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SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE OF IDAHO

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**ADVANCED ENERGY OF IDAHO, INC.**

The undersigned, acting as incorporators of a corporation under the Idaho Business Corporation Act, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

1. **NAME**: The name of the corporation is ADVANCED ENERGY OF IDAHO, INC.
2. **DURATION**: The period of its duration is perpetual.
3. **PROFIT**: This is a profit corporation.
4. **PURPOSES**: The purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized is for ethanol and related substance manufacturing and production and development of other energy resources; and, for the transaction of any and all lawful business for which corporations may be incorporated under the Idaho Business Corporation Act.
5. **SHARES AUTHORIZED**: The aggregate initial number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 100 shares of \$100.00 Dollar par value common stock.
6. **PRE-EMPTIVE RIGHTS**: Shareholders shall have pre-emptive rights to acquire unissued or treasury stock or securities convertible into or carrying a right to subscribe to or acquire shares.
7. **BUSINESS AFFAIRS**: Provisions for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are such as may be provided by the corporation's By Laws, including restrictions on the transfer of shares.
8. **REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE**: The initial registered agent is: Michael A. Ponkow and the initial registered office is: 254 James Ave., Chubbuck, ID 83202.
9. **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**: The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the corporation is five, and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as directors until the first annual meeting of shareholders or until their successors are elected and shall

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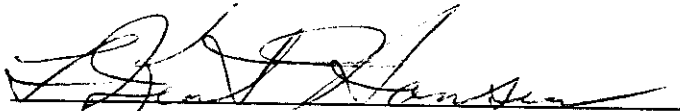
qualify are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Lewis Kent Hansen	4912 Sheppard St. Chubbuck, ID 83202
Linda Kaye Hansen	4912 Sheppard St. Chubbuck, ID 83202
Michael A. Ponkow	254 James Ave. Chubbuck, ID 83202
Kim J. Ward	2500 E. Richards Rd. Downey, ID 83234
Rebecca Ponkow	254 James Ave. Chubbuck, ID 83202

10. **INCORPORATORS:** The names and addresses of each incorporator is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Lewis Kent Hansen	4912 Sheppard St. Chubbuck, ID 83202
Michael A. Ponkow	254 James Ave. Chubbuck, ID 83202

DATED this 1st day of Sept, 2005.

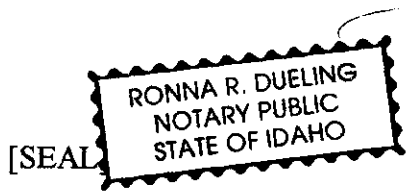
  
LEWIS KENT HANSEN

  
MICHAEL A. PONKOW

STATE OF IDAHO                    )  
  : ss  
County of Bannock                )

On this 1st day of September, 2005, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared LEWIS KENT HANSEN and MICHAEL A. PONKOW, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written.



Ronna R. Dueling  
NOTARY PUBLIC FOR IDAHO,  
Residing at: ocatella  
My Commission Expires: 13 Sep 2005