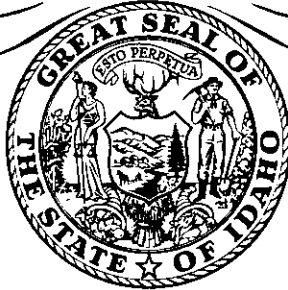


State of Idaho



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

HAMMOND LIVESTOCK, INC.

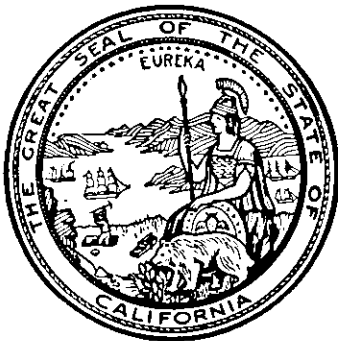
a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of **California** has fully complied with Section 10 Article II of the Constitution, and with Sections 30-501 and 30-502, Idaho Code, by filing in this office on the **Ninth** day of **October**, 19 **63**, a properly authenticated copy of its articles of incorporation, and on the **Ninth** day of **October**, 19 **63**, a designation of **John P. Hammond** in the County of **Ada** 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 **9th** day of **October**, A.D. 19**63**.

Secretary of State.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

To all whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, FRANK M. JORDAN, Secretary of State of the State of California, hereby certify:

That the annexed transcript has been compared with the RECORD on file in my office, of which it purports to be a copy, and that the same is full, true and correct.

In testimony whereof, I, FRANK M. JORDAN, Secretary of State, have hereunto caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed and my name subscribed, at the City of Sacramento, in the State of California,
this AUG 28 1963



Frank M. Jordan
Secretary of State

By *Carter G. Tucker*
Assistant Secretary of State

**ENDORSED
FILED**

In the Office of the Secretary of State
of the State of California

Jul 9 1959

FRANK H. [unclear] Secretary of State
By [unclear]

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
HAMMOND LIVESTOCK, INC.**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, the undersigned, W. E. HAMMOND, JAMES E. HAMMOND and JOHN P. HAMMOND, have this day voluntarily associated ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of California.

AND WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST: That the name of this corporation is:

HAMMOND LIVESTOCK, INC.

SECOND: The corporation's purposes are:

(a) That the specific business in which the corporation proposes primarily and initially to engage is: To conduct a general farming operation and to buy, sell and deal in cattle and other livestock; to buy, sell, own and lease real property, ranch lands, pasture lands and other properties incidental to general farming operations and to do any and every act or thing proper, necessary or incidental to the general purpose of this company;

(b) To engage in any one or more other businesses or transactions which the Board of Directors of this corporation may from time to time authorize or approve, whether related or unrelated to the business described above or to any other business then or theretofore done by this corporation;

(c) To exercise any and all rights and powers which a corporation may now or hereafter exercise, including the additional powers listed in Section 802 of the California Corporation Code;

(d) To act as principal, agent, joint venturer, partner or in any other capacity which may be authorized or approved by the Board of Directors of this corporation;

(e) To purchase, apply for, and otherwise, acquire, sell, transfer, and otherwise dispose of, mortgage, and otherwise encumber, franchises, easements, rights, privileges, licenses,

trade marks, trade names, patents, inventions, improvements, and processes;

(f) To acquire, hold, and sell the shares of other corporations, and negotiate for the sale, hypothecation, or disposal of the same; to borrow and loan money in connection with the foregoing purposes with or without security thereof; to execute notes, bonds, and all other obligations for money borrowed, property purchased, or otherwise acquired by this corporation, labor done, or services performed for this corporation, or any lawful purposes, and to secure the payment of the principal and interest of said notes, bonds, or other obligations by mortgage, pledge, hypothecation, deed of trust, or otherwise of any or all property owned or which may be acquired by this corporation; and generally to transact and carry on any other business, and to exercise any other powers which may be necessary, proper, or convenient to be carried on or exercised in connection with any of the foregoing purposes or incident thereto;

(g) This corporation from time to time may do any one or more of the acts and things, or carry out any one or more of the purposes, herein set forth, and may transact business in the State of California or in any other jurisdiction of the United States of America or elsewhere in the world.

(h) The several clauses contained in the statement of purposes shall be construed as both purposes and powers and the statements contained in each clause shall be in no wise limited or restricted, by reference to, or inference from, the terms of any other clause, but shall be regarded as independent purposes and powers; and no restriction, expression or declaration of specific or special powers or purposes herein enumerated shall be deemed to be exclusive; but it is hereby expressly declared that all other lawful powers not inconsistent therewith are hereby included.

THIRD: The County in the State of California where the principal office for the transaction of the business of this corporation is located is the County of Siskiyou.

FOURTH: (a) The number of directors of this corporation is three (3).

(b) The names and addresses of the persons who are appointed to act as first directors are:

1. W. E. Hammond, P. O. Box 115, Grenada, California
2. James E. Hammond, P. O. Box 115, Grenada, California
3. John P. Hammond, P. O. Box 115, Grenada, California

FIFTH: That the total number of shares which this corporation shall have authority to issue is four hundred fifty (450) shares; that the par value of each share is One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00); that the aggregate par value of all shares is Forty-five Thousand Dollars (\$45,000.00).

SIXTH: The shareholders of this corporation shall have preemptive rights to subscribe to any issue of shares of stock or securities of this corporation.

SEVENTH: The transfer of shares shall be subject to such restrictions as shall be set forth in the By-Laws of this corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned and above-named incorporators and first directors of this corporation have executed these Articles of Incorporation on July 6, 1959.

W. E. Hammond
W. E. Hammond

James E. Hammond
James E. Hammond

John P. Hammond
John P. Hammond.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA () ss.
County of Siskiyou)

On July 6, 1959, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared W. E. HAMMOND, JAMES E. HAMMOND and JOHN P. HAMMOND, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and severally acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Virginia L. Trumble (Seal)
Notary Public in and for the
County of Siskiyou, State of
California.