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STATE OF INDIANA  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

To Whom These Presents Come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, there has been presented to me at this office, Articles of Amendment for:

AMOCO CORPORATION

and said Articles of Amendment have been prepared and signed in accordance with the provisions of the Indiana Business Corporation Law, as amended.

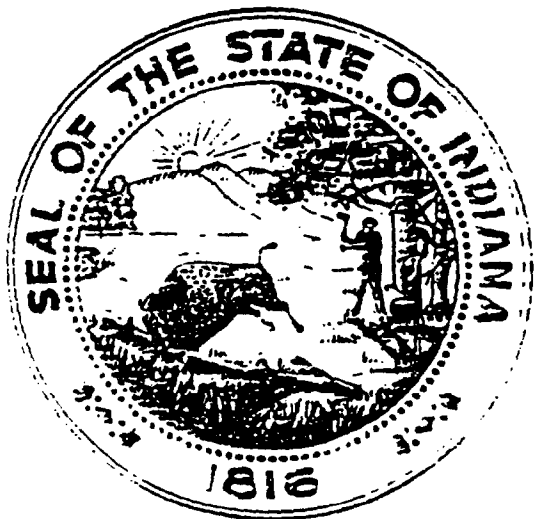
The name of the corporation is amended as follows:

BP AMOCO CORPORATION

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SUE ANNE GILROY, Secretary of State of Indiana, hereby certify that I have this day filed said articles in this office.

The effective date of these Articles of Amendment is December 31, 1998.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State of Indiana, at the City of Indianapolis, this Thirty-first day of December, 1998.



*Sue Anne Gilroy*  
SUE ANNE GILROY, Secretary of State

Deputy

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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT OF THE  
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF:

Name of Corporation  
Amoco Corporation

The undersigned officers of:

(hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation") existing pursuant to the provisions of: (indicate appropriate act)

Indiana Business Corporation Law     Indiana Professional Corporation Act of 1983

as amended (hereinafter referred to as the "Act"), desiring to give notice of corporate action effectuating amendment of certain provisions of its Articles of Incorporation, certify the following facts:

ARTICLE I Amendment(s)

SECTION 1 The date of incorporation of the Corporation is:

June 18, 1889

SECTION 2 The name of the Corporation following this amendment to the Articles of Incorporation is:

BP Amoco Corporation

SECTION 3

The exact text of Article(s) I & IX of the Article of Incorporation is now as follows:

ARTICLE I  
Name of Corporation

The name of the Corporation is BP Amoco Corporation.

ARTICLE IX  
The Board of Directors of the Corporation

The Board of Directors shall consist of a minimum of one (1) member and a maximum of six (6) members, the actual number of the members to be fixed from time to time by resolution of the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall be elected by a plurality of the votes at the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Corporation called for that purpose. A decrease in the number of directors shall not shorten an incumbent director's term.

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SECTION 4 Date of each amendment's adoption:

December 31, 1998

SECTION 1 This amendment was adopted by the Board of Directors or incorporators and no shareholder action was not required.

SECTION 2 The shareholders of the Corporation entitled to vote in respect to the amendment adopted the proposed amendment. The amendment was adopted by:

A. Vote of such shareholders during a meeting called by the Board of Directors. The result of such vote is as follows:

	Shares entitled to vote.
	Number of shares represented at the meeting.
	Shares voted in favor.
	Shares voted against.

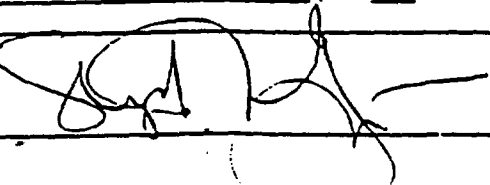
B. Written consent executed on December 31, 19 98 and signed by all such shareholders.

ARTICLE III Compliance with Legal Requirements

The manner of the adoption of the Articles of Amendment and the vote by which they were adopted constitute full legal compliance with the provisions of the Act, the Articles of Incorporation, and the By-Laws of the Corporation.

I hereby verify, subject to the penalties of perjury, that the statements contained herein are true, this 31st day of December, 1998.

Signature of current officer



Printed name of officer

STEPHEN F. GATES

Officer's title

VICE PRESIDENT, GENERAL COUNSEL & CORPORATE SECRETARY

