

# State of Idaho



## Department of State.

### CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

*I, Ira H. Masters, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, and legal custodian of the corporation records of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the original of the articles of incorporation of*

**WESTERN STEEL MANUFACTURING COMPANY**

*was filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the* **THIRTEENTH** *day*  
*of* **MARCH** *A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred* **FORTY-SIX** *and*  
*duly recorded on Film Roll No. 5 of Record of Domestic Corporations, of the State*  
*of Idaho, and that the said articles contain the statement of facts required by Section 29-*  
*103, Idaho Code, Annotated.*

*I FURTHER CERTIFY, That the persons executing the articles and their associates*  
*and successors are hereby constituted a corporation, by the name hereinbefore stated, for*  
*perpetual existence from the date hereof, with its registered office in this State located at*

**Boise** *in the County of* **Ada**

*IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed*

*the Great Seal of the State. Done at Boise City,*  
*the Capital of Idaho, this* **THIRTEENTH** *day*  
*of* **MARCH** *, in the year of our Lord*  
*one thousand nine hundred* **FORTY-SIX** *,*  
*and of the Independence of the United States of*  
*America the One Hundred* **SEVENTY**

*Ira H. Masters*  
Secretary of State.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
WESTERN STEEL MANUFACTURING COMPANY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, the undersigned, all of whom are of legal age and citizens of the United States of America, have today voluntarily associated ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of Idaho, and we hereby certify:

ARTICLE I.

The name of the corporation shall be "WESTERN STEEL MANUFACTURING COMPANY".

ARTICLE II.

The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III.

The location and post office address of the registered office of the corporation in the State of Idaho shall be Boise, Idaho.

ARTICLE IV.

The amount of the total authorized capital stock shall be FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000.00) divided into FIVE HUNDRED (500) shares of common stock of the par value of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) per share. All of the stock shall have the same powers and voting rights and shall be non-assessable for any purpose whatsoever.

ARTICLE V.

The number of directors of said corporation shall be three, none of whom need be shareholders in said corporation.

ARTICLE VI.

The names and post office addresses of each of the incorporators and the number of shares of stock subscribed by each are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POST OFFICE ADDRESS</u>	<u>NO. OF SHARES SUBSCRIBED</u>
Roy H. Norquist	Boise, Idaho	One
C. F. Tileston	Boise, Idaho	One
Golda Norquist	Boise, Idaho	One

#### ARTICLE VII

The purposes for which said corporation is formed are:

1. To buy, sell, deal in, construct, manufacture and fabricate all types of goods, wares, merchandise and products in which iron, aluminum, steel, lead, zinc, copper and associated metals and sheet metal are used in the manufacture, or are capable of being used in the manufacture thereof, or are partly used in the manufacture or are capable of being partly used in the manufacture thereof.

2. To conduct and carry on the business of builders and contractors for the purpose of building, erecting, altering, repairing or doing any other work in connection with building or construction work of every kind and nature whatsoever.

3. To apply for, obtain, register, purchase, lease or otherwise to acquire, and to hold, use, own, operate and introduce, and to sell, assign or otherwise dispose of, any trade-marks, trade-names, copyrights, patents, inventions, improvements and secret processes used in connection with or secured under letters patent from the United States of America or elsewhere; and to use, exercise, develop, grant licenses in respect of, or otherwise turn to account any such trade-marks, trade-names, copyrights, patents, licenses, processes and the like, or any such property or rights, necessary and incidental to these purposes.

4. To own, acquire, buy, sell, convey and otherwise deal in real estate of all kinds, and to construct thereon such buildings, warehouses, manufactories and other improve-

ments as shall be deemed necessary or proper for the conducting of the business of this corporation; and to own, acquire, buy, sell, convey and otherwise dispose of such real estate as shall be acquired by the corporation in the conduct of its business.

5. To buy, sell, discount, and deal in bills of exchange, notes, bonds, debentures, warrants, certificates and other securities, whether negotiable or otherwise; to borrow or loan money, and to give or receive security therefor by mortgage, pledge or otherwise.

6. To carry on any other lawful business whatsoever in connection with the foregoing or which is calculated directly or indirectly to promote the interest of the corporation or to enhance the value of its properties and to have and exercise all rights, powers and privileges which are now or may hereafter be conferred by the State of Idaho upon corporations; to execute, from time to time, general or special powers of attorney to persons, firms, associations, or corporations and to revoke same as and when the Board of Directors may determine; and to do any or all of the things herein set forth to the same extent as natural persons might or could do.

7. Any and all of the rights, powers, privileges or restrictions in these Articles of Incorporation granted and contained, conferred or imposed may be enlarged, amended, altered, changed in any manner and to any extent, or repealed by articles of amendment made, executed, authorized and filed in any manner now or hereafter permitted or authorized by the laws of the State of Idaho.

8. The several clauses contained in this statement of purposes shall be construed as both purposes and powers, and the statements contained in each clause, shall, except where otherwise expressed, be in no way limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clause, but shall be regarded as independent purposes and powers.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The parties hereto have here-  
unto set their hands and caused this instrument to be executed  
in triplicate this the 12th day of March, 1946, at Boise,  
Ada County, Idaho.

Roy H. Norquist  
C. F. Tileston  
Golda Norquist

STATE OF IDAHO     )  
                              ss.  
COUNTY OF ADA     )

On this 12th day of March, 1946, before me, M. H.  
Greene, a Notary Public in and for said state, personally  
appeared Roy H. Norquist, C. F. Tileston, and Golda Norquist,  
known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed  
to the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged  
to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and  
affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate  
first above written.

M. H. Greene  
Notary Public for Idaho  
Residing at Boise, Idaho