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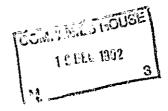
## COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

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## ALVIS UAV ENGINES LIMITED

- 1. The name of the Company is "Neejam 126 Limited".\*
- 2. The Registered Office of the Company will be situate in England.
- J. The Objects for which the Company is established are:
- to acquire the business of the manufacture and sale of + (a) rotary engines for unmanned air vehicles from Norton Motors Limited and then to conduct that business, carry on all or any of the businesses of light and/or general engineers, precision engineers, mechanical engineers, motor engineers, aeronautical engineers, electrical engineers, constructional engineers, metal piercers, die casters, die sinkers, metal stampers, tuners, coppersmiths, machinists, oxy-acetylene, electric and enamellers, cellulose japanners, annealers, spot welders, sprayers, electro and chromium platers, polishers, metal joiners, woodworkers, plastic finishers, panel beaters, storage contractors, moulders and workers, warehousemen, carriers and haulage contractors to carry on all or any of the
- \* Company name changed to "Alvis UAV Engines Limited" by Special Resolution passed on 16th December 1992.
- + Inserted by Special Resolution passed on 2nd December 1992.



businesses of owners, operators engineers, servicers, fitters, builders, maintainers, designers, repairers, storers, hirers and letters on hire of, agents for and dealers in rotary engines for unmanned air vehicles and to manufacture, import, export, repair, install, maintain, design, shippers, dist ibutors and agents for the sale of merchants, and dealers in rotary engines for unmanned air vehicles, undertake research and development into any of the activities mentioned above; to carry on business as manufacturers and repairers of and dealers in components spare parts and accessories for rotary engines for un-manned air vehicles, machines and machinery generally, machine and engine parts, gears, gauges, moulds, dies, presses, jigs, machine tools, scientific and other instruments, implements, castings, plates and other air-craft and aeronlane accessories to carry on or acquire any business and spare parts therefor; similar to the businesses above mentioned or which may be conveniently or advantageously carried on or combined with them or may be calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of or render more profitable any of the Company's property.

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- (b) To buy, sell, manufacture, repair, alter, improve, manipulate, prepare for market, let on hire, and generally deal in all kinds of plant, machinery, apparatus, tools, utensils, materials, produce, substances, articles and things for the purpose of any of the businesses specified herein, or likely to be required by customers or other persons having, or about to have, dealings with the Company.
- (c) To carry on any trade or business whatsoever which can in the opinion of the Directors be conveniently or advantageously carried on by the Company in connection with or as ancillary to the general business of the Company.

(d) To build, construct, maintain, alter, enlarge, pull down and remove or replace any buildings, shops, factories, offices, works, machinery, engines and to clear sites for the same or to join with any person, firm or company in doing any of

the things aforesaid and to work, manage and control the same or join with others in so doing.

- (e) To enter into contracts, agreements and arrangements with any other company for the carrying out by such other company on behalf of the Company of any of the objects for which the Company is formed.
- (f) To acquire, undertake and carry on the whole or any part of the business, property and liabilities of any person firm or company carrying on any business which the Company is authorised to carry on or possess, or which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the Company's property or rights, or any property suitable for the purposes of the Company.
- (g) To enter into any arrangements with any Government or authorities, supreme, municipal, local or otherwise, that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such Government or authority any rights, privileges and concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise and comply with any such arrangements, rights, privileges and concessions.
- (h) To apply for, or join in applying for purchase or by other means acquire and protect, prolong and renew, whether in the United Kingdom or elsewhere any patents, patent rights, brevets d'invention, licences, registered designs, protections and concessions which may appear likely to be advantageous or useful to the Company, and to use and turn to account and to manufacture under or grant licences or privileges in respect of

the same, and to expend money in experimenting and testing and making researches, and in improving or seeking to improve any patents, inventions or rights which the Company may acquire or propose to acquire.

- (i) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, co-operation, joint venture, reciprocal concession, or otherwise with any company firm or person, or with any employees of the Company, including in such case if thought fit the conferring of a participation in the management or its directorate, or with any company firm or person carrying on or engaged in any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company, and to give to any such company firm or person special rights or privileges in connection with or control over this Company, and in particular the right to nominate one or more Directors of this Company, and to lend money to, guarantee the contracts of, or otherwise assist any such company, firm or person and to take or otherwise acquire shares or securities of any such company, and to sell, re-issue, with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with the same.
- (j) To subsidise, assist and guarantee the payment of money by or the performance of any contract, engagement or obligation by any persons, firms or companies and to act as agents for the collection, receipt or payment of money and generally to act as agents for and render services to customers and others.
- (k) Either with or without the Company receiving any consideration or advantage, direct or indirect, from giving any such guarantee, to guarantee by personal covenant or by mortgaging or charging all or any part of the undertaking, property and assets present and future and uncalled capital or by both such methods or by any other means whatsoever the performance of the obligations and the payment of any moneys (including but not limited to capital or principal, premiums,

dividends or interest, commissions, charges, discount and any costs or expenses relating thereto whether on any stocks, shares or securities or in any manner whatsoever) by any company, firm or person including but not limited to any company which is for the time being the Company's holding company as defined by Section 736 of the Companies Act 1985 or a subsidiary of the Company or of the Company's holding company as so defined or any company, firm or person who is for the time being a member or otherwise has any interest in the Company or is associated with the Company in any business or venture or any other person, firm or company whatsoever.

- (1) To promote any company for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property and liabilities of this Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company.
- (m) To pay out of the funds of the Company all expenses which the Company may lawfully pay of or incident to the formation, registration and advertising of or raising money for the Company, and the issue of its capital, or for contributing to or assisting any person, firm or company either issuing or purchasing with a view to issue all or any part of the Company's capital in connection with the advertising or offering the same for sale or subscription, including brokerage and commissions for obtaining applications for or taking, placing or underwriting or procuring the underwriting of shares, debentures or debenture stock.
- (n) To remunerate any person, firm or company rendering service to the Company whether by cash payment or by the allotment to him or them of shares or securities of the Company credited as paid up in full or in part or otherwise.

- (o) Generally to purchase, take on lease or exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any real or personal property and any rights or privileges which the Company may think necessary or convenient for the purposes of its business.
- (p) To receive money on deposit upon such terms as the Company may approve.
- (q) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (r) To lend money with or without security, but not to carry on the business of a registered money lender.
- (s) To borrow or raise or secure the payment of money in such manner as the Company shall think fit, and in particular by the issue of debentures or debenture stock, perpetual or otherwise charged upon all or any of the Company's property (both present and future), including its uncalled capital, and to purchase, redeem or pay off any such securities.
- To remunerate any person, firm or company for services rendered or to be rendered, in placing, or assisting to place, or guaranteging the placing or procuring the underwriting of any or debenture stock, of the shares, debentures, or other securities or obligations of the Company or of any company in may be interested or propose to be which this Company or in or about the conduct of the business of the interested, Company, whether by cash payment or by the allotment of shares, or securities of the Company credited as paid up in full or in part, or otherwise.
- (u) To subscribe for either absolutely or conditionally or otherwise acquire and hold shares, stocks, debentures, debenture stock or other securities or obligations of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.

- (v) To draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, bills of lading, warrants, debentures and other negotiable and transferable instruments.
- (w) To sell, lease, exchange, let on hire, or dispose of any real or personal property or the undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and, in particular, for shares whether fully or partly paid-up, debentures or securities of any other company, whether or not having objects altogether, or in part, similar to those of the Company, and to hold and retain any shares debentures or securities so acquired, and to improve, manage, develop, sell, exchange, lease, mortgage, dispose of or turn to account or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property or rights of the Company.
- (x) To adopt such means of making known the activities of the Company as may seem expedient, and in particular by advertising in the Press, by circulars, by purchase and of works of art or interest or any other thing likely to give publicity to the Company and the exhibition of all or any thereof, by publication of books and periodicals, and by granting prizes, rewards and donations.
- Object and any institution, society or club which may be for the benefit of the Company or its Directors, officers or employees, or the Directors, officers and employees of its predecessors in business, or of any subsidiary, allied or associated company, or which may be connected with any town or place where the Company carries on business; to give pensions, gratuities, or charitable aid to any person (including any Directors or former Directors) who may have served the company or its predecessors in business, or any subsidiary, allied or associated company or to the wives, children or other relatives or dependants of such persons; to make payments towards insurance and to form and contribute to provident pension and

benefit funds for the benefit of any Directors or officers of or persons employed by the Company, or of or by its predecessors in business, or of or by any subsidiary, allied or associated company, and to subsidise or assist any association of employers or employees, or any trade association.

- (z) To establish and contribute to any scheme for the purchase or subscription by trustees of shares in the Company to be held for the benefit of the Company's employees, and to lend money to the Company's employees to enable them to purchase or subscribe for shares in the Company and to formulate and carry into effect any scheme for sharing the profits of the Company with employees or any of them.
- (aa) To obtain any Provisional Order or Act of Parliament, or licence of the Department of Trade or other authority for enabling the Company to carry any of its objects into effect or for effecting any modifications of the Company's constitution or for any other purposes which may seem expedient, and to oppose any proceedings or applications which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to prejudice the Company's interests.
- (bb) To establish, grant and take up agencies in any part of the world, and to do all such other things as the Company may deem conducive to the carrying on of the Company's business, either as principals, or agents and to remunerate any persons in connection with the establishment or granting of such agencies upon such terms and conditions as the Company may think fit.
- (cc) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world and as principals, agents, contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and by or through trustees, agents or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others and to procure the Company to be registered or recognised in any foreign country or place.

- (dd) To distribute any of the property of the Company in specie among the shareholders.
- (ee) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company.
- (ff) To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects, or any of them.
- (gg) To arrange for the purchasing or maintaining for any director, offer or auditor of the Company or any of its subsidiaries insurance against any liability which by virtue of any rule of law would otherwise attach to him in respect of any negligence, breach of duty or breach of trust of which he may be guilty in relation to the Company or any of its subsidiaries of which he is a director, officer or auditor.

And it is hereby declared that the word "company" in this clause shall be deemed to include any person or partnership of other body of persons whether domiciled in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and words denoting the singular number only shall include the plural number and vice versa, and so that the objects specified in each paragraph of this Clause shall, except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be regarded as independent objects, and in no ways limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph or the name of the Company.

4. The liability of the Members is limited.

5. The Share Capital of the Company is £100 (One hundred pounds) divided up into One hundred shares of £1 (One pound) each.\*

\* Authorised Share Capital of the Company increased by Ordinary Resolution passed on 2nd December 1992 to £250,000 by the creation of 249,900 Ordinary Shares of £1 each ranking pari passu in all respects with the authorised share capital at incorporation.

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