

# State of Idaho

Office of the Secretary of State

**CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY  
OF  
US ECOLOGY, INC.**

File Number C 135170

I PETE T. CENARRUSA, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, hereby certify that an Application for Certificate of Authority, duly executed pursuant to the provisions of the Idaho Business Corporation Act, has been received in this office and is found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I issue this Certificate of Authority to transact business in this State and attach hereto a duplicate of the application for such certificate.

Dated: August 16, 2000



*Pete T. Cenarrusa*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

By *Louisa Herald*



# APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY (For Profit)

(Instructions on Back of Application)

To the Secretary of State of Idaho:

The undersigned Corporation applies for a Certificate of Authority and states as follows:

1. The name of the corporation is US ECOLOGY, INC.
2. The name which it shall use in Idaho is US ECOLOGY, INC.
3. It is incorporated under the laws of California
4. Its date of incorporation is 9/22/1952
5. The address of its principal office is 805 West Idaho, Suite 200, Boise, Idaho 83702
6. The address to which correspondence should be addressed, if different from item 5, is \_\_\_\_\_
7. The street address of its registered office in Idaho is 805 West Idaho, Suite 200, Boise, ID 83702, and its registered agent in Idaho at that address is Jeanette Norris Green  
Assistant Secretary.
8. The names and respective business addresses of its directors and officers are:

| Name                       | Office | Address |
|----------------------------|--------|---------|
| <u>Please see attached</u> |        |         |
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Dated: 8/15/2000

US ECOLOGY, INC.

By Jeanette Norris Green  
(Corporation name)  
Jeanette Norris Green  
Assistant Secretary

Its \_\_\_\_\_  
(specify capacity of signer)

Customer Acct # : \_\_\_\_\_  
IDAHO SECRETARY OF STATE  
(If using pre-paid account)

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|   | Directors   |  | Officers  |
|---|---|--|---|
| <b>US Ecology, Inc.</b><br>805 W IDAHO STE 200<br>Boise ID 83702<br><br>For ALL | James Baumgardner<br>Jack K. Lemley<br>Zaki K. Naser<br>Stephen A. Romano<br>Robert S. Thorn<br>Robert M. Trimble | Chairman/CEO/Pres.<br>Exec. VP & Ops Manager<br>Vice President<br>Vice President<br>Vice President/Treasurer<br>Secretary<br>Assistant Secretary | Jack K. Lemley<br>Zaki K. Naser<br>Mark Cade<br>Tom Hayes<br>James R. Baumgardner<br>Robert M. Trimble<br>Jeanette Norris Green |



State of California

## SECRETARY OF STATE

CERTIFICATE OF STATUS  
DOMESTIC CORPORATION

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

That on the 22nd day of September, 19 52,

**US ECOLOGY, INC.**

became incorporated under the laws of the State of California by filing its Articles of Incorporation in this office; and

That no record exists in this office of a certificate of dissolution of said corporation nor of a court order declaring dissolution thereof, nor of a merger or consolidation which terminated its existence; and

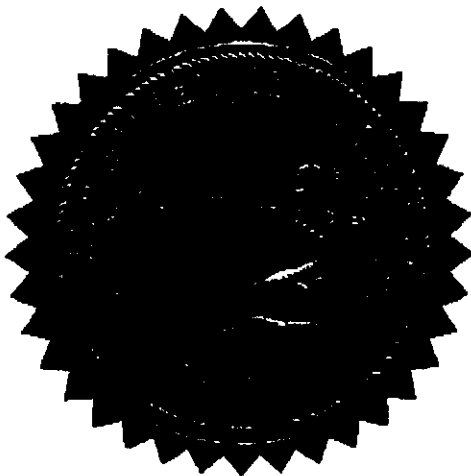
That said corporation's corporate powers, rights and privileges are not suspended on the records of this office; and

That according to the records of this office, the said corporation is authorized to exercise all its corporate powers, rights and privileges and is in good legal standing in the State of California; and

That no information is available in this office on the financial condition, business activity or practices of this corporation.

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

August 15, 2000



Secretary of State