and that the objects for which the Com-  
pany is formed are as follows, namely, for the purpose of  
carrying on within the State of New Jersey, and the adjoining  
State of Pennsylvania, and the other States and Territories of  
the United States of America, and every portion thereof, the  
manufacture of Phipps' Patent Hydraulic Pipe, and other pipe,  
for the use of water, gas, electric light and power, or nat-  
ural gas companies, or for use for sewers or drains, or any  
other purpose; and the business of selling and disposing of

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the same, and also the business of contracting with any person or persons, or any corporation, municipal or otherwise, having the right, power or franchise to build and construct water supply works, gas works, electric light and power plants, or natural gas plants, or any other works of improvement within said States and Territories, or either of them, to build, construct, enlarge or complete such water supply works, gas works, electric light and power plants or natural gas plants, or any other works of improvement, or any part or portion thereof, and to receive in payment, in whole or in part, therefor shares of the capital stock, or bonds, of any of the above described corporations, or securities issued by any government, State, county, city, or other corporation, municipal or otherwise, and to sell the same; and to lease, purchase, hold, assign, convey, mortgage and exchange real or personal property or contracts, and for the purposes of said business to issue bonds secured by mortgage or mortgages upon the property and franchises of the said Company; together with the right to purchase and hold any patents, or re-issues, renewals, improvements, modifications and extensions thereof, and the right of manufacture, use and sale of devices or appliances applicable to the business of the said Company, and the right of sale or other disposition, whether territorial or otherwise, of the same, and together with all and everything incidental to the promotion of the objects and purposes aforesaid.

The principal office of the Company will be located and maintained in the said City of Camden; and, the portion of the business of the Company which is to be carried on out of this State in the said City of Philadelphia, is such portion here-

of of an ordinarily administrative character, as can be conveniently and legally transacted there.

THIRD.- That the total amount of the capital stock of said Company is one million dollars; the number of shares into which the same is divided is ten thousand and the par value of each share is one hundred dollars; the amount with which the said Company will commence business is two thousand dollars, which is divided into twenty shares, of a par value of one hundred dollars each.

FOURTH.- The names and residences of the stockholders and the number of shares held by each are as follows:

Elihu F. Freridge,	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	Two shares
Nathan S. Cox,	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	Two shares
Joseph W. Stanley,	Media, Pennsylvania	Two shares
William S. Scott, Jr.,	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	One share
William H. Pimb,	Morristown, New Jersey	Two shares
Daniel J. Kene,	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	Two shares
Joseph S. Keen, Jr.,	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	Two shares
Charles S. Freridge,	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	Two shares
Clifford Stanley Sims,	Mount Holly, New Jersey	Two shares

FIFTH.- The period at which said Company shall commence is the  
first \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, A.D. eighteen hundred  
and eighty-nine and the period at which it shall terminate is  
the thirty-first \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, A.D. nineteen hun-  
dred and thirty-nine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals  
this twenty-sixth \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, A.D. eighteen hundred  
and eighty-nine.

Signed, sealed and delivered  
in the presence of

Edwin F. Barbosa  
H. J. G.  
J. W. M.  
A. C. C. & Co.  
W. M. Tracy  
Donald Storar  
Jacob Keech  
David Garrison  
William Jennings

STATE of NEW JERSEY. SS.  
COUNTY of CAMDEN

RE IT REMEMBERED, that on this thirty sixth day of  
January A.D. eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,  
in fore me a Master in Chancery of New Jersey.

Personally appeared Elwin I. Prouty, Nathan B. Cox, Joseph  
W. Hunter, William S. Scott, Jr., William H. Cole, David P.  
Harr, Joseph S. Koen, Jr., Charles S. Johnson and Clifford  
Stanley Davis

who, I am satisfied, are the persons named in and who executed  
the foregoing certificate, and I having first made known to  
them the contents thereof, they did each acknowledge that they  
signed, sealed and delivered the same as the voluntary act  
and deed. all of which is hereby attested

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