

State of Idaho



Department of State.

CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION OF FOREIGN CORPORATION

I, ARNOLD WILLIAMS, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, and legal custodian of the corporation records of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that

BUSINESS FINANCE CO., INC.

a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of **Washington** has fully complied with Section 10 Article II of the Constitution, and with Sections 30-501 and 30-502, Idaho Code, by filing in this office on the **11th** day of **June** 19 **65**, a properly authenticated copy of its articles of incorporation, and on the **11th** day of **June** 19 **65**, a designation of **William A. Reagan** in the County of **Kootenai** as statutory agent for said corporation within the State of Idaho, upon whom process issued by authority of, or under any law of this State, may be served.

AND I FURTHER CERTIFY, That said corporation has complied with the laws of the State of Idaho, relating to corporations not created under the laws of the State, as contained in Chapter 5 of Title 30, Idaho Code, and is therefore duly and regularly qualified as a corporation in Idaho, having the same rights and privileges, and being subject to the same laws, as like domestic corporations.

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 **11th** day of **June**, A.D. 19 **65**.

ARNOLD WILLIAMS
Secretary of State

By Deputy Secretary of State.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Department Of State

I, **A. LUDLOW KRAMER**, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON AND CUSTODIAN OF THE SEALS OF SAID STATE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT: the annexed is a true and correct copy of the Articles of Incorporation and all amendments thereto of WESTERN LEASING CO., INC., including Amendatory Articles changing the name to BUSINESS FINANCE CO., INC., which have been duly filed and recorded in my office in accordance with law; I further certify that BUSINESS FINANCE CO., INC. has not been dissolved and is in good standing as a subsisting corporation in the State of Washington with all of its license fees paid to July 1, 1965; and I further certify that I am the officer having the legal custody of the official record of the original Articles of Incorporation and all amendments to the Articles of said corporation.



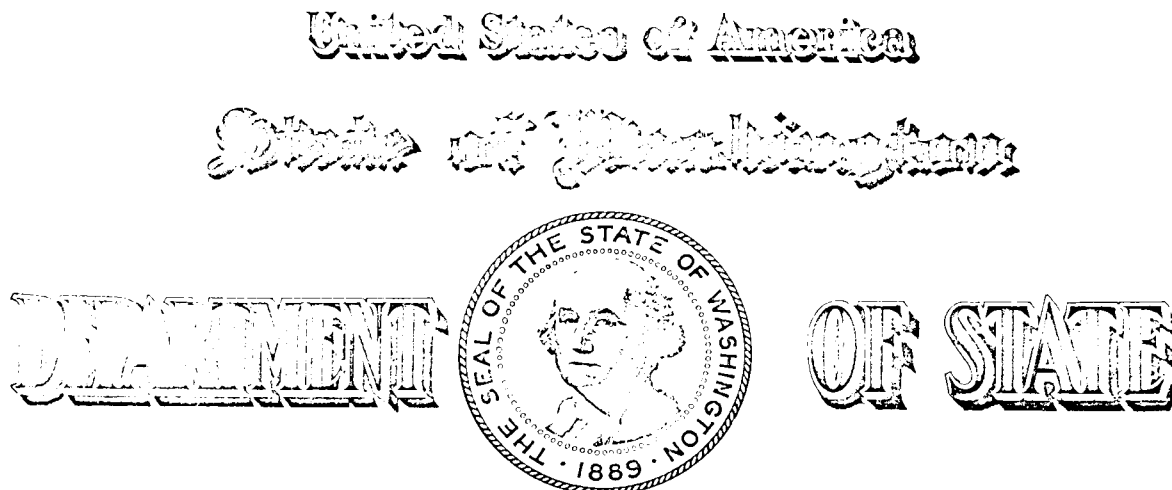
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND AFFIXED HERETO THE SEAL OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, DONE AT THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, THIS 27TH DAY OF MAY, 1965.

May 27, 1965

[Signature]

STANLEY M. GERSHBERG
Audited Secretary of State

A. LUDLOW KRAMER
SECRETARY OF STATE



I, VICTOR A. MEYERS, Secretary of State of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF THE

WESTERN LEASING CO., INC.

a Domestic Corporation, of Spokane, Washington, was, on
the 6th day of June, A. D. 1963, at 9:52 o'clock A. M.,
filed for record in this office and now remains on file herein.

Filed at request of

William G. Ennis, Lawyer
507 Lincoln Savings Bldg.
Spokane 1, Washington

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed hereto the Seal of the
State of Washington. Done at the Capitol, at
Olympia, this 6th day of June,
A. D. 1963.

Victor A. Meyers
VICTOR A. MEYERS, Secretary of State

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VICTOR A. MEYERS
SECRETARY OF STATE
BY *[Signature]*
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
WESTERN LEASING CO., INC.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the under-
signed, being natural persons of full age and citizens of the
United States, have this day voluntarily associated ourselves
together, and do hereby associate ourselves together for the
purpose of forming a corporation under the general corporation
laws of the State of Washington and acts amendatory thereof and
supplemental thereto, and do certify as follows:

FIRST:

The corporate name of this corporation shall be
WESTERN LEASING CO., INC.

SECOND:

The nature of the business and the purposes for which
the corporation is formed are:

(a) To purchase, subscribe for, or in any wise acquire,
own, hold, use, sell, lease, assign, transfer, discount, mortgage,
pledge, exchange or otherwise dispose of in any manner personal
property of every kind and description, including, but not limited
by, furniture, machinery, fixtures, tools, equipment, merchandise,
motor vehicles, shares of stock, bonds, debentures, notes, accounts,
evidences of indebtedness, and other securities, contracts or

obligations of any corporation or corporations, association or associations, domestic or foreign, or any individual or individuals, and to pay therefor in whole or in part in cash or by exchanging therefor stocks, bonds or other evidence of indebtedness or securities of this or any other corporation, and while the owner or holder of any such personal property, stocks, bonds, debentures, notes, accounts, evidences of indebtedness or other securities, contracts, or obligations, to receive, collect and dispose of the interest, dividends and income arising from such property, and to possess and exercise in respect thereof all the rights, powers and privileges of ownership, including all voting powers on any stock so owned, and to purchase, acquire or deal in shares of its own capital.

(b) To transact the business of investing on behalf of itself or others any part of its capital and such additional funds as it may obtain or any interest therein and selling or otherwise disposing of the same or any part thereof or interest therein.

(c) To acquire by lease, purchase, gift, devise, contract, concession or otherwise and to hold, own, develop, explore or exploit, improve, operate, lease, manage, sell or in any way dispose of or in any wise turn to account; to mortgage, convey, grant, exchange or otherwise dispose of all real estate, lands, options, concessions, patents, franchises, rights,

privileges, licenses, permits, easements, interests and properties of every kind, nature and description whatsoever.

(d) To do any acts designed to protect, preserve, improve or enhance the value of property at any time held or controlled by this corporation, or in which it may be interested.

(e) To borrow money, to issue bonds, notes, debentures, or other obligations of this corporation from time to time for any of the objects or purposes of this corporation, and to secure the same by mortgage, pledge, deed of trust or otherwise, or to issue the same unsecured.

(f) To lend money with or without security of any type, kind or nature.

(g) To conduct a general finance business; to buy, discount, sell, and in all other ways deal in and with accounts receivable, contracts for the sale and purchase of real and personal property, chattel mortgages, real estate mortgages, and all other types of security documents.

(h) To carry on any business whatsoever which this corporation may deem proper or convenient in connection with any of the foregoing purposes or otherwise, or which may be calculated directly or indirectly to promote the interests of this corporation or to enhance the value of its property or business; to conduct its business in this State, in other States, in the District of Columbia, in the territories and colonies

of the United States, and in foreign countries, and to have and to exercise all the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Washington upon corporations formed under the laws pursuant to and under which this corporation is formed, as such laws are now in effect or may at any time hereafter be amended.

The foregoing statement of purposes shall be construed as a statement of both purposes and powers, and the purposes and powers stated in each clause shall, except where otherwise expressed, be in no wise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms or provisions of any other clause, but shall be regarded as independent purposes.

THIRD:

The location and post office address of the registered office of the corporation in the State of Washington is:

North 2015 Monroe Street, Spokane, Washington.

FOURTH:

The authorized capital stock of the corporation shall be \$50,000.00, consisting of 50,000 shares of common stock having a par value of \$1.00 each.

FIFTH:

The amount of paid-in capital with which the corporation will begin business is \$500.00.

SIXTH:

The first directors shall hold office until the second Monday in June, 1964, and thereafter until their successors are

elected at a meeting of the stockholders, and their names and postoffice addresses are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
W. G. Ennis	507 Lincoln Savings Building, Spokane 1, Washington
C. M. Ennis	507 Lincoln Savings Building Spokane 1, Washington
Wilda E. Meyer	Route 3, Spokane, Washington

SEVENTH:

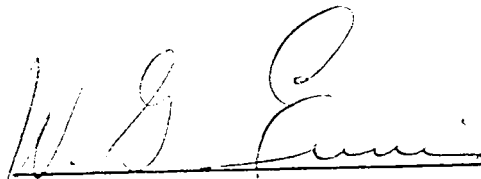
The names and postoffice addresses of each of the incorporators and the number of shares of stock subscribed by each are the following:


<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Number of Shares Subscribed</u>
W. G. Ennis	507 Lincoln Savings Bldg. Spokane 1, Washington	one
C. M. Ennis	507 Lincoln Savings Bldg. Spokane 1, Washington	one
Wilda E. Meyer	Route 3, Spokane, Washington	one

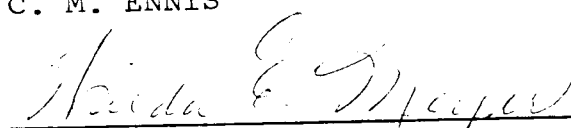
EIGHTH:

The time of existence of this corporation shall be perpetual.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands
this 29th day of May, 1963.


W. G. ENNIS



C. M. ENNIS


WILDA E. MEYER

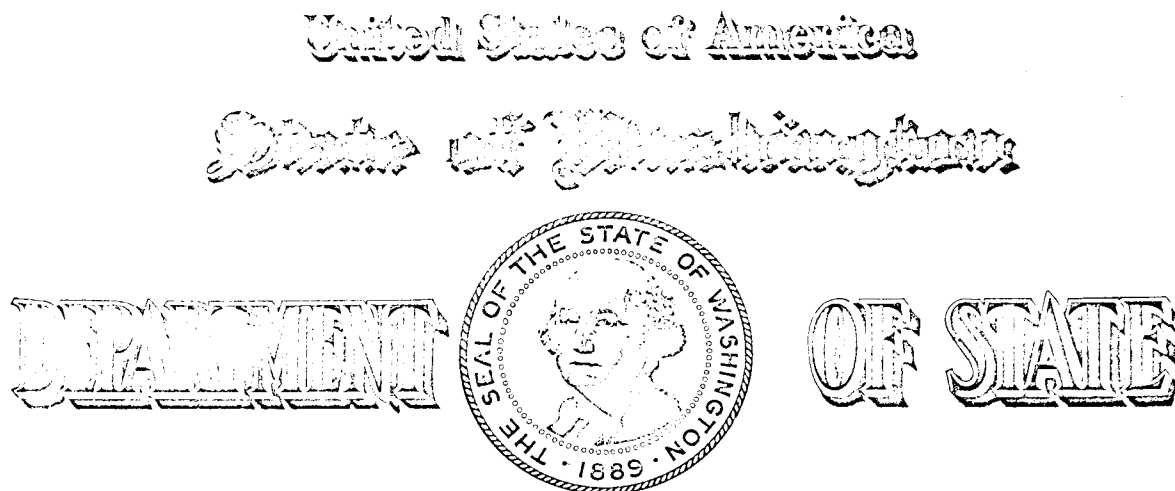
STATE OF WASHINGTON)
)
COUNTY OF SPOKANE)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that on this 24th day of May, 1963, personally appeared before me W. G. ENNIS, C. M. ENNIS, and WILDA E. MEYER, to me known to be the individuals described in and who executed the above and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and official seal the day and year first above written.



Notary Public in and for the State
of Washington, residing at Spokane



I, VICTOR A. MEYERS, Secretary of State of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that

AMENDED

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF THE

WESTERN LEASING CO., INC.

(Changing name to Business Finance Co., Inc.)

a Domestic Corporation, of Spokane, Washington, was, on
the 27th day of August, A. D. 1963, at 11:04 o'clock A. M.,
filed for record in this office and now remains on file herein.

Filed at request of

William G. Ennis, Lawyer

507 Lincoln Savings Bldg.

Spokane 1, Washington

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set

my hand and affixed hereto the Seal of the
State of Washington. Done at the Capitol, at
Olympia, this 27th day of August,
A. D. 1963.

Victor A. Meyers
VICTOR A. MEYERS, Secretary of State

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License to June 30, 1964 \$

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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

of

WESTERN LEASING CO., INC.

VICTOR A. MEYERS
SECRETARY OF STATE
BY [Signature]
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE

The name of Western Leasing Co., Inc., is changed to Business Finance Co., Inc., by reason of the adoption of the resolution hereinafter set out at a stockholders' meeting duly held for that purpose on the 22nd day of August, 1963, to wit:

"BE IT RESOLVED that Article I of the Articles of Incorporation of this company be amended to read as follows:

"'ARTICLE I. The corporate name of this corporation shall be BUSINESS FINANCE CO., INC.'"

WESTERN LEASING CO., INC.

Attest:

J. M. Klobucher
Secretary

By

W. G. Ennis
President

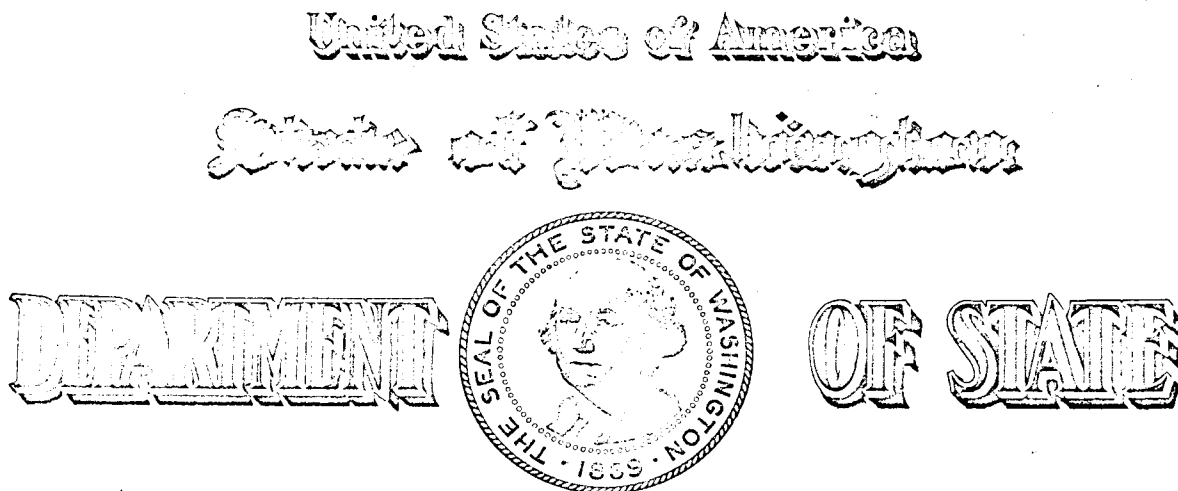
STATE OF WASHINGTON)
COUNTY OF SPOKANE)

W. G. Ennis and J. M. Klobucher, each being first duly sworn, on oath depose and say: That they are the President and Secretary, respectively, of Western Leasing Co., Inc., a corporation. That the amendment to the Articles of Incorporation hereinabove set out was adopted by the unanimous vote of all stockholders at a special meeting of stockholders duly called and held for that purpose on the 22nd day of August, 1963.

J. M. Klobucher
W. G. Ennis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August, 1963.

[Signature]
Notary Public in and for the State
of Washington, residing at Spokane



I, VICTOR A. MEYERS, Secretary of State of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that

AMENDED

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF THE

BUSINESS FINANCE CO., INC.

(Adding paragraph (1) to Article II regarding purposes)

a Domestic Corporation, of Spokane, Washington, was, on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1964 at 10:04 o'clock A. M., filed for record in this office and now remains on file herein.

Filed at request of

Guthrie Investments, Inc.
P. O. Box 2604, Terminal Annex
Spokane 2, Washington

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set

my hand and affixed hereto the Seal of the State of Washington. Done at the Capitol, at Olympia, this 13th day of January, A. D. 1964.

Victor A. Meyers
VICTOR A. MEYERS, Secretary of State

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License to June 30, 1965 \$

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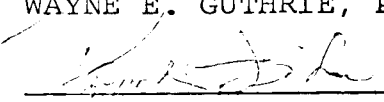
It is hereby certified by the undersigned, the President and Secretary-treasurer, respectively, of Business Finance Co., Inc., that at a special meeting of the shareholders, officers and directors of said corporation, held at 2015 North Monroe, on the 8th day of January, 1964, pursuant to waiver of notice of meeting signed by all of said shareholders, officers and directors, the following resolution to amend the Articles of Incorporation was adopted by unanimous vote:

"IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the Articles of Incorporation of Business Finance Co., Inc., be amended as follows, to wit: That Article Second of the Articles of Incorporation of said corporation be amended by adding, following paragraph (h) of Article Second of said Articles, the following paragraph:

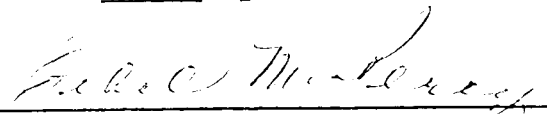
"(i) To engage in the business of insurance agent and broker as those terms are defined by the laws of the State of Washington, and to transact all business necessary for such purposes."

"IT IS HEREBY FURTHER RESOLVED that the officers of said corporation be authorized to take the necessary steps to perfect the above amendment of the said Articles of Incorporation."


WAYNE E. GUTHRIE, President


RAYMOND J. FISHER, Secretary-Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1964.


Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, residing at Spokane