

**Foreign Corporation** 

## AMALGAMATION INTO A FOREIGN JURISDICTION

Business Corporations Act, section 284

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## **C** FOREIGN JURISDICTION

D I confirm that the laws of the foreign jurisdiction to which the amalgamated foreign corporation will be subject provide for the following:

- the property, rights and interests of the amalgamating company continue to be the property, rights and interests of the amalgamated foreign corporation,
- the amalgamated foreign corporation continues to be liable for the obligations of the amalgamating company.
- · an existing cause of action, claim or liability to prosecution is unaffected,
- a legal proceeding being prosecuted or pending by or against the amalgamating company may be prosecuted or its prosecution may be continued, as the case may be, by or against the amalgamated foreign corporation, and
- · a conviction against, or a ruling, or judgment in favour of or against, the amalgamating company may be enforced by or against the amalgamated foreign corporation.

## **E** CERTIFIED CORRECT – I have read this form and found it to be correct. I also confirm that the affidavit referred to in 284(7)(a) of the Business Corporations Act has been obtained and deposited in the company's records office.

NAME	OF	AUTHORIZED	SIGNING	AUTHORITY	FOR	тне
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DATE SIGNED SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNING AUTHORITY FOR THE COMPANY

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