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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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**TO:** Registration Section  
Division of Corporations

**SUBJECT:** Eastern Technical Associates, Incorporated  
(Name of corporation - must include suffix)

Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed "Application by Foreign Corporation for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida", "Certificate of Existence", and check are submitted to register the above referenced foreign corporation to transact business in Florida.

Please return all correspondence concerning this matter to the following:

<u>Tom Rose</u>	(Name of Person)	000004798230--1 -01/25/02--01066--002 ***\$78.75 ***\$78.75
<u>Eastern Technical Associates, Incorporated</u>	(Firm/Company)	W02-2451
<u>P.O. Box 1009</u>	(Address)	000004798230--1 -02/13/02--01067--011 ***\$186.25 ***\$186.25
<u>Garner, NC 27529-1009</u>	(City/State and Zip code)	

For further information concerning this matter, please call:

<u>Sherri Sigworth</u>	at ( <u>919</u> ) <u>878-3188</u>	02 FEB -6 AM 9:42 FILED SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA
(Name of Person)	(Area Code & Daytime Telephone Number)	

**STREET ADDRESS:**  
Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
409 E. Gaines St.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399

**MAILING ADDRESS:**  
Registration Section  
Division of Corporations  
P.O. Box 6327  
Tallahassee, FL 32314

Enclosed is a check for the following amount:

- \$70.00 Filing Fee
- \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certificate of Status
- \$78.75 Filing Fee & Certified Copy
- \$87.50 Filing Fee, Certificate of Status & Certified Copy



**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**Katherine Harris**  
Secretary of State

January 29, 2002

TOM ROSE  
PO BOX 1009  
GARNER, NC 27529-1009

SUBJECT: EASTERN TECHNICAL ASSOCIATES, INC.  
Ref. Number: W02000002451

We have received your document for EASTERN TECHNICAL ASSOCIATES, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$78.75. However, the document has not been filed and is being retained in this office for the following:

Pursuant to section 607.1502(4), 617.1502(4) or 608.502(4), Florida Statutes, this office collects a civil penalty of \$1000 for each year this entity transacted business or conducted its affairs in Florida prior to qualification and the appropriate annual report/uniform business report fees that would have been due this office had the entity qualified the year it began operations in this state. The amount due this office to cover both annual report/uniform business report and penalty fees is \$24,036.25.

Enclosed please find a copy of section 607.1501, 617.1501, or 608.502, Florida Statutes, which lists those activities that do not constitute transacting business in this state. If after reviewing this section you determine erroneous information was inserted on the application, a notarized affidavit containing the following information must be submitted: 1.) a statement indicating erroneous information was listed on the application; and 2.) the correct date the corporation began transacting business in Florida prior to the year the application was submitted did not constitute transacting business pursuant to section 607.1501, 617.1501 or 608.502, Florida Statutes.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 245-6097.

Michael Mays  
Document Specialist

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# *Department of State*

## *Memorandum Office of the General Counsel*

TO: File

FROM: Gerard York, Assistant General Counsel

DATE: February 4, 2002

RE: Eastern Technical Associates, Inc.

Based on my review of the file and the payments received from the corporation, it is my recommendation that this file be closed. Corporation has paid outstanding report fees from 1979 of \$2186.25, charter taxes assessed in a lump sum of \$100.00, and penalties from 1979 assessed in a lump sum of \$6900.00 and wishes to be issued a certificate of authority to do business in the State of Florida. Accordingly, it is recommended corporation be issued a certificate of authority.

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**APPLICATION BY FOREIGN CORPORATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA**

*IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 607.1503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN CORPORATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.*

1. Eastern Technical Associates, Incorporated  
(Name of corporation; must include the word "INCORPORATED", "COMPANY", "CORPORATION" or words or abbreviations of like import in language as will clearly indicate that it is a corporation instead of a natural person or partnership if not so contained in the name at present.)

2. North Carolina 3. 56-1236541  
(State or country under the law of which it is incorporated) (FEI number, if applicable)

4. April 9, 1979 5. perpetual  
(Date of incorporation) (Duration: Year corp. will cease to exist or "perpetual")

6. July 18, 1979  
(Date first transacted business in Florida. If corporation has not transacted business in Florida, insert "upon qualification.")  
(SEE SECTIONS 607.1501, 607.1502 and 817.155, F.S.)

7. Eastern Technical Associates, 3302 Anvil Place, Raleigh, NC 27603  
(Principal office address)  
Eastern Technical Associates, P.O. Box 1009, Garner, NC 27529-1009  
(Current mailing address)

8. Provide training and certification in Visible Emissions testing.  
(Purpose(s) of corporation authorized in home state or country to be carried out in state of Florida)

9. Name and street address of Florida registered agent: (P.O. Box or Mail Drop Box NOT acceptable)  
Name: H.T. Rose  
Office Address: 1017 Augusta Drive  
Sun City Center, Florida 33573  
(City) (Zip code)

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10. Registered agent's acceptance:  
*Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this application, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.*

H.T. Rose  
(Registered agent's signature)

11. Attached is a certificate of existence duly authenticated, not more than 90 days prior to delivery of this application to the Department of State, by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of corporate records in the jurisdiction under the law of which it is incorporated.

12. Names and business addresses of officers and/or directors:

A. DIRECTORS

Chairman: Thomas H. Ross  
Address: 2116 OAKTON DR  
Raleigh, NC 27606

Vice Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

B. OFFICERS

President: TOM ROSS  
Address: 2116 OAKTON DR  
Raleigh NC 27606

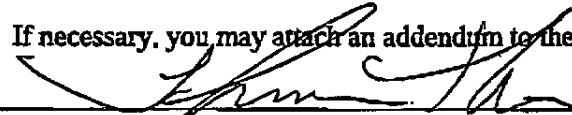
Vice President: Patricia S. Ross  
Address: 2116 OAKTON DR  
Raleigh NC 27606

Secretary: Patricia S. Ross  
Address: 2116 OAKTON DR Raleigh, NC.

Treasurer: T. Patrick Ross  
Address: 2116 OAKTON DRIVE Raleigh NC 27606

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NOTE: If necessary, you may attach an addendum to the application listing additional officers and/or directors.

13.   
(Signature of Chairman, Vice Chairman, or any officer listed in number 12 of the application)

14. Thomas H. Ross  
(Typed or printed name and capacity of person signing application)



# North Carolina Department of the Secretary of State

## CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE

I, **ELAINE F. MARSHALL**, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that

### **EASTERN TECHNICAL ASSOCIATES, INC.**

is a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of North Carolina, having been incorporated on the 9th day of April, 1979, with its period of duration being Perpetual.

I **FURTHER** certify that, as of the date set forth hereunder, the said corporation's articles of incorporation are not suspended for failure to comply with the Revenue Act of the State of North Carolina; that the said corporation is not administratively dissolved for failure to comply with the provisions of the North Carolina Business Corporation Act; that its most recent annual report required by N.C.G.S. 55-16-22 has been delivered to the Secretary of State; and that the said corporation has not filed articles of dissolution as of the date of this certificate.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 15th day of January, 2002.

*Elaine F. Marshall*  
Secretary of State

