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 BASF CATALYSTS LLC

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 Name: BASF CORPORATION
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3. Nature of conveyance/Execution Date(s):
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**CERTIFICATE OF ASSISTANT SECRETARY
BASF CATALYSTS LLC**

The undersigned, Keith H. Ansbacher, a duly elected and qualified Assistant Secretary of **BASF CATALYSTS LLC** (the "LLC"), a Delaware limited liability company, hereby certifies as follows:

1. that I am a duly elected and qualified assistant secretary of the LLC; and
2. that BASF Catalysts Holding, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Holding") is the sole member of the LLC; and
3. that BASF Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("BASF Corporation") is the sole member of Holding; and
4. that on April 1, 2010 at 12:01 a.m., the LLC contributed substantially all of its assets to BASF LEC Catalysts LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and a wholly owned subsidiary of the LLC ("LEC"); and
5. that on April 1, 2010 at 12:02 a.m., the LLC distributed all of its ownership interest in LEC (the "LEC Interest") to Holding; and
6. that on April 1, 2010 at 12:03 a.m., Holding distributed the LEC Interest to BASF Corporation; and
7. that on April 1, 2010 at 12:05 a.m., LEC merged with and into BASF Corporation pursuant to the Certificate of Merger certified by the Delaware Secretary of State on April 1, 2010 and attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed my name as of this 1st day of April
2010,

[SEAL]



Keith H. Ansbacher

State of Delaware
Secretary of State
Division of Corporations
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**STATE OF DELAWARE
CERTIFICATE OF MERGER
OF
BASF LEC CATALYSTS LLC,
BASF LEC CONSTRUCTION CHEMICALS LLC,
BASF LEC FOAM LLC, AND
BASF LEC SPARKS LLC
INTO
BASF CORPORATION**

Pursuant to Title 8, Section 264(c) of the Delaware General Corporation Law and Title 6, Section 18-209 of the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act, the undersigned corporation executed the following Certificate of Merger:

FIRST: The name of the surviving corporation is BASF Corporation, a Delaware corporation, and the names of the limited liability companies being merged into this surviving corporation are BASF LEC Catalysts LLC, BASF LEC Construction Chemicals LLC, BASF LEC Foam LLC, and BASF LEC Sparks LLC, each of which is a Delaware limited liability company.

SECOND: The Plan and Agreement of Merger has been approved, adopted, certified, executed and acknowledged by the surviving corporation and each of the merging limited liability companies.

THIRD: The name of the surviving corporation is BASF Corporation.

FOURTH: The merger is to become effective as of April 1, 2010 at 12:05 a.m.

FIFTH: The Plan and Agreement of Merger is on file at 100 Campus Drive, Florham Park, New Jersey 07932, the place of business of the surviving corporation.

SIXTH: A copy of the Plan and Agreement of Merger will be furnished by the corporation on request, without cost, to any stockholder of any constituent corporation or member of any constituent limited liability company.

SEVENTH: The Certificate of Incorporation of the surviving corporation shall be its Certificate of Incorporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Corporation has caused this certificate to be signed by an authorized officer, the 29th day of March 2010.

BASF CORPORATION

By: _____


Authorized Officer

Name: Philip H. Kaplan

Title: Senior Vice President & Treasurer

EXHIBIT 1

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The First State

I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, WHICH MERGES:

"BASF LEC CATALYSTS LLC", A DELAWARE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY,

"BASF LEC CONSTRUCTION CHEMICALS LLC", A DELAWARE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY,

"BASF LEC FOAM LLC", A DELAWARE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY,

"BASF LEC SPARKS LLC", A DELAWARE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY,

WITH AND INTO "BASF CORPORATION" UNDER THE NAME OF "BASF CORPORATION", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2010, AT 12:49 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF MERGER IS THE FIRST DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2010, AT 12:05 O'CLOCK A.M.


A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.

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You may verify this certificate online at corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml




Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State
AUTHENTICATION: 7900772

DATE: 03-30-10