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Pursuant to **RCW 23.95.220**, the undersigned business hereby submits a Statement of Correction for the purpose of correcting a record filed with the Corporations and Charities Division of the Office of the Secretary of State.

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(1) UBI No.: 601 496 905

(2) BUSINESS NAME:
REFLECTION LAKE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

(3) FILED RECORD NAME TO BE CORRECTED IS:
Articles of Merger

(4) FILED DATE OF THE RECORD: 11/15/2023

(5) SPECIFY THE INACCURACY OR DEFECT OF THE FILED RECORD: Attach additional pages if necessary
The Filed Record was Defectively Executed: The merging corporation acted unilaterally to file the Article of Merger through their attorney. The surviving corp. Directors did not approve the Articles of Merger.

(6) SPECIFY THE CORRECTIONS OF THE FILED RECORD: Attach additional pages if necessary
The Article of Merger should be reversed because it was not approved by the Surviving Corp. Directors, and was filed without our consent. The merging attorney was not representing the surviving Corporation

(7) RETURN ADDRESS FOR THIS FILING: (Optional)

If provided, the confirmation regarding this specific filing will be sent to the address below, in addition to the Registered Agent's address.

Attention: Jim Boothby Email: JIMBOOTHBY@LIVE.COM

Address: 37516 N. LAKESIDE DRIVE,

City: ELK, State: WA, Zip: 98009

(8) AUTHORIZED PERSON:

I hereby certify, under penalty of law, that the above information is accurate and complies with the filing requirements of state law.

Jim Boothby
 Signature of Authorized Person

JIM BOOTHBY
 Printed Name/Title

MAR. 3, 2024
 Date

Phone: (optional) 509-292-8581

Email: JIMBOOTHBY@LIVE.COM

Statement of Correction

- (1) **UBI No:** 601 496 905
- (2) **BUSINESS NAME:** Reflection Lake Community Association
- (3) **FILED RECORD NAME TO BE CORRECTED:** Article of Merger
- (4) **FILED DATE OF RECORD:** 11/15/2023

- (5) **SPECIFY THE INNACURACY OF DEFECT OF THE FILED RECORD**

THE FILED RECORD WAS DEFECTIVELY EXECUTED. The merging corporation acted unilaterally to file the Articles of Merger through their attorney. The attorney acted without the Surviving Corporation's Directors approval of the Articles of Merger, or permission to file.
RCW 24.03A.740

(6) SPECIFY THE CORRECTION OF THE FILED RECORD.

The Article of Merger should be reversed, because it was not approved by the Surviving Corporation Directors, and it was filed without our consent (see Affidavits). The merging attorney was not representing the Surviving Corporation. This should also reverse the letter and Certificate of Merger received by our President James Boothby on 1/15/2023.

Attachments:

- Attachment 1, 1 page: RCW Violation
- Attachment 2, 8 pages: Surviving Corporations Directors Affidavits
- Attachment 3, 2 pages: Letter to Owners
- Attachment 4, 1 page: Merger Timeline
- Attachment 5, 1 page: Three facts related to this merger

RCW VIOLATION

The Merging Corporation's attorney on November 9, 2023 delivered to the Secretary of State's office merger documents dated July 11, 2023. The Surviving Corporation had no knowledge of this action and had not granted permission to the merging attorney to file for the merger, or pay our \$20 filing fee. This action was kept secret until 11/15/2023. The Articles of Merger had not been presented, or reviewed by the Directors of the Surviving Corporation before 11/09/2023.

RCW 24.03A.740 Articles of merger.

(3) Articles of merger must be delivered to the secretary of state for filing by the surviving entity of the merger and shall take effect at the effective time provided in RCW 23.95.210. Articles of merger filed under this section may be combined with any filing required under the organic law of any domestic eligible entity involved in the transaction if the combined filing satisfies the requirements of both this section and the other organic law.

SURVIVING CORPORATION AFFIDAVIT

Attached are seven notarized affidavits from the 2023-2024 Surviving Corporations Directors. The affidavits all assert that the Surviving Corporation had not approved the Articles of Merger, and had not given consent to the attorney to represent the Merging Corporation. The merger was file unilaterally by the merging corporation. If the Surviving Corporation had known of this filing our president would have called the Corporation and Charities Division and rejected this merger. As of March 5, 2024, Articles of Merger remains unapproved by the Surviving Corporations Board.

Affidavits: *"I, declare under penalty of perjury according to the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct."*

Affidavits by 2023-2024 Surviving Corporation Directors:

James G. Boothby, President
Gary Lee Long, Vice President
Dinece Annette Browne, Secretary
Gerald A. Parker, Treasurer
Terry A. Zoesch, Director
Russell O. Bishop, Director
Randall Joe Kenworthy, Director

Two Directors of the 2023-2024 Surviving Corporation declined.

Sandi Bennett, Director
Joe Kokinda, Director

Note: The Article of Merger dated July 11, 2023 was previously filed on July 24, 2023. Mr. James G. Boothby, President, called the Corporation and Charities Division on August 4 and a 30 hold was put on the merger, and on September 4 the hold turned into a reject. The reason for taking this action was because the Surviving Corporation had not approved the Plan of Merger and the Articles of Merger.

AFFIDAVIT

James G. Boothby, President of the Reflection Lake
Community Association (HOA) UBI 601 496 905

I, James G. Boothby, declare under penalty of perjury according to the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct.

A Merger was filed by Reflection Water Association, UBI 601 098 836, the merging corporation, with the Corporations and Charities Division. The surviving cooperation, Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors, had no knowledge of this merger filing and had not approved the filing.

November 7, 2023 at the regular monthly meeting of the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors passed a motion: The motion was: "The merger, with all relevant legal documents, will be decided by a majority of the RLCA owners in an election." This motion was passed by 5 yes votes, and 4 no votes.

November 9, 2023. The merger attorney, Dale Russell, representing the Reflection Water Association (the merging corporation) filed the merger Articles dated July 11, 2023, with incorrect information and a signature sheet from 2022/2023. Dale Russell paid the \$20 file fee for the RWA and the \$20 file fee for the RLCA to the Cooperation and Charities Division of the Secretary of State. We had no notification of the merger filing from the merging cooperation, Mr. Dale Russell, or the Corporation and Charities Division. If I, (James G Boothby) had been notified of the filing of the merger, it would have been stopped immediately.

November 15, 2023. I, James G. Boothby, received an email letter from the Secretary of State thanking me for my recent merger filing, which is incorrect, to be followed by *Certificate of Merger* signed by Steve R Hobbs, Secretary of State on November 15, 2023. This was my first notification that a merger had been filed.

Reflection Lake Community Association UBI 601 496 905
Reflection Water Association UBI 601 098 836

SIGN

James G. Boothby

Date: On

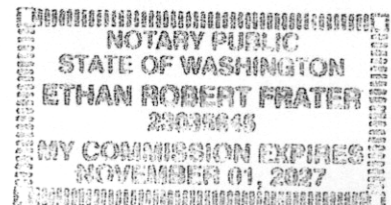
26th January 2024

Place: At

Spokane WA

Signature:

Ethan Robert Frater



AFFIDAVIT

**GARY LEE LONG, 2023/2024 Director of the Reflection Lake
Community Association (HOA) UBI 601 496 905**

I, **Gary Lee Long**, declare under penalty of perjury according to the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct.

A Merger agreement was filed November 9, 2023, by Reflection Water Association, UBI 601 098 836, the merging corporation, with the Corporations and Charities Division. As a Director of the Reflection Lake Community Association Board, I had no knowledge of the November 9, 2023, filing of the proposed merger agreement, nor had I approved it in board action.

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November 9, 2023. The merger attorney, representing the Reflection Water Association (the merging corporation) filed the merger Articles dated July 11, 2023. The merging attorney paid the \$20 file fee for the Reflection Water Association, and the \$20 file fee for the Reflection Lake Community Association to the Cooperation and Charities Division of the Secretary of State.

If I, **Gary Lee Long**, had been notified of this filing, I would have communicated this information to the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors, and I would have voted for the proposed merger stopped.

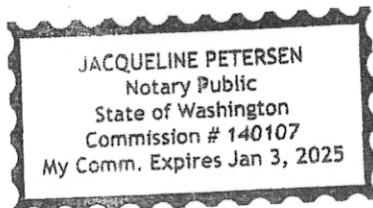
November 15, 2023. The Secretary of State sent an email letter and *Certificate of Merger* signed by Steve R Hobbs on November 15, 2023. This is when I learned the proposed merger had been filed and certified.

WASHINGTON NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE (VERIFICATION UPON OATH OR AFFIRMATION)

State of Washington
County of Spokane

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on 11/24/24 [Date] by Gary Lee Long
[Name of Person Making Statement].

Dated 11/24/24



Signature Gary Lee Long
Title Reflection Lake Comm. Ass. V.P.
My appointment expires Jan 3, 2023

Jacqueline Petersen
Title: Notary Public

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AFFIDAVIT

DINECE ANNETTE BROWNE, 2023/2024 Director of the Reflection Lake
Community Association (HOA) UBI 601 496 905

I, **DINECE ANNETTE BROWNE**, declare under penalty of perjury according to the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct.

A Merger agreement was filed November 9, 2023, by Reflection Water Association, UBI 601 098 836, the merging corporation, with the Corporations and Charities Division. As a Director of the Reflection Lake Community Association Board, I had no knowledge of the November 9, 2023, filing of the proposed merger agreement, or had I approved it in board action.

November 7, 2023, at the regular monthly meeting of the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors passed a motion: The motion was: "The merger, with all relevant legal documents, will be decided by a majority of the RLCA owners in an election." This motion was passed by 5 yes votes, and 4 no votes.

November 9, 2023. The merger attorney, representing the Reflection Water Association (the merging corporation) filed the merger Articles dated July 11, 2023. The merging attorney paid the \$20 file fee for the Reflection Water Association, and the \$20 file fee for the Reflection Lake Community Association to the Cooperation and Charities Division of the Secretary of State.

If I, **DINECE ANNETTE BROWNE**, had been notified of this filing I would have communicated this information to the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors, and the proposed merger would have been stopped.

November 15, 2023. The Secretary of State sent an email letter and *Certificate of Merger* signed by Steve R Hobbs on November 15, 2023. This is when I learned the proposed merger had been filed and certified.

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State of Washington
County of Spokane

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on 1-4-24 [Date] by Dinece A Brown
[Name of Person Making Statement].

Dated 01/04/2024



Signature Christina Whitehouse
Title Notary Public
My appointment expires 04/14/2027

AFFIDAVIT

Gerald A Parker, 2023/2024 Treasurer of the Reflection Lake
Community Association (HOA) UBI 601 496 905

I, Gerald A. Parker, declare under penalty of perjury according to the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct.

A Merger was filed November 9, 2023 by Reflection Water Association, UBI 601 098 836, the merging corporation, with the Corporations and Charities Division. The surviving cooperation, Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors had no knowledge of the November 9, 2023 filing of a merger agreement, or approved it in board action.

November 7, 2023 at the regular monthly meeting of the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors passed a motion: The motion was: "The merger, with all relevant legal documents, will be decided by a majority of the RLCA owners in an election." This motion was passed by 5 yes votes, and 4 no votes.

November 9, 2023. The merger attorney, Dale Russell, representing the Reflection Water Association (the merging corporation) filed the merger Articles dated July 11, 2023, with incorrect information and a signature sheet from previous board in 2022/2023. Dale Russell paid the \$20 file fee for the RWA and the \$20 file fee for the RLCA to the Cooperation and Charities Division of the Secretary of State. We had no notification of the merger agreement filing from the merging cooperation, Mr. Dale Russell, or the Corporation and Charities Division.

If I, (Gerald A. Parker) had been notified of the filing of this merger, I would have communicated this information to the Reflection Lake Community Association Directors, and we would have stopped it.

November 15, 2023. The Secretary of State sent an email letter and *Certificate of Merger* signed by Steve R Hobbs on November 15, 2023. This was my first notification that a merger had been filed. It was officially filed and certified the on November 15, 2023.

Reflection Lake Community Association UBI 601 496 905
Reflection Water Association UBI 601 098 836

SIGN

Date: On 11/30/2023

Place: At Deer Park Wa

Signature: Gerald A. Parker

Notary Public: 11/30/2023
Christina Whitehouse
Christina Whitehouse
Exp. 04/14/2027



AFFIDAVIT

Terry A. Zoesch, Sept 2022 to Present Board Member of the (RLCA) Reflection Lake Community Association (HOA) UBI 601 496 905

I, **Terry A. Zoesch**, declare under penalty of perjury according to the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct.

A Merger agreement was filed November 9, 2023 by Reflection Water Association, UBI 601 098 836, the proposed merging corporation, with the Corporations and Charities Division; with the Reflection Lake Community Association Corporation. The current RLCA Board of Directors had no knowledge of the November 9, 2023 final filing of the merger agreement, and without either the approval of the majority of executive committee or the majority of board members.

November 7, 2023 at the regular monthly meeting of the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors passed a motion: The motion was: "The merger, with all relevant legal documents, will be decided by a majority of the RLCA owners in another election." This motion was passed by 5 yes votes, and 4 no votes.

The first election for the merger did not include enough information with finalized legal documents as requested by 5 of the 9 2022-2023 prior to the vote of all members of the RLCA. I still have not seen the requested contract and necessary bylaw changes to go forward with the merger.

November 9, 2023. The merger attorney, representing the Reflection Water Association (the merging corporation) filed the merger Articles dated July 11, 2023, with incorrect information including a signature sheet from previous board in 2022/2023. Page 3 and Article V. The merging attorney paid the \$20 file fee for the RWA and the \$20 file fee for the RLCA to the Cooperation and Charities Division of the Secretary of State. The Reflection Lake Community Association Board had no notification of this merger agreement filing from the merging cooperation, the merging attorney, or the Corporation and Charities Division.

If the current RLCA treasurer **Gerald A. Parker**, had been notified of the filing of this unapproved merger, He would have communicated this information to the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors, and we would have stopped it.

November 15, 2023. The Secretary of State sent an email letter and *Certificate of Merger* signed by Steve R Hobbs on November 15, 2023. This was my first notification that a merger had been filed. It was officially filed and certified on November 15, 2023.

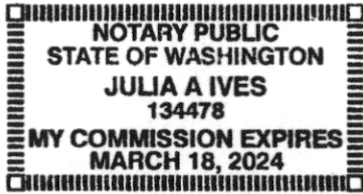


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(VERIFICATION UPON OATH OR AFFIRMATION)**

State of Washington
County of Spokane

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on 12/6/2023 [Date] by Terry A. Zoesch [Name of Person Making Statement].

Dated December 6, 2023



Signature Julia A Ives

Title Notary

My appointment expires 3/18/2024

AFFIDAVIT

Russell O. Bishop, 2023/2024- Term 2022-2025, One of Nine Board Members
for the Reflection Lake Community Association (HOA) UBI 601 496 905

I, **Russell O. Bishop**, declare under penalty of perjury according to the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct.

A Merger agreement was filed November 9, 2023 by Reflection Water Association, UBI 601 098 836, the merging corporation, with the Corporations and Charities Division. The surviving cooperation, Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors had no knowledge of the November 9, 2023 filing of a merger agreement, or approved it in board action.

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If I, **Russell O. Bishop**, had been notified of the filing of this unapproved merger, I would have communicated this information to the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors, and we would have stopped it.

November 15, 2023. The Secretary of State sent an email letter and *Certificate of Merger* signed by Steve R Hobbs on November 15, 2023. This was my first notification that a merger had been filed. It was officially filed and certified the on November 15, 2023.

Russell O. Bishop

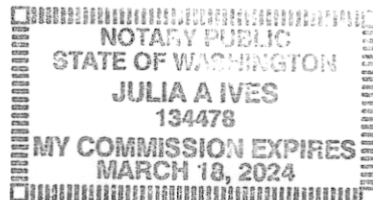
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State of Washington

County of Spokane

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on 12/6/2023 [Date] by Russell O Bishop
[Name of Person Making Statement].

Dated December 6, 2023



Signature *Julia A Ives*

Title Notary

My appointment expires 3/18/2024

AFFIDAVIT

Randall Joe Kenworthy, 2023/2024 a Director of the Reflection Lake Community Association (HOA) UBI 601 496 905

I, Randall Joe Kenworthy, declare under penalty of perjury according to the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct.

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November 7, 2023 at the regular monthly meeting of the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors passed a motion: The motion was: "The merger, with all relevant legal documents, will be decided by a majority of the RLCA owners in an election." This motion was passed by 5 yes votes, and 4 no votes.

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If I, Randall Joe Kenworthy, had been notified of the filing of this unapproved merger, I would have communicated this information to the Reflection Lake Community Association Board of Directors, and we would have stopped it.

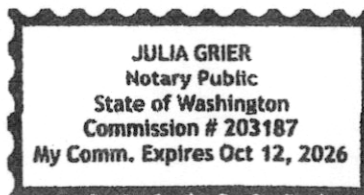
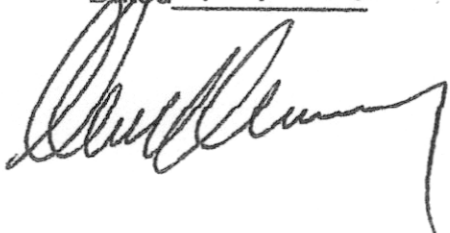
November 15, 2023. The Secretary of State sent an email letter and Certificate of Merger signed by Steve R Hobbs on November 15, 2023. This was my first notification that a merger had been filed. It was officially filed and certified the on November 15, 2023.

WASHINGTON NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE (VERIFICATION UPON OATH OR AFFIRMATION)

State of Washington
County of Snohomish

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on 12/1/23 [Date] by Randall J Kenworthy
[Name of Person Making Statement].

Dated 12-1-2023



Signature [Handwritten Signature]
Title Notary
My appointment expires 01-12-2026

RLCA - RWA Merger Information

January 11, 2024

Dear Lake Community Owners,

As RLCA Directors, we do our best to work for the greater good of the community owners. This letter attempts to describe how this merger happened without our participation.

At the **February 2023** RLCA Board meeting the RWA approached the RLCA with a proposal to merge based on a poll conducted by the RWA board of their membership. In consideration of the RWA request, the RWA sent ballots polling the entire RLCA membership about the merger, in addition to presenting some bylaw changes deemed necessary if the merger were to take place. The membership approved the concept of the merger, they did not approve the proposed bylaw changes.

The current RLCA Board has worked on needed revisions of the merger documents since July. On **November 7, 2023**, at RLCA Board's monthly meeting the Directors passed a motion to share the merger documents with the 136 owners in the RLCA lake community and hold a vote of the lot owners on the details of the merger agreement.

Two days later, on **November 9, 2023**, the RWA board quietly filed merger documents, or caused them to be filed and paid our filing fee with the Secretary of State. The RLCA Board was not aware that the RWA members of the board intended to take this action, and was not notified by the RWA Board that they filed the merger. As noted on **November 7, 2023** the RLCA board intended to delay any action on the merger until all the documents were complete and the bylaws and policies were written, reviewed by the board, and presented to the community. The RLCA Board, if told the merger was filed would have stopped the request to merge. The RWA merging attorney likely knew that Secretary of State's office is a public records agency and does not fact-check documents for accuracy, or the approval of all the parties.

On **November 15, 2023** an email arrived to our RLCA president's inbox thanking him for the merger application. This was the RLCA Board's first notification that the water association board applied for a merger without RLCA Board approval. The RLCA president also received a certificate of merger from the Secretary of State, stating we are now the owners of a dissolved nonprofit corporation formally known as the Reflection Water Association. This unexpected merger came with strings attached: full liability, full responsibility, no management plan, no bylaws, and a huge amount of work.

This sobering move to merge without approval will impact this community and every owner for years to come, and especially the 60 owners that depend on the water system. You can check the information in this letter by going to the RLCA Board minutes for November 7, 2023 posted on our website (reflectionlake.net). Also, you can phone (360-725-0377) Secretary of State's office for Corporations and Charities Division and they are very willing to share public information regarding this merger. They will also tell you that there is no way to appeal or rescind the merger through the Secretary of State. It must be decided by a judge.


Attachment 3, 2 pages

This unexpected merger has created a dilemma for the lake board and the community owners. Rescind the merger, implement the merger, the path is unclear and a difficult choice for some.

A majority of the Reflection Lake Community Association Directors approved this letter. Seven of the nine Directors have notarized affidavits stating that they were not aware of the merger filing until notification of approval was sent.

Jim Boothby, RLCA President

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

The State of  **Washington**

Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF MERGER


I, **STEVE R. HOBBS**, Secretary of State of the State of Washington and custodian of its seal, hereby certify that documents meeting statutory requirements have been filed and processed with the Secretary of State merging the below listed "Merging Entity/Entities" into:

REFLECTION LAKE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION


WA NONPROFIT CORPORATION
UBI: 601 496 905
Effective Date: 11/15/2023
Filing Date: 11/15/2023

Merging Entities:
601 098 836 REFLECTION WATER ASS'N., WA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

Given under my hand and the Seal of the State
of Washington at Olympia, the State Capital



Steve R. Hobbs, Secretary of State
Date Issued: 11/15/2023



RWA-RLCA Merger Timeline

Some information provided by the
Corporation and Charities Division
through telephone conversations

Date	Activity
7 Nov 2023	At the RLCA Board Meeting made a resolution to share all relevant merger documents with the community and have the community decide the merger by an election of majority of the voting lot owners. Minutes reflectionlake.net
8 Nov 2023 9 Nov 2023	The next day the merging attorney sent the required merger documents to the Corporation and Charities Division by overnight mail, which were received on November 9, 2023. The attorney paid the Surviving Corporations \$20 filing fee, without our permission or knowledge. If the Surviving Corporation been aware of the merger filing, we would have stopped it, as we did on August 4, 2023.
15 Nov 2023	James G. Boothby, President, received an email letter from the Steve H Hobbs, Secretary of State thanking him for his recent merger filing, which was followed by <i>Certificate of Merger</i> signed by Steve R Hobbs, Secretary of State. November 15, 2023 was the Surviving Corporations first notification that a merger had been filed, and immediately certified, without ever seeing or approving of the Articles of Merger.
4 March 2023	The Surviving Corporations sent a Statement of Correction to the Corporation and Charities Division by overnight carrier.

Reflection Lake Community Association (RLCA) UBI 601 496 905, Surviving Corporation
Reflection Water Association (RWA) UBI 601 098 836, Merging Corporation

Three facts related to the merger

Merging Corporation is Reflection Water Association (RWA), a nonprofit
 The Surviving Corporation is Reflection Lake Community Association (RLCA), a nonprofit

Merger Facts	True, or False	Source of Information
1. The RLCA did <u>not</u> file the merger on 11/09/2023 and had <u>not</u> approved the Article of Merger.	True	RLCA Minutes 11/07/2023 Seven Directors affidavits
2. RWA attorney, Dale Russell, filed the Articles of Merger on 11/09/2023. This filing was kept secret for six days until it was approved on 11/15/2023.	True	This filing is verified by the Secretary of State office. Seven Directors affidavits
3. "Articles of merger must be delivered to the secretary of states for filing by the surviving corporation entity of the merger."	True	RCW 23.03A.740 Adoption of the Plan of Merger
The merger approved on 11/15/2023 is incorrect and is a violation of the RCW 24.03A.740.		Secretary of State office can make this decision.