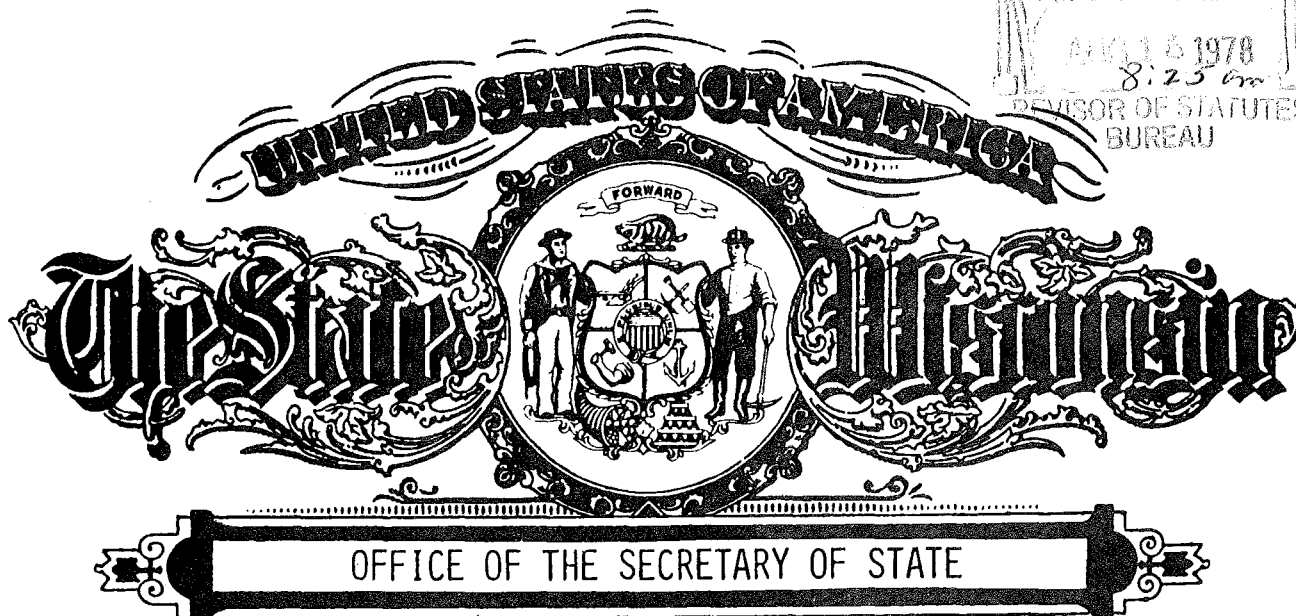


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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

I, DOUGLAS LAFOLLETTE, Secretary of State of the State of Wisconsin and Keeper of the Great Seal thereof, do hereby certify that the annexed copy of the ORDER OF THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ADOPTING RULES relating to the uniform commercial code, dated May 26, 1978, pursuant to sections 409.402 (3m) and 227.014 (2), Wis. Stats.

has been compared by me with the record on file in this Office and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such record; and that I am the legal custodian of such record, and that this certification is in due form.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of the City of Madison, on August 14, 1978.



*Douglas LaFollette*  
 DOUGLAS LAFOLLETTE  
 Secretary of State

ORDER OF THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

ADOPTING RULES

Pursuant to authority vested in the secretary of state by sections 409.402 (3m) and 227.014 (2), Wis. Stats., the secretary of state hereby adopts rules as follows:

Section SS 3.12 Current standard (official) forms.

(1) As used in this section, "secretary of state" means the secretary of state of the state of Wisconsin, and "register of deeds" means the register of deeds for any county in the state of Wisconsin.

(2) The standard form for filing a uniform commercial code financing statement, which is not to be filed in the real estate records, with any register of deeds is any form, which, except as provided in sub. (7), is identical to the UCC-1 form entitled "STATE OF WISCONSIN - STANDARD (OFFICIAL) FORM FINANCING STATEMENT FOR FILING - REGISTER OF DEEDS".

(3) The standard form for filing a uniform commercial code financing statement, which is not to be filed in the railroad real estate records, with the secretary of state is any form, which, except as provided in sub. (7), is identical to the UCC-2 form entitled "STATE OF WISCONSIN - STANDARD (OFFICIAL) FORM FINANCING STATEMENT FOR FILING - SECRETARY OF STATE".

(4) The standard form for filing a uniform commercial code financing statement, which is to be filed in the real estate records of any register of deeds or in the railroad real estate records of the secretary of state, is any form which, except as provided in sub. (7), is identical to the UCC-3 form entitled "STATE OF WISCONSIN - STANDARD (OFFICIAL) FORM FINANCING STATEMENT FOR FILING - REGISTER OF DEEDS REAL ESTATE RECORDS".

(5) The standard form for filing a uniform commercial code statement of amendment, statement of assignment, continuation statement, termination statement or statement of release with any register of deeds or with the secretary of state is any form which, except as provided in sub. (7), is identical to the UCC-4 form entitled "STATE OF WISCONSIN - STANDARD (OFFICIAL) FORM CONTINUATION, TERMINATION, ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENT AND RELEASE STATEMENT FOR FILING REGISTER OF DEEDS OR SECRETARY OF STATE".

(6) The standard form for filing a request, for a search of the uniform commercial code records or a request

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for certified copies of filings contained in such records, with any register of deeds or with the secretary of state is any form which, except as provided in sub. (7), is identical to the UCC-11 form entitled "STATE OF WISCONSIN - STANDARD (OFFICIAL) FORM REQUEST FOR INFORMATION SEARCH OR COPIES".

(7) The blacked-in rectangle in the upper left corner of the "stub" of the UCC-1, UCC-2, UCC-3, UCC-4 and UCC-11 forms may be replaced by any printer's logo, consecutive numbering figure or any other desired material, and such replacement shall not convert such forms from standard to non-standard so far as treatment by Wisconsin uniform commercial code filing officers is concerned.

(8) In addition to other ways of doing so, information may be inserted in the various blanks of the standard forms by printing, and such printing shall not convert such forms from standard to non-standard so far as treatment by Wisconsin uniform commercial code filing officers is concerned.

(9) The pink acknowledgment copy, of a financing statement filed on a UCC-1, UCC-2 or UCC-3 form which the secretary of state recognized as standard at the time the financing statement was filed with a register of deeds or the secretary of state, shall be treated by Wisconsin uniform commercial code filing officers as a standard termination statement when submitted as such to the filing officer who filed the financing statement to be terminated even though the UCC-1, UCC-2 or UCC-3 form involved would not meet the requirements for a standard Wisconsin uniform commercial code financing statement at the time the termination statement is filed.

(10) In addition to the UCC-1 and UCC-3 forms described in subs. (2) and (4), Wisconsin uniform commercial code filing officers shall continue to treat as standard forms, through December 31, 1979, those UCC-1 and UCC-3 forms recognized as standard forms by the secretary of state during 1976 and 1977.

The rules contained herein take effect on October 1, 1978, pursuant to authority granted by section 227.026 (1) (b), Wis. Stats.

Sample copies of such standard forms are on file in the offices of the revisor of statutes and the secretary of state and may be examined in those offices. Copies to be used in making filings are to be obtained from private sources such

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as office supply stores or printers (a partial listing of which can be obtained from the secretary of state).

Dated: MAY 26, 1978. Office of the secretary of state

(Seal)

By: Douglas LaFollette  
Douglas LaFollette  
Secretary of State