

# CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF A PRIVATE LIMITED COMPANY

No. 74125

I hereby certify that

# RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED

is this day incorporated under the Companies Acts 1948 to 1980 as a private company and that the Company is limited.

Given under my hand at Edinburgh the 6 March 1981

Registrar of Companies

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\*Insert full name of Company

†Plesse indicate whether you are a Solicitor of the Supreme Court (or in Scotland 'a Solicitor') engaged in the formation of the company, or a person named as director or secretary of the company in the delivered under section 21 of the Companies Act 1976

Glasgow, G2 2HH.

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# Declaration of compliance with the requirements on application for registration of a company



Pursuant to section 3(5) of the Companies Act 1980

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of Richard Austin Alloys Limited	
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# THE COMPANIES ACTS 1948 to 1980

COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

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MLMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

of

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### RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED

1. The name of the Company is "RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED".

The Registered Office of the Company will be situate in Scotland.

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The objects for which the Company is established are:-To carry on all or any of the trades or businesses of dealers and merchants in, manufacturers, processors, blenders, rollers and cutters, smelters and refiners of and storers and transporters of all and every kind of metal, ferrous and non-ferrour makers and merchants of and dealers in all and every kind of produce and article composed in whole or in part of any kind of metal or alloy or compound thereof, light and heat engineers, machine tool makers and repairers, designers, manufacturers of, repairers of, and vendors of engines, whether powered by coal, steam, oil, petrol, electricity, gas or nuclear power, electrical, mechanical, heating, lighting, hydraulic, gas, electronic and nuclear engineers, steel makers, iron and brass founders, metal workers, machinists, metallurgists, chemists, woodworkers, builders, painters, carriers by land, sea and air manufacturers, suppliers of and workers and dealers in plastics and all other chemical or compounds thereof and articles made or partly made thereof, manufacturers of, storers of and dealers in all and every kind of household appliances, makers and merchants of and dealers in ropes, chains, hawsers, string and twine of every kind and description and to produce manufacture, work up, treat, buy and sell, import and export and generally deal in all or any of the substances, articles, goods and products before mentioned or referred to or in materials or articles required in connection with any of the foregoing businesses and also all implements, vehicles, provisions and things capable of being used in connection with any of the operations before mentioned or referred to and all these trades or businesses may be carried on whether tholesalers or retailers.

- (4) To sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of, deal with, or turn to account, any of the shares, stocks, and others acquired or agreed to be acquired, and generally to vary the securities and investments of the Company from time to time.
- (5) To lend money with or without security to any parties and on such terms as may seem expedient or to make advances upon investments, to negotiate loans, to offer for public subscription or otherwise, and to assist in placing any investments and generally to advance and lend money and assets of all kinds.
- (6) To undertake and execute any trusts which the Company may think it expedient to undertake; and to act as agents, managers, secretaries, registrars, executors, factors or liquidators.
- (7) To guarantee or become liable for the payment of money or for the performance of any obligations and generally to transact all kinds of guarantee business; and to undertake obligations of every kind and description upon such terms as the Company or its Directors may consider desirable, and by mortgage, charge or lien upon all or any of the property or assets of the Company (both present and future) to secure and guarantee the performance by the Company or any other Company of any obligation undertaken by the Company or any other Company as the case may be.
- (8) To receive money on deposit, loan or otherwise, upon such terms as the Company may approve; and to carry on business as bankers and financiers and to undertake and carry out all such deals and transactions as any individual may lawfully undertake and carry out.

- To purchase, feu, take on lease or in exchange (9) or by other means acquire and hold any feudal, freehold, leasehold or other property or lands, tenements and hereditaments and any rights, privileges, servitudes and easements over or in respect of any property, and to manage, maintain, improve, develop and turn the same to account, to expend money in maintaining, improving or adding to the marketable value of same or in the demolition of buildings and other erections thereon, or in the erection thereon of buildings of such a nature and for such purposes as to the Directors may seem proper, and to sell, feu, subdivide, let or otherwise dispose of, or deal with, all or any part of any such property or rights.
- (10) To purchase, take on lease, acquire and use for any purposes of the Company, any machinery, stock-in-trade and other property, rights, privileges and interests (including letters patent, licences, copy-rights, trade marks, secret processes, designs, goodwill and concessions), and other rights of whatever kind, real or heritable and personal or moveable or any of them; and to hold, exercise, develop, improve, sell, lease, hire, exchange, mortgage, alter, pledge or otherwise deal with or dispose of the same.
  - (11) To pay all preliminary expenses of the Company and of any company promoted or formed by the Company or of any company in which the Company or its shareholders is or are or may competently be interested.
  - (12) To provide all requisite accommodation and facilities for the purposes of the Company.

- To purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire or undertake (13)the whole or any parts of the business, undertaking, property and liabilities of any person or company carrying on or authorised to carry on any business which the Company is authorised to carry on or which may be conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company or possessed of any property suitable for the purposes of the Company, or the stock, shares and debentures or other interest of or in any such company, or to amalgamate with any such company, and for the purpose of such amalgamation to transfer the undertaking of the Company to the company or companies with which it is being amalgamated or to accept the transfer to the Company of the undertaking of any such company or part thereof.
- (14) To pay for any purchase or acquisition in cash or by annual, perpetual or terminable payments, redeemable or irredeemable, or by bills of the Company, or by shares of the Company of any class, and whether fully paid up or partly paid up, or by debentures, debenture stock or other securities or acknowledgments of the Company or one or more of them or part of the one and part of the other or others or in any other way.
- (15) To borrow or raise or secure the payment of money for the purposes of the business of the Company in such manner as the Company or its Directors may think fit, and to issue bonds, debentures and debenture stock or other obligations or securities whether charged or not charged on the whole or any part of the property (present and future) assets or revenue of the Company, or its uncalled capital or by mortgage, pledge, conveyance, bond, assignment in security or other obligations of the Company, and to redeem, purchase or pay off such securities.

- (16) To draw, make, accept, execute, endorse, negotiate, discount, issue and deal in promissory notes, bills of exchange, drafts, warrants, cheques, mandates, coupons, bills of lading, shipping documents, dock or warehouse warrants and other negotiable or transferable documents.
- (17) To sell, dispose of, or transfer the business or undertaking of the Company, or any branch or part thereof or any property or assets thereof, in consideration of payment in cash or royalties or other perpetual or terminable payments, or in shares (partly or fully paid up) or debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of any other company or in one or other or all of such modes of payment or in such manner and for such consideration as the Company may think fit.
- (18) To promote or concur in promoting any companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any part of the property, rights and liabilities of the Company or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit the Company.
- (19) To enter into any partnership, arrangement for sharing of profits, union of interests, reciprocal concession or co-operation with any persons, companies or societies carrying on or about to carry on any business or branch of business which the Company is authorised to carry on or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company.
- (20) To adopt such means of making known the business of and the services and facilities provided by the Company and keeping the same before the public as may seem expedient.

- (21) To remunerate any person, association, firm or company for services rendered or to be rendered to the Company or in or about the conduct of the Company's business, and that by cash payment or by allotment of shares or securities of the Company credited as paid up in full or in part or otherwise.
- To grant pensions, allowances, gratuities and (22)bonuses or other benefits or any share or interest in the profits of the Company's business or any part thereof and generally, so far as is lawful, to make voluntary or ex gratia payments either in money or moneysworth to Directors or former Directors or employees or ex-employees of the Company, or of any subsidiary, allied or associated company, or of any company or business which is acquired by the Company, or to the widows or children or other dependants of such person, and to make or enter into arrangements for the provision or policies of life assurance or to purchase annuities for any such persons or otherwise to provide for them, and to establish and support or aid in the establishment or support of hospitals, dispensaries, places of recreation, institutions, clubs or organisations, calculated to benefit persons employed by the Company, and to support and subscribe and guarantee money to any public trade, charitable, educational, religious or other object or to any exhibitions or exposition calculated to advance the interest of the Company or the persons employed by the Company or its predecessors in business or any associated or subsidiary Company.

- (23) To distribute any of the property and assets of the Company among the members in specie (and, in particular, any shares, stocks, debentures or securities of other companies which belong to the Company or of which the Company has the right to dispose) but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made except with the sanction (if any) for the time being required by law.
- Order or Act of Parliament or other necessary
  authority or sanction for enabling the Company to
  carry any of its objects into effect; or for effecting
  any modification of the Company's constitution; and
  to assist in procuring alterations in the law; and
  to oppose any Parliamentary or other proceedings which
  the Company may think adverse to its interest.
- (25) To acquire or obtain from any government or authority, supreme municipal, local or otherwise, or any corporation, company or person, any charters, rights, privileges and concessions which may be conducive to any of the objects of the Company, and to accept, make payments under, carry out, exercise and comply with any such charters, rights, privileges and concessions.
- (26) To procure the Campany to be registered or established or authorised to do business in any part of the world.
- (27) To carry on any other business which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the above or calculated directly or indirectly/

indirectly to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the Company's property or rights or which it may be deemed advisable to undertake with a view to development, rendering valuable, prospecting or turning to account any property, real or personal, belonging to the Company, or in which the Company may be interested.

- (28) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world, and either as principals, agents, trustees or contractors, and either alone or in conjunction with others and either by or through agents, subcontractors, trustees or otherwise.
- (29) To do all such other things which are or which the Company may consider to be incidental or conducive to the attairment of the above objects or any of them.

Declaring that the word "Company" in this Clause, except where used in reference to the Company, shall be deemed to include any person, partnership, or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and whether domiciled in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and also that the objects expressed in each paragraph of this clause, shall be deemed separate objects and shall (except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph) be in no ways limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or the name of the Company.

- The liability of the members is limited.
- 5. The share capital of the Company is £100 divided into 100 shares of £1 each.

WE, the several persons whose names and addresses are subscribed, are desirous of being formed into a Company in pursuance of this Memorandum of Association and we respectively agree to take the number of Shares in the Capital of the Company set opposite our respective names.

NAMES, ADDRESSES & DESCRIPTIONS OF SUBSCRIBERS	NUMBER OF SHARES TAKEN BY EACH SUBSCRIBER
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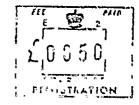
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Witness to the above Signatures:-

Esleen Wadwin

Secretary. 140 West George Street. Glasgow.





# THE COMPANIES ACTS 1948 to 1980 COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

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# ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

of.

# RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED

# GENERAL

- 1. The Regulations contained in Table A, Part I, in the First Schedule to the Companies Act 1948 as amended by paragraph 36 of Schedule 3 to the Companies Act 1980 (hereinafter referred to as "Table A, Part I") shall apply to and shall be the regulations of the Company save as insofar as they are excluded or varied hereby or are inconsistent herewith.
- 2. The Regulations numbered 24, 53, 62, 77, 79, 87, 89 to 93 inclusive, 95, 106 and 114 of Table A, Part I, shall not apply to the Company and the following Regulations shall be modified:-

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Regulation 8 so that the words "and bear autographic signatures of at least two Directors or one Director and the Secretary" shall be inserted after the words "Every Certificate shall be under the seal".

Regulation 11 so that the words "not being a fully paid share" and "other than fully paid shares" shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 15 so that the words "provided that no call shall exceed one-fourth of the nominal value of the share or be payable at less than one month from the date fixed for the payment of the last preceding call" shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 22 so that the words "(except in the case of fully paid shares)" shall be inserted after the words "executed by or on behalf of the transferor and".

Regulation 32 so that the proviso shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 33 so that there shall be added to the end thereof the words "and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment".

Regulation 75 so that the words "The number of the Directors and" shall be held to be delete. The remainder of said Regulation 75 shall apply only in the event of the Articles of Association set out herein being adopted with effect on and from the date of incorporation of the Company.

Regulation 84 so that sub-paragraph (2) thereof shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 86 so that the words from and including the words "and every Director" to the end of the Regulation shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 88 so that there shall be added at the end thereof the following additional sub-paragraph:-

"(g) shall, by reason of any statutory enactment or rule of law from time to time, cease to hold

or become disqualified from holding office as a Director of the Company".

Regulation 94 so that the words from and inluding the word "and" to the end of the Regulation shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 97 so that the words "and without prejudice to the powers of the Directors under Regulation 95" shall be held to be delete.

# SHARE CAPITAL

3. The Share Capital at the date of adoption of these Articles is £100 divided into 100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each.

# PRIVATE COMPANY

- 4. The Company is hereby declared to be a private Company and no invitation shall at any time be made to the public to subscribe for any shares or debentures of the Company.
- 5. The Company shall not have power to issue share warrants to bearer.

# SHARES

Ompany all or any unissued shares shall before issue be offered to the members holding Ordinary Shares in proportion as nearly as circumstances admit to their existing holding of such shares. Any such offer shall be made by notice in writing specifying the number of shares comprised in the offer and specifying a date (being not less than fourteen days after the date of the offer) after which the offer, if

not by then accepted, will be deemed to have been refused. The offer shall indicate that a member may accept in respect of a lesser number of shares than those comprised in the offer and shall also include notification to the effect that a member to whom the offer is made who desires an allotment of shares in excess of the number of shares comprised in the offer should within twenty one days from the date of the offer state how many excess shares he desires to have. one or more of the members to whom the offer is made do not accept the offer in respect of all the shares offered to them, the shares in respect of which no acceptance is received (the "excess shares") shall be applied in satisfying any request or requests for excess shares. In the event of the excess shares being insufficient in number to satisfy all the requests received for excess shares such request or requests for excess shares shall be satisfied to an extent in proportion as nearly as circumstances admit to the then existing holding of Ordinary Shares of the members making such request. If any shares are not taken up by the existing members in accordance with the provisions of this Article then the Directors may dispose of such shares to such persons and on such terms and conditions as they deem desirable and without prejudice to the foregoing generality they may allot such shares in payment of property sold or transferred or for services rendered to the Company or for such other consideration as the directors may think fit and the shares so allotted may be issued as, and shall be deemed to be, partly paid up or fully paid up shares.

The provisions of the Companies Act 1980, Section 17(1), (6) and (7) are hereby expressly excluded.

TRANSFER OF SHARES

# 7. A share of any class may be transferred:-

- (i) by a member or by a person deriving title or right to such a share in a fiduciary capacity (whether as Trustee, Executor, Curator or Administrator or otherwise) from such member, to the spouse or to any of the issue of that member or
- (ii) by the Trustees in a Trust which is a member of the Company to a beneficiary under such Trust in pusuance either of the powers or the obligations of such Trustees in terms of such Trust or
- (iii) by a member to the Trustees under a Trust the beneficiaries of which are all within the category of transferees mentioned in (ii) above.
- 8. (a) Except in the case of a transfer pursuant to the last preceding Article, no person shall transfer any share save in accordance with the succeeding provisions of this Article.
  - (b) The member proposing to transfer any share (hereinafter called "the Transferor") shall give notice in writing (hereinafter called "a sale notice") to the Company that he desires to transfer the same. Every sale notice shall specify the denoting numbers (if any) of the shares proposed to be transferred and the sum which he proposed as the transfer value and shall constitute the Company the Transferor's Agent for the sale of such shares at the transfer value to be fixed as hereinafter mentioned to any member. A sale notice comprising several shares shall operate as a separate notice in respect of each share and no sale notice shall be withdrawn without the consent of the Directors.

- (c) If the Company shall within eight weeks after being served with a sale notice find a member or members then holding Shares of the Class comprised in sale notice (hereinafter called "the Purchaser or Purchasers") willing to purchase all or any of the shares comprised therein and shall give notice thereof to the Transferor within seven days thereafter, the Transferor shall be bound upon payment of the transfer value to transfer such shares to the Purchaser.
- (d) The shares specified in any sale notice shall be offered by the Company in the first place to the members who hold shares in the capital of the Company, of the class comprised in the sale notice other than the Transferor, as nearly as may be in proportion to the existing Shares of that class held by them respectively, and the offer shall in each case specify a date (being not less than fourteen days after the date of the offer) within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to have been declined. The offer shall indicate that a member may accept in respect of a lesser number of shares than those comprised in the offer and shall include notification to the effect that a member to whom the offer is made who desires a transfer of shares in addition to the number of shares comprised in said offer to him, should in his reply to the offer or at any time prior to the expiry of the period of eight weeks referred to in (c) above or within such shorter time as the Directors may determine, state how many additional shares he desires to have. If any member to whom an offer is made as aforesaid does not accept the offer in respect of all the shares offered to him,

the shares in respect of which no acceptance is received (the "excess shares") shall be used in satisfying any request or requests for additional shares received from the other holders of relevant shares in the Company as aforesaid. In the event of the excess shares being insufficient in number to satisfy all the requests received for additional shares as aforementioned the said requests for additional shares shall be satisfied to an extent in proportion as nearly as circumstances admit to the then existing holding of such shares of the members making such requests if more than one.

The transfer value shall be such sum as may be (e) agreed between the Transferor and the Purchaser or, if more than one Purchaser, between the Transferor and the Purchasers acting jointly or, in default of agreement within twelve weeks after issue of the sale notice mentioned in paragraph (b) above and subject to the aftermentioned declaration, such sum as the Auditor for the time being of the Company (acting as an expert and not as an arbiter) shall at the request of the Transferor, the Purchaser, the Purchasers, or any one or more of them, or the Directors, certify in writing at the expense of the Company to be the fair value thereof as between a willing vendor and a willing purchaser. Declaring always that if one or more of the Purchasers agrees a price with the transferor, it shall be competent for that price to be the transfer value in respect of the shares to be transferred to those Purchasers notwithstanding the failure of any one or more Purchasers to agree on that price. circumstances, however, the Transferor shall, forthwith on agreeing a price with the Purchaser or Purchasers in question, advise the Directors of the price agreed and the Directors shall, on the inquiry of any other Purchaser or their duly authorised representative, make this information available to them.

- (f) If for any cause the Transferor fails to transfer any shares after having become bound as aforesaid, the Company may receive the purchase money on behalf of the Transferor and appoint any person to transfer such shares on his behalf. Upon receipt by the Company of the purchase money and upon execution and delivery to the Company of the transfer, the Company shall cause the name of the Purchaser or Purchasers to be entered in the Register of Members in the place of the name of the Transferor as the holder of such shares. The receipt of the Company for the purchase money shall constitute a good discharge to the Purchaser or Purchasers and after his name has been entered in the Register of Members his title to such shares shall not be affected by any irregularity or invalidity in the proceedings in reference to the The Transferor shall not be entitled to transfer. receive the purchase money for such shares until he shall have delivered up to the Company the share certificate comprising the same, nor shall he be entitled to interest on the purchase money while it lies in the hands of the Company.
- (g) If the Company shall not within eight weeks after being served with a sale notice find a member or members willing to purchase all of the shares comprised therein and give notice to the Transferor in the manner aforesaid the Transferor shall (subject to the right of the Directors in this case

to refuse to register any transfer) be entitled at any time within four months of the expiry of the said period of eight weeks to transfer such of the said shares in respect of which the Company has not found a Purchaser, to any person and that at any price.

- (h) Any member who has acquired shares in the capital of the Company in pursuance of a right conferred on him or opportunity offered to him as a Director or employee of the Company shall, on ceasing to be a Director or employee (for whatever reason) be deemed as at the date of such cessation to have given to the Directors a sale notice in terms of paragraph (b) of this Article in respect of all shares then held or beneficially owned by him and the pre-emption procedure set out herein shall apply, the Company by such deemed sale notice being constituted the attorney of such members for the execution of the relevant transfer and any other document necessary to give effect thereto.
- 9. The Directors may in their absolute discretion and without asigning any reason therefor, decline to register any transfer of any share whether or not it is a fully paid share, other than a transfer pursuant to Article 7 and Article 8 hereof.

### MEETINGS

10. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting unless a quorum of members is present at the time when the meeting proceeds to business; save as herein otherwise provided, a quorum shall be two persons personally present and holding or representing any proxy in the aggregate at least one-half of

the capital of the Company whose holders are entitled to be present and vote.

11. Subject to the provisions of the Act, a resolution in writing signed by all the members for the time being entitled to receive notice of and attend and vote at General Meetings (or being corporations, by their duly authorised representatives) shall be as effective as if the same had been passed at a General Meeting of the Company duly convened and held, and may consist of several documents in the like form, each signed by one or more persons.

# VOTES OF MEMBERS

12. Subject to any special rights or restrictions as to voting attached by or in accordance with these Articles to any class of share, on a show of hands every member present in person shall have one vote and on a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall (subject to Regulation 65 of Table A, Part I) have one vote in respect of each £1, in nominal amount of share capital of which he is the holder.

## DIRECTORS

- 13. Unless otherwise determined by the Company in General Meeting, the number of Directors shall be not less than two.
- 14. A Director shall not require a share qualification, but nevertheless shall be entitled to attend and speak at any General Meeting of the members of the Company.
- 15. The Directors shall have the power at any time, and from time to time to appoint any person to be a Director, either to fill a casual vacancy or as an addition to the existing Directors, but so that the total number of Directors shall not at any time exceed the maximum (if any) fixed by or in

accordance with these Articles.

- Each of the Directors shall receive such fee, if any, as such Director as the Company shall from time to time determine in General Meeting.
- 17. All the Directors shall be repaid all travelling, hotel and other expenses properly incurred by them in attending Board Meetings or otherwise in connection with the business of the Company.
- 18. The Directors shall be entitled to borrow or raise money from themselves or from others for the purposes of the business of the Company in such manner whether secured or not secured and to such extent as they may think fit, and to mortgage or charge its undertaking, property and uncalled capital or any part thereof and to issue debentures and other securities whether outright or as collateral security for any debt, liability or obligation of the Company or any third party.
- 19. No Director shall be disqualified by his position as Director from entering into any contract or arrangement with the Company, and a Director may vote and be taken into account for the purpose of constituting a quorum in respect of any contract or arrangement in which he may be in any way interested and may retain for his own absolute use and benefit all profits and advantages accruing to him therefrom. A Director may hold any other office or place of profit under the Company other than that of Auditor on such terms as to remuneration and otherwise as the Directors may determine.
- 20. Without restricting the generality of the powers conferred on the Directors, the Directors may give or award pensions, annuities, gratuities and superannuation or other allowances or benefits to any persons who are or have at any time been Directors of or employed by or in the service of the Company

or of any company which is a subsidiary company of or allied or associated with the Company or any such subsidiary and to the wives, widows, children and other relatives and dependants of any such persons and may set up, establish, support and maintain pension, superannuation and other funds or schemes (whether contributory or non-contributory) for the benefit of such persons as are hereinbefore referred to or any of them or any class of them and so that any Director shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own benefit any such pension, annuity, gratuity, allowance or other benefit (whether under any such fund or scheme or otherwise) and may vote as a Director in respect of the exercise of any of the powers by this Article conferred upon the Directors, notwithstanding that he is or may be or become interested therein.

21. A Resolution in writing signed by all the Directors for the time being in the United Kingdom shall be as effective as a resolution passed at a meeting of the Directors duly convened and held, and may consist of several documents in the like form, each signed by one or more of the Directors.

## **DIVIDENDS**

22. The Company may in General Meeting declare dividends.

## INDEMNITY

23. Subject to the provisions of the Act, every Director, Auditor, Secretary or other officer of the Company shall be entitled to be indemnified by the Company against all costs, charges, losses, expenses and liabilities incurred by him in the execution and discharge of his duties or in relation thereto. Regulation 136 of Table A, Part I, shall be extended accordingly.

# NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF SUBSCRIBERS

Manne Mardenald Schuler 10 whitelowns Bornwell

Solicitor Sipport

Boundary Sipport

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Dated the Eleventh day of February 1981.

Witness to the above signatures:-

E. Hadwin Secretary 140 West George Street Glasgow.

# THE COMPANIES ACTS 1948 TO 1976

# Statement of first directors and secretary and intended situation of registered office



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The name(s) and particulars of the person who is, or the persons who are, to be the first director or directors of the company are as follows:

Name (note 2) Susan Elizabeth Grossart	Business occupation	
Former name(s) (note 3)	Solicitor Nationality	
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33 Dundas Street,	British  Date of birth (where applicable)	
<u>Fdinburgh</u>	(note 6)	
Particulars of other directorships (note 5) R.J. Levack Ltd., H	utchstar Ltd.,	
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Signature

Monne MonDonald

The name(s) and particulars of the person who is, or the persons who are, to be the first secretary, or joint secretaries, of the company are as follows:

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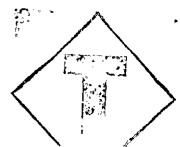
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# THE COMPANIES ACT 1948 TO 1980 SPECIAL RESOLUTION

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OF

RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED
(PURSUANT TO SECTION 63 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1948)



At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, held at Glasgow on the 3rd day of June, 1981, the following Resolution was duly passed as a Special Resolution.

That the Share Capital of the Company be and is hereby increased to £42,500, by the creation of 42,400 Shares of £1 each, having the rights and privileges specified in the Articles of Association of the Company and that the Directors be and are hereby authorised and instructed to issue such Ordinary Shares at any time or from time to time to such person or persons as they shall determine.

DIRECTOR



Limited<sup>1</sup>

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# THE COMPANIES ACTS 1948 TO 1976

# Notice of increase in nominal capital

Pursuant to section 63 of the Companies Act 1948



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Please complete
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in black type, or
bold block lettering Name of Company

To the Registrar of Companies

Richard Austin Alloys

Company number	
74125	

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# Note

This notice and a printed copy of the resolution authorising the increase must be forwarded to the Registrar of Companies within 15 days after the passing of the resolution

hereby gives you notice in accordance with section 63 of the Companies Act 1948 that by [ordinary]

[extraordinary] [special]† resolution of the company dated 3rd June, 1981

the nominal capital of the company has been increased by the addition thereto of the sum of

£ 42,400 beyond the registered capital of £ 100

A printed copy of the resolution authorising the increase is forwarded herewith The additional capital is divided as follows:

Number of shares Class of share Nominal amount of each share

42,400 Ordinary £1

(If any of the new shares are preference shares state whether they are redeemable or not)
The conditions (eg. voting rights, dividend rights, winding-up rights etc.) subject to which the new shares have been or are to be issued are as follows:

The new shares have the rights and privileges specified in the Articles of Association of the Company.

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‡delete as appropriate Signed

[Director] [Secretary] Date OFFICE

July, 1981

Presentor's name, address and reference (if any):

Dorman, Jeffrey & Co, Solicitors, 140 West George Street, Glasgow. G2 2HH

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THE COMPANIES ACT 1985
COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION (as adopted as at 4th January 1988)

of

# RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED

# **GENERAL**

- 1. The Regulations contained in Table A in the Schedule to the Companies (Tables A to F) Regulations 1985 set out in Statutory Instrument 1985 No. 805 as amended by Statutory Instrument 1985 No. 1052 (hereinafter referred to as "Table A") shall apply to and shall be the regulations of the Company save insofar as they are excluded or varied hereby or are inconsistent herewith and Regulation 1 of Table A, as it applies to and is a regulation of the Company, shall apply for the purposes of the interpretation of these presents.
- The Regulations numbered 5, 40, 41, 65 to 69 inclusive, 73 to 77 inclusive, 80, 82, 83, 87, 94 to 98 inclusive and 102 of Table A shall not apply to the Company and the following Rejulations shall be modified:-

Regulation 3 so that the words "provided by the articles" shall be held to be delete and there shall be inserted in lieu thereof the words "specified in the articles or as the Company before the allotment of the shares may by special resolution determine".

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Regulation 6 so that the words "and bear autographic signatures of at least two directors or one director and the secretary" shall be inserted after the words "Every certificate shall be sealed with the seal".

Regulation 10 so that the words "Neither the purchaser nor, if a different person, the transferee shall be bound to see to the application of the purchase money and" shall be inserted immediately before the words "The title".

Regulation 11 so that the words "thereof as determined by the directors" be inserted after the word "costs".

Regulation 15 so that the words "in whole or in part" shall be inserted after the words "remains unpaid".

Regulation 18 so that there shall be added to the end of the first sentence thereof the words "and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment".

Regulation 24 so that the first sentence thereof and the words "They may also" shall be held to be delete and there are inserted in lieu thereof the words "The directors may".

Regulation 37 so that the words "or any member" shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 38 so that the words "or a resolution appointing a person as a director" shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 59 so that the second sentence thereof shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 64 so that the words in parenthesis shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 78 so that the words "Subject as aforesaid" and the words from and including the word "and" to the end of the Regulation shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 79 so that the second and third sentences thereof shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 81 so that the year 1960 in sub-paragraph (c)(i) shall be held to be delete and there shall be inserted in lieu thereof the year "1984".

Regulation 84 so that the last sentence thereof shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 85 so that there shall be added at the end thereof the following additional sub-paragraph

"(d) may vote on, and be counted in the quorum present at a meeting in relation to, a resolution relating to or touching upon any such transaction, arrangement or body corporate".

Regulation 89 so that the second sentence thereof shall be held to be delete.

Regulation 93 so that the words from and including "but a resolution" to the end of the Regulation shall be held to be delete.

# SHARE CAPITAL

- 3. The Share Capital at the date of adoption of these Articles is £42,500 divided into 42,500 Ordinary Shares of £1 each.
  - 4. If at any time the Share Capital is divided into different classes of shares the rights conferred on the holders of any class of shares shall not, unless otherwise expressly provided by the terms of issue of the shares of that class, be deemed to be varied by the creation or issue of further shares ranking pari passu therewith.

# PRIVATE COMPANY

- 5. The Company is hereby declared to be a private Company and no invitation shall at any time be made to the public to subscribe for any shares or debentures of the Company.
- 6. The Company shall not have power to issue share warrants to bearer.

# SHARES

the purposes of Section 80 of the Act (as such Section 7. For be modified or re-enacted) the Directors are generally may unconditionally authorised at any time and from time to during the period of five years commencing on the date of incorporat. I of the Company or, in the event that these Articles of Association shall have been adopted after the said date of incorporation, commencing on the date of such to exercise all powers of the Company to allot adoption, Relevant Securities (within the meaning of said Section 80) provided that the foregoing authority shall be exerciseable with respect to Relevant Securities having a nominal value of not more than £42,500 in aggregate.

8.

Subject to the provisions of Article 7 hereof, and unless otherwise determined by Ordinary Resolution of the Company all or any unissued shares shall before issue be offered to members holding Ordinary Shares in proportion as nearly circumstances admit to their existing holding of such Any such offer shall be made by notice in writing specifying the number of shares comprised in the offer and specifying a date (being not less than fourteen days after the date of the offer) after which the offer, if not by then accepted, will be deemed to have been refused. indicate that a member may accept in respect of a shall lesser number of shares than those comprised in the offer and shall also include notification to the effect that a member whom the offer is made who desires an allotment of shares in excess of the number of shares comprised in the offer should within twenty one days from the date of the offer state how many excess shares he desires to have. more of the members to whom the offer is made do not accept in respect of all the shares offered to them, the shares in respect of which no acceptance is received (the shares") shall be applied in satisfying any request for excess shares. In the event of the excess requests shares being insufficient in number to satisfy all the requests received for excess shares such request or requests excess shares shall be satisfied to an extent circumstances admit to the then proportion as nearly as existing holding of Ordinary Shares of the members making such request. If any shares are not taken up by the existing in accordance with the provisions of this Article then the Directors may dispose of such shares to such persons such terms and conditions as they deem desirable and prejudice to the foregoing generality they may allot such shares in payment of property sold or transferred or for the Company or for such other rendered to services the Directors may think fit and the shares consideration as allotted may be issued as, and shall be deemed to be, partly paid up or fully paid up shares.

The provisions of Sections 89(1) and 90(1) to (6) of the Act (as the same may be modified or re-enacted) are hereby expressly excluded.

# TRUSTS

9. The Company shall be entitled, but shall not be bound, to and, in the event of acceptance, shall be entitled to record in such manner as it may think fit, notices of any trusts in respect of any shares οf the Company. Notwithstanding any such acceptance and/or the making of any such record, the Company shall not be bound to see to the execution, administration or observance of any trust whether expressed, implied, or constructive, in respect of any shares the Company and shall be entitled to recognise and give effect to the acts and deeds of the registered holders of such shares as if they were the absolute owners thereof. the purposes of this provision "trust" includes any right in respect of any shares of the Company other than an absolute right thereto in the holder thereof.

## TRANSFER OF SHARES

- 10. A fully paid share of any class may be transferred:-
  - (i) by a member or, subject to Article 11(j) hereof, by the legal personal representative of a member to the spouse or to any of the issue of that member or to a trust under which there are no beneficiaries other than the member and such spouse and issue; or
  - (ii) by the Trustees in a Trust which is a member of the Company to a beneficiary under such Trust in pursuance of either the powers or the obligations of such Trustees in terms of such Trust; or

(iii) in the case of a corporate member, by such member to any company which is such member's subsidiary or holding company or which is a subsidiary of such member's holding company;

# PROVIDED ALWAYS that

- (a) the event of an individual member who has acquired shares in the capital of the Company in pursuance of a right conferred or opportunity offered as a Director or employee of the Company, transferring shares to any person pursuant to the foregoing provisions, ("the associate transferee") and the member ceasing to be a Director or employee aforesaid (for whatever reason other death), the associate transferee, or any person to whom such shares or any of them, shall subsequently been transferred (other than a person is a Director or employee of the Company, or a person who has acquired the shares pursuant to deemed to have given a Article 11(i)) shall be transfer notice as contemplated in Article 11(b) at date on which such member ceases Director or employee as aforesaid, in respect of such shares or, as the case may be, such part thereof as shall have been transferred, directly or indirectly, as aforesaid, from such member, and the whole provisions of Article 11 (including without prejudice to the foregoing generality 11(g)) shall apply mutatis mutandis, and
- (b) in the event of a corporate member transferring shares pursuant to the foregoing provisions to any person ("the associate corporate transferee") and the associate corporate transferee or any person to whom such shares may subsequently have been

transferred pursuant to the foregoing provisions ceasing, while still a member of the Company, to be associated with said corporate member contemplated in Article 10(iii), then the associate corporate transferee or, as the case may be, such person shall, within seven days of such event the Directors accordingly, notify and shall be to deemed given a transfer have notice contemplated in Article 11(b) at the date on which associate corporate transferee or, as the case such person ceased to be associated as aforesaid, in respect of that number relevant shares transferred by such corporate member and then held or beneficially owned, and the whole provisions of Article 11 (including without prejudice to the foregoing generality, Article 11(g)) shall apply mutatis mutandis.

11. (a) Except in the case of a transfer pursuant to the last preceding Article, no person shall transfer any share save in accordance with the succeeding provisions of this Article.

(b) Before transferring any shares the person proposing to transfer the same (hereinafter called "the proposing transferor") shall give a notice writing (hereinafter called "the transfer notice") to the Company that he desires to transfer the same. The transfer notice shall constitute the Company his agent for the sale of the shares therein mentioned (together with all right, then attached thereto) at the prescribed price to any member or members of the Company found by the Directors pursuant to the provisions of this Article and shall not be revocable except with the consent of the Directors or except where a proposing transferor having had notification of any prescribed price determined by the Auditors as hereinafter provided, shall, within one week of receipt of such notification, have given written notice to the Directors that he is dissatisfied with that prescribed price and wishes to revoke his transfer notice.

(c) If, not more than one month before the date on which the transfer notice was given, the proposing transferor shall have agreed with the Directors a price per share as representing the fair value thereof (such price being hereinafter referred to "the agreed price") then any such agreed price shall be the prescribed price. Otherwise upon the giving of the transfer notice the Directors shall request the Auditors for the time being of the Company to determine and certify the sum per share considered by them to be the fair value thereof as at the said date as between a willing vendor and a willing purchaser, and having regard anticipated income from the existing contracts of the Company as well as income actually received and the sum per share so determined and certified shall be the prescribed price. The Auditors shall act hereunder as experts and not as arbiters and their determination shall be final and binding on all concerned. The costs and expenses of any valuation shall be borne by the Company unless a proposing transferor shall have revoked his transfer notice paragraph (b) above in which event the costs and expenses shall be borne by that proposing transferor.

(d) If the prescribed price was settled as aforesaid prior to the said date, the prescribed period shall

commence on such date and expire three months thereafter.

If the prescribed price was not so agreed, the prescribed period shall commence on such date and expire three months after the date, being one week after the date on which the prescribed price determined by the Auditors shall have been notified by the Directors to the proposing transferor, pending which the Directors shall defer the making of the offer hereinafter mentioned.

- If the Directors shall within the prescribed period (e) a member or members (hereinafter called find to purchase the "purchasing members") concerned, or any of them, and shall give notice in writing to that effect to the proposing transferor, shall be bound, upon payment of the prescribed to transfer such shares to the respective price, purchasing members. Every such notice shall state the name and address of the purchasing member and the number of shares agreed to be purchased by him and the purchase shall be completed at a place and time to be appointed by the Directors not being less than three days nor more than ten days after the date of such notice.
- The Directors shall, with a view to finding purchasing members, offer at the prescribed price, any shares comprised in a transfer notice to the members as nearly as may be in proportion to the shares held by them respectively, and the offer shall in each case specify a date (being not less than fourteen days after the date of the offer) within which the offer if not accepted, will be deemed to have been declined. The offer shall indicate that a member may accept in respect of a

lesser number of shares than those comprised in the and shall include notification to the effect that a member to whom the offer is made who desires transfer of shares in addition to the number of shares comprised in said offer to him, should in his reply to the offer or within such other time as the Directors may unanimously determine, state how many additional shares he desires to have. member to whom an offer is made as aforesaid does not accept the offer in respect of all the shares offered to him, the shares in respect of which no acceptance is received (the "excess shares") shall be used in satisfying any request or requests for additional shares received from the other members In the event of the the Company as aforesaid. excess shares being insufficient in number satisfy all the requests received for additional shares as aforementioned the said requests for additional shares shall be satisfied to an extent in proportion as nearly as circumstances admit to the then existing holdings of shares in the capital of the Company of the members making such requests if more than one.

If a proposing transferor shall fail to transfer any shares to a purchasing member hereunder, the Directors may authorise some person to execute and deliver on his behalf the necessary transfer and the Company may receive the purchase money in trust for the proposing transferor and cause the purchasing member to be registered as the holder of such shares. The receipt of the Company for the purchase money shall be a good discharge to the purchasing member (who shall not be bound to see to the application thereof) and after the purchasing member has been registered in purported exercise of

the aforesaid powers, the validity of the proceedings shall not be questioned by any person.

Any member who has acquired shares in the capital (h) of the Company in pursuance of a right conferred on him or opportunity offered to him as a Director or employee of the Company shall, on ceasing to be a Director or employee (for whatever reason), be deemed as at the date of such cessation to have given to the Directors a transfer notice in terms paragraph (b) of this Article (save that such not under any circumstances shall notice revocable) in respect of all shares then held or beneficially owned by him and the pre-emption procedure set out herein shall apply and the Company shall thereby be constituted the attorney of such member for the execution of the relevant transfer and any other document necessary to give effect thereto.

If at the end of any relevant prescribed period the (i) Directors shall not have found purchasing members for all or any of the shares comprised transfer notice they shall notify the proposing transferor accordingly in which event the proposing may (subject to the right of transferor Directors to refuse to register any transfer under Article 12 hereof), at any time within four months the receipt of such notification, transfer all of any such shares for which purchasing members have not been found, to any person or persons on a bona fide sale at a price per share not less than the prescribed price at which the Directors sought purchasers for such shares.

- (j) If any member shall die, then the Company may, subject to the provisions of the Act, purchase the shares in the Company held by that member on the terms specified in the Minute of Agreement between the Company and that member dated 1987.
- 12. The Directors may in their absolute discretion and without assigning any reason therefor, decline to register
  - (i) any transfer of any share which is not a fully paid share,
  - (ii) any transfer of a fully paid up share other than a transfer pursuant to Article 10 or (with the exception of Article 11(i)), Article 11 hereof.
- 13. For the purposes of each of the three preceding Articles the expression "transfer" shall extend to and include the renunciation or negotiation of any temporary document of title relative to a share and the entering into of any contract, undertaking or arrangement whereby the holder of a share holds the same upon trust for the benefit of or as nominee for any other person.
- 14. The Directors may at any time require any person whose name is entered in the Register of Members of the Company to furnish them with any information which they consider necessary for the purpose of determining the beneficial ownership of the shares (or any of them) in respect of which such person is registered, together with such evidence as the Directors in their sole discretion require, and if such requirements are not complied with within fourteen days of a

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### DIRECTORS

- 18. A Director shall not require a share qualification.
- 19. Each of the Directors shall receive such fee, if any, as such Director as the Company shall from time to time determine in General Meeting.
- 20. All the Directors shall be repaid all travelling, hotel and other expenses properly incurred by them in attending Board Meetings or otherwise in connection with the business of the Company.
- Without restricting the generality of the powers conferred on 21. the Directors, the Directors may give or award pensions, annuities, gratuities and superannuation or other allowances benefits to any persons who are or have at any time been Directors of or employed by or in the service of the Company of any company which is a subsidiary company of or allied associated with the Company or any such subsidiary and to children and other relatives and the wives. widows, dependants of any such persons and may set up, establish, support and maintain pension, superannuation and other funds or schemes (whether contributory or non-contributory) for the benefit of such persons as are hereinbefore referred to or any of them or any class of them and so that any Director shall be entitled to receive and retain for his own benefit such pension, annuity, gratuity, allowance or other benefit (whether under any such fund or scheme or otherwise) and may vote as a Director in respect of the exercise of any the powers by this Article conferred upon the Directors, notwithstanding that he is or may be or become interested therein.

## DIVIDENDS

22. The Company may in General Meeting declare dividends.

## INDEMNITY

23. Subject to the provisions of the Act, every Director, Auditor, Secretary or other officer of the Company shall be entitled to be indemnified by the Company against all costs, charges, losses, expenses and liabilities incurred by him in the execution and discharge of his duties or in relation thereto. Regulation 118 of Table A shall be extended accordingly.



## NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF SUBSCRIBERS

Morinne MacDonald 10 Whiteloans, Bothwell. Solicitor.

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Susan E. Grossart 33 Dundas Street, Edinburgh. Solicitor.

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Dated the Eleventh day of February 1981.

Witness to the above signatures:-

Eileen Hadwin 140 West George Street, Glasgow, G2 2HH. Secretary.

What is contained on this and the Sixteen preceding pages is a print of the Articles of Association adopted by Special Resolution of the Members of the Company held on the Fourth day of January, Nineteen hundred and eighty eight.

Director.

This

## THE COMPANIES ACT 1985 COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION (as altered as at 4th January 1988)

of

## RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED

- 1. The name of the Company is "RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED".
- 2. The Registered Office of the Company will be situate in Scotland.
- The objects for which the Company will be established are:-
  - To carry on all or any of the trades or (1) businesses of dealers and merchants in, manufacturers, processors, blenders, rollers and cutters, smelters and refiners of and storers and transporters of all and every kind of metal, ferrous and non-ferrous, makers and merchants of and dealers in all and every kind of produce and article composed in whole or in part of any kind of metal or alloy or compound thereof, light and heat engineers, machine tool makers and repairers, designers, manufacturers of, repairers of, and vendors of engines, whether powered by coal, steam, oil, petrol, electricity, gas or nuclear power, electrical, mechanical, heating, hydraulic, gas, electronic and nuclear

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(2)

To acquire any shares, stocks, debentures, debenture stocks, bonds, obligations, securities by any government, sovereign ruler, commissioners, trust, public body or other authority, supreme, municipal, local or otherwise, whether at home or abroad; provided that the monies of the Company shall neither be employed in the purchase nor lent upon the security of its own shares or stock.

(3)

To acquire any such shares, stocks, and others beforementioned by subscription, syndicate, participation, underwriting, tender, purchase, exchange, or otherwise and to subscribe for the same, either conditionally or otherwise, and to guarantee or underwrite the subscription thereof, and to exercise and enforce all rights and powers conferred by or incident to the ownership thereof.

(4) To sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of, deal with, or turn to account, any of the shares, stocks, and others acquired or agreed to be acquired, and generally to vary the

securities and investments of the Company from

time to time.

To lend money with or without security to any (5)and on such terms as parties may seem to advances expedient or makc upon investments, to negotiate loans, to offer for subscription or otherwise, public assist placing investments and in any generally to advance and lend money and assets of all kinds.

(6) To undertake and execute any trusts which the Company may think it expedient to undertake; and to act as agents, managers, secretaries, registrars, executors, factors or liquidators.

(7) To guarantee or become liable for the payment of money or for the performance of any obligations and generally to transact all kinds of guarantee business; and to undertake obligations of every kind and description upon

such terms as the Company or its Directors may consider desirable, and by mortgage, charge or lien upon all or any of the property or assets of the Company (both present and future) to secure and guarantee the performance by the Company or any other company of any obligation undertaken by the Company or any other company as the case may be.

(8) To receive money on deposit, loan or otherwise, upon such terms as the Company may approve; and to carry on business as bankers and financiers and to undertake and carry out all such deals and transactions as any individual may lawfully undertake and carry out.

(9)

To purchase, feu, take on lease or in exchange or by other means acquire and hold any feudal, leasehold or other property freehold, lands, tenements and hereditaments and any rights, privileges, servitudes and easements over or in respect of any property, and to manage, maintain, improve, develop and turn the same to account, to expend money or adding to the improving maintaining, marketable value of same or in the demolition buildings and other erections thereon, or in the erection thereon of buildings of such a and for such purposes as to Directors may seem proper, and to sell, feu, sub-divide, let or otherwise dispose of, or all or any part of any deal with, property or rights.

(10)

To purchase, take on lease, acquire and use any purposes of the Company, machinery, stock-in-trade and other property, rights, privileges and interests (including letters patent, licences, copyrights, trade marks, secret processes, designs, goodwill and concessions), and other rights of whatever kind, real or heritable and personal or moveable or any of them; and to hold. exercise, develop, improve, sell, lease, hire, exchange, mortgage, alter, pledge or otherwise deal with or dispose of same.

(11)

To pay all preliminary expenses of the Company and of any company promoted or formed by the Company or of any company in which the Company or its shareholders is or are or may competently be interested.

(12)

To provide all requisite accommodation and facilities for the purposes of the Company.

(13)

To purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire or undertake the whole or any parts of business, undertaking, property and liabilities of any person or company carrying authorised to carry on any business which the Company is authorised to carry on or which may be conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company or possessed any property suitable for the purposes of the Company, or the stock, shares debentures or other interest of or in any such or to amalgamate with any company, company, and for the purpose of such amalgamation to transfer the undertaking of

the Company to the company or companies with which it is being amalgamated or to accept the transfer to the Company of the undertaking of any such company or part thereof.

or by annual, perpetual or terminable payments, redeemable or irredeemable, or by bills of the Company, or by shares of the Company of any class, and whether fully paid up or partly paid up, or by debentures, debenture stock or other securities or acknowledgments of the Company or one or more of them or part of the one and part of the other or others or in any other way.

(15)

To borrow or raise or secure the payment of money for the purposes of the business of the Company in such manner as the Company or its Directors may think fit, and to issue bonds, debenture stock or other and debentures obligations or securities whether charged or not charged on the whole or any part of the and future) assets property (present of the Company, or its uncalled revenue by mortgage, pledge, conveyance, capital or in security or other assignment bond. obligations of the Company, and to redeem, purchase or pay off such securities.

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To sell, dispose of, or transfer the business or undertaking of the Company, or any branch or part thereof or any property or assets thereof, in consideration of payment in cash or royalties or other perpetual or terminable payments, or in shares (partly or fully paid up) or debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of any other company or in one or other or all of such modes of payment or in such manner and for such consideration as the Company may think fit.

(18)

To promote or concur in promoting any companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any part of the property, rights and liabilities of the Company or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit the Company.

(19)

To enter into any partnership, arrangement for sharing of profits, union of interests, reciprocal concession or co-operation with any persons, companies or societies carrying on or about to carry on any business or branch of business which the Company is authorised to carry on or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company.

(20)

To adopt such means of making known the business of and the services and facilities provided by the Company and keeping the same before the public as may seem expedient.

(21)

To remunerate any person, association, firm or company for services rendered or to be

rendered to the Company or in or about the conduct of the Company's business, and that by cash payment or by allotment of shares or securities of the Company credited as paid up in full or in part or otherwise.

(22)

To grant pensions, allowances, gratuities and bonuses or other benefits or any share or interest in the profits of the Company's business or any part thereof and generally, so far as is lawful, to make voluntary or ex gratia payments either in money or moneysworth to Directors or former Directors or employees ex-employees of the Company, or of any subsidiary, allied or associated company, or of any company or business which is acquired by the Company, or to the widows or children other dependants of such person, and to or enter into arrangements for make provision or policies of life assurance or to purchase annuities for any such persons or otherwise to provide for them, and to aid in the and support or establish establishment of hospitals, or support of recreation, dispensaries, places organisations, clubs or institutions, calculated to benefit persons employed by the and to support and subscribe and Company, guarantee to any public money charitable, educational, religious or other objector to any exhibitions or exposition calculated to advance the interest of the Company or the persons employed by the Company predecessors in business associated or subsidiary company.

(23)

To distribute any of the property and assets of the Company among the members in specie (and, in particular, any shares, stocks, debentures or securities of other companies which belong to the Company or of which the Company has the right to dispose) but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made except with the sanction (if any) for the time being required by law.

(24)

To obtain assist or in obtaining Provisional Order or Act of Parliament or other necessary authority or sanction enabling the Company to carry any of its objects into effect; or for effecting any modification of the Company's constitution; and to assist in procuring alterations in the law; and to oppose any Parliamentary or other proceedings which the Company may think adverse to its interest.

(25)

To acquire or obtain from any government or authority, supreme, municipal, local or otherwise, or any corporation, company or person, any charters, rights, privileges and concessions which may be conducive to any of the objects of the Company, and to accept, make payments under, carry out, exercise and comply with any such charters, rights, privileges and concessions.

(26)

To procure the Company to be registered or established or authorised to do business in any part of the world.

(27)

To carry on any other business which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the above or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the Company's property or rights or which it may be deemed advisable to undertake with a view development, rendering valuable, prospecting turning or to account property, real or personal, belonging to the Company, or in which the Company may be interested.

(28)

To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world, and either as principals, agents, trustees or contractors, and either alone or in conjunction with others and either by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees or otherwise.

(29)

To do all such other things which are or which the Company may consider to be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

Declaring that the word "Company" in this Clause, except where used in reference to the Company, shall be deemed to include any person, partnership, or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and whether domiciled in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and also that the objects expressed in each paragraph of this clause, shall be deemed separate objects and shall (except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph) be in no ways limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or the name of the Company.

- The liability of the members is limited.
- 5. The share capital of the Company is £100.\*

WE, the several persons whose names and addresses are subscribed, are desirous of being formed into a Company in pursuance of this Memorandum of Association and we respectively agree to take the number of Shares in the capital of the Company set opposite our respective names.

NAMES, ADDRESSES & DESCRIPTIONS OF SUBSCRIBERS NUMBER OF SHARES
TAKEN BY EACH
SUBSCRIBER

Morinne MacDonald 10 Whiteloans, Bothwell. Solicitor.

One

One

Susan Grossart 33 Dundas Street, Edinburgh. Solicitor.

Dated the Eleventh day of February 1981.

Witness to the above Signatures:-

Eileen Hadwin 140 West George Street, Glasgow, G2 2HH. Secretary.

\* The share capital of the Company was increased to £42,500 by the creation of 42,400 Ordinary Shares of £1 each pursuant to Special Resolution dated 3rd June 1981.

What is contained on this and the preceding Ten pages is a print of the Memorandum of Association altered by Special Resolution of the Members of the Company dated the Fourth day of January, Nineteen hundred and eighty eight.

Director

## Company No. 74125

## THE COMPANIES ACT 1985 COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

## RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED

## SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

AT an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the above Company duly convened and held at Glasgow on the Fourth day of January Nineteen hundred and eighty eight the following Resolutions were duly passed as Special Resolutions:-

- (A) THAT the provisions of the Memorandum of Association of the Company be altered all as contained in the print of the Memorandum of Association submitted to this Meeting and subscribed by the Chairman thereof for identification as relative hereto.
- (B) THAT the existing Articles of Association be and they are hereby cancelled and in substitution therefor the Articles of Association of which a print is laid on the table and is subscribed by the Chairman for identification be and they are hereby adopted as the Articles of Association of the Company.

Director

#### Company No. 74125

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#### RICHARD AUSTIN ALLOYS LIMITED

### SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

AT an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the above Company duly convened and held at Glasgow on the Fourth day of January, Nineteen hundred and eighty eight the following Resolutions were duly passed as Special Resolutions:-

- A. THAT for the purposes of and as contemplated in Section 165(2) of the Companies Act 1985 the Minute of Agreement between the Company and Teague McFadden a draft of which is laid before the Meeting and initialled for identification by the Chairman pursuant to which the Company may purchase or become obliged to purchase shares in its capital be and is hereby approved and that the Company be and is hereby authorised and instructed to enter into said Minute of Agreement and exercise the rights and discharge the obligations therein provided.
- B. THAT for the purposes of and as contemplated in Section 165(2) of the Companies Act 1985 the Minute of Agreement between the Company and Sean Terrence Kelly a draft of which is laid before the Meeting and initialled for identification by the Chairman pursuant to which the Company may purchase or become obliged to purchase shares in its capital be and is

hereby approved and that the Company be and is hereby authorised and instructed to enter into said Minute of Agreement and exercise the rights and discharge the obligations therein provided.

C. THAT for the purposes of and as contemplated in Section 165(2) of the Companies Act 1985 the Minute of Agreement between the Company and Robin John Weir a draft of which is laid before the Meeting and initialled for identification by the Chairman pursuant to which the Company may purchase or become obliged to purchase shares in its capital be and is hereby approved and that the Company be and is hereby authorised and instructed to enter into said Minute of Agreement and exercise the rights and discharge the obligations therein provided.

Director