

PATENT ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT	
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER	
EFFECTIVE DATE:	12/31/2014	
CONVEYING PARTY DATA		
	Name	Execution Date
	WEST SERVICES INC	12/18/2014
RECEIVING PARTY DATA		
Name:	WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION	
Street Address:	610 OPPERMAN DRIVE	
City:	EAGAN	
State/Country:	MINNESOTA	
Postal Code:	55123	
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1		
	Property Type	Number
	Application Number:	14080825
CORRESPONDENCE DATA		
Fax Number:		
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Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State
Certificate of Merger

I, Mark Ritchie, Secretary of State of Minnesota, certify that: the documents required to effectuate a merger between the entities listed below and designating the surviving entity have been filed in this office on the date noted on this certificate.

Merger Filed Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Chapter: 302A

Home Jurisdiction and Names of Merging Entities:

MINNESOTA: WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION
DELAWARE: WEST SERVICES INC.

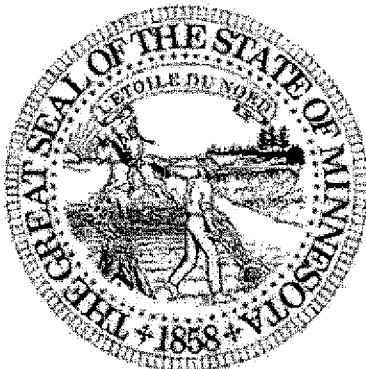
Home Jurisdiction and Name of Surviving Entity:

MINNESOTA: WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION

Name of Surviving Entity after Effective Date of Merger:

WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION

This certificate has been issued on: 12/22/2014



Mark Ritchie

Mark Ritchie
Secretary of State
State of Minnesota

PATENT

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ARTICLES OF MERGER

OF

WEST SERVICES INC.

AND

WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION

To the Secretary of State
State of Minnesota

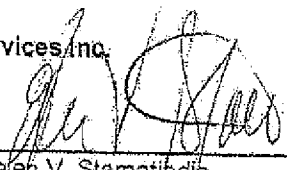
Pursuant to the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act governing the merger of a foreign corporation for profit into a domestic corporation for profit, the corporations hereinafter named do hereby adopt the following Articles of Merger.

1. The names of the merging corporations are West Services Inc. which is a corporation for profit organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, and West Publishing Corporation which is a corporation for profit organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, and which is subject to the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act.
2. Annexed hereto and made a part hereof is the Plan of Merger for merging West Services Inc. with and into West Publishing Corporation as set forth in resolutions duly approved by unanimous written consent of the Board of Directors of West Publishing Corporation.
3. The Plan of Merger has been approved by West Publishing Corporation pursuant to Chapter 302A, Minnesota Statutes.
4. The laws of the jurisdiction of organization of West Services Inc. permit the merger of a corporation for profit of that jurisdiction with and into a corporation for profit of another jurisdiction; and the merger of West Services Inc. with and into West Publishing Corporation is in compliance with the laws of the jurisdiction of organization of West Services Inc.
5. West Publishing Corporation will continue its existence as the surviving corporation under its present name pursuant to the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act.
6. The merger of West Services Inc. with and into West Publishing Corporation shall become effective in the State of Minnesota on the 31st day of December, 2014 at 11:30 pm.

I certify that I am authorized to execute this document and I further certify that I understand that by signing this document, I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in section 609.48 as if I had signed this document under oath.

Executed on December 18, 2014.

West Services, Inc.

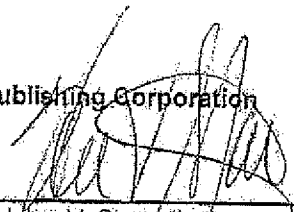
By: 

Helen V. Stamatiadis
Assistant Secretary

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West Publishing Corporation

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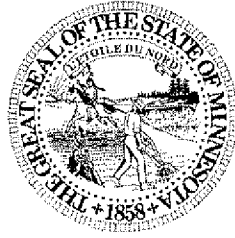
PLAN OF MERGER approved on December 17, 2014 by West Services Inc., which is a corporation for profit organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, and by resolutions adopted by its Board of Directors on said date, and approved on December 17, 2014 by West Publishing Corporation, which is a corporation for profit organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, and which is subject to the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act, and by resolutions adopted by the affirmative vote of at least a majority of its Board of Directors on said date.

1. West Services Inc. and West Publishing Corporation shall, pursuant to the provisions of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act, be merged with and into a single corporation, to wit, West Publishing Corporation, which shall be the surviving corporation upon the effective date of the merger and which is sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "surviving corporation", and which shall continue to exist as said surviving corporation under its present name pursuant to the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act. The separate existence of West Services Inc., which is sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "terminating corporation", shall cease upon the effective date of the merger in accordance with the provisions of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.
2. The Articles of Incorporation of the surviving corporation upon the effective date of the merger in the State of Minnesota shall continue to be the Articles of Incorporation of said surviving corporation and shall continue in full force and effect until amended and changed in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act.
3. The bylaws of the surviving corporation as in force and effect upon the effective date of the merger shall continue to be the bylaws of said surviving corporation and shall continue in full force and effect until changed, altered, or amended as therein provided and in the manner prescribed by the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act.
4. The directors and officers in office of the surviving corporation upon the effective date of the merger shall continue to be the members of the Board of Directors and the officers of the surviving corporation, all of whom shall hold their directorships and offices until the election and qualification of their respective successors or until their tenure is otherwise terminated in accordance with the bylaws of the surviving corporation.
5. All of the issued shares in total owned by the sole stockholder of the terminating corporation shall, upon the complete effective date of the merger, be converted into only one share of the common stock of the surviving corporation. The issued shares of the surviving corporation shall not be converted or exchanged in any manner, but each said share which is issued as of the effective date of the merger shall continue to represent one issued share of the surviving corporation.
6. In the event that the merger of the terminating corporation with and into the surviving corporation shall have been fully authorized in accordance with the provisions of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and in accordance with the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act, the terminating corporation and the surviving corporation hereby stipulate that they will cause to be executed and filed and/or recorded any document or documents prescribed by the laws of the State of Delaware and of the State of Minnesota, and

that they will cause to be performed all necessary acts therein and elsewhere to effectuate the merger.

7. The Board of Directors and the proper officers of the terminating corporation and of the surviving corporation, respectively, are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to do any and all acts and things, and to make, execute, deliver, file, and/or record any and all instruments, papers, and documents which shall be or become necessary, proper, or convenient to carry out or put into effect any of the provisions of this Plan of Merger or of the merger herein provided for.

8. The merger herein provided for shall become effective in the State of Minnesota on the 31st day of December 2014 at 11:59 p.m.



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