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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
Office of the Secretary of State
Division of Business Services
148 W. River Street
Providence, Rhode Island 02904-2615

BUSINESS CORPORATION

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

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Pursuant to the provisions of Section 7-1.2-1405 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended, the undersigned foreign corporation hereby applies for a Certificate of Authority to transact business in the State of Rhode Island, and for that purpose submits the following statement:

1. The name of the corporation is AstenJohnson Americas Sales, Inc.
2. It is incorporated under the laws of Delaware
3. The name, if different, which it elects to use in Rhode Island is:
 - (a) If the name of the corporation in its jurisdiction of incorporation does not contain the word "corporation", "company", "incorporated", or "limited" or an abbreviation thereof, then list the name of the corporation with the addition of one of the above corporate endings for use in Rhode Island:
 - (b) If the corporate name is not available in Rhode Island, then set forth below the fictitious name under which the corporation will qualify and transact business in Rhode Island as stated in the "Fictitious Business Name Statement" to be filed with this application:
4. The date of its incorporation is September 18, 2015 and the period of its duration is Perpetual
5. The address of its principal office is 4399 Corporate Road, Charleston, SC 29405
6. The address of its proposed registered office in Rhode Island is 222 Jefferson Boulevard, Suite 200
(Street Address, not P.O. Box)
Warwick, RI 02888 and the name of its proposed registered agent in Rhode Island at
(City/Town) (Zip Code)
that address is Corporation Service Company
(Name of Agent)
7. The purpose or purposes which it proposes to pursue in the transaction of business in Rhode Island are:
Sales of Paper Machine Clothing
8. (a) The names and respective addresses of its directors (optional unless directors are required under the laws of the state or country of which it is incorporated).

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Director	<u>none</u>	
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(b) The names and respective addresses of its principal officers (mandatory if directors are not required under the laws of the state or country of which it is incorporated).

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
President	<u>see attached</u>	<u></u>
Vice President	<u></u>	<u></u>
Treasurer	<u></u>	<u></u>
Secretary	<u></u>	<u></u>

9. The aggregate number of shares which it has authority to issue, itemized by classes, par value of shares, shares without par value, and series, if any, within a class, is:

<u>Number of Shares</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Par Value or Statement that Shares are without Par Value</u>
<u>100</u>	<u>common</u>	<u></u>	<u>.01</u>
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10. (a) \$ 20,871,770 = An estimate of the value of all property to be owned by the corporation for the following year, wherever located.
- (b) \$ 0 = An estimate of the value of the corporation's property to be located within Rhode Island during the following year.
- (c) 0 % = An estimate, expressed as a percentage, of the proportion that the estimated value of the property of the corporation to be located within this state during the following year bears to the value of all property of the corporation to be owned during the following year, wherever located. *(divide (b) by (a) and multiply by 100 to obtain the percentage)*
11. (a) \$ 135,077,954 = An estimate of the gross amount of business to be transacted by the corporation during the following year.
- (b) \$ 10,000 = An estimate of the gross amount of business to be transacted by the corporation at or from places of business in Rhode Island during the following year.
- (c) .01 % = An estimate, expressed as a percentage, of the proportion that the gross amount of business to be transacted by the corporation at or from places of business in this state during the following year bears to the gross amount thereof which will be transacted by the corporation during the following year. *(divide (b) by (a) and multiply by 100 to obtain the percentage)*
12. This application is accompanied by a certificate of Good Standing issued by the proper officer of the state or country under the laws of which it is incorporated.
13. This Application for Certificate of Authority shall be effective upon filing unless a specified date is provided which shall be no later than the 90th day after the date of this filing 01/01/2016.

Under penalty of perjury, I declare and affirm that I have examined this Application for Certificate of Authority, including any accompanying attachments, and that all statements contained herein are true and correct.

Date: 11/18/2015

Brenda Szymanowski
Signature of Authorized Officer of the Corporation

Brenda Szymanowski, Treasurer

Type or Print Name of Authorized Officer

Addendum - AstenJohnson Americas Sales, Inc.

Names and business addresses of Officers:

Name	Title	Address
Kevin Frank	CEO, President, Assistant Secretary	4399 Corporate Road, Charleston, SC 29405
Stephen K. Polston	CFO, Assistant Treasurer	4399 Corporate Road, Charleston, SC 29405
Brenda Szymanowski	Treasurer	4399 Corporate Road, Charleston, SC 29405
James M. Gibson	Secretary & General Counsel	4399 Corporate Road, Charleston, SC 29405

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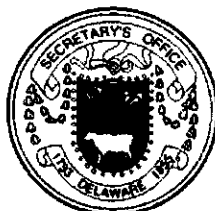
I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "ASTENJOHNSON AMERICAS SALES, INC." IS DULY INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL CORPORATE EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2015.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN FILED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "ASTENJOHNSON AMERICAS SALES, INC." WAS INCORPORATED ON THE EIGHTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 2015.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FRANCHISE TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID TO DATE.

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Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State

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Nellie M. Gorbea, *Secretary of State*

I, NELLIE M. GORBEA, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island
and Providence Plantations, hereby certify that this document, duly executed in
accordance with the provisions of Title 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as
amended, has been filed in this office on this day:

Nellie M. Gorbea
Secretary of State

