



**MODEL1**  
COMMERCIAL VEHICLES



# WARRANTY BOOK

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# LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Since our founding in 1980, our singular goal has been to satisfy our client's transportation needs by providing them quality vehicles and superior customer service. Your loyal support has helped us grow, and as a result, we have recently undergone two significant changes to our company. First, we relocated our corporate offices from Chino, California to Indianapolis, Indiana. This move allows us to be more strategically positioned to better assist and engage with our nationwide locations and to be geographically closer to several of our manufacturing partners. Second, Creative Bus Sales is now Model 1 Commercial Vehicles. This name change reflects our continued commitment to offer our customers more than simply selling buses.

Model 1 will continue to strive to provide the same seamless buying experience before, during, and after the sale of your vehicle that you've come to expect from Model 1. Our wide variety of vehicles cover both the transit and retail markets and range from custom-built buses to alternative fuel options. We also offer a growing portfolio of electric vehicles for numerous markets. You can browse our entire new and used inventory anytime on [Model1.com](https://Model1.com).

Keeping your new investment operating efficiently and safely is the highest priority of our service department. Many of our nationwide facilities provide full maintenance services such as fluid changes, emissions testing, and repairs. We also invite you to explore our new line of safety enhancements, such as our Disinfect & Protect line of products. Contact our service experts for additional information.

We recognize that our success lies in the relationships we create and the satisfaction of customers like you. Thank you again for your trust in us and for choosing Model 1 Commercial Vehicles for your transportation needs.

Sincerely,

A stylized, handwritten signature in white ink, consisting of a large, sweeping 'C' shape followed by a horizontal line that tapers off to the right.

**TONY MATIJEVICH, PRESIDENT**



# OWNER'S AREA



Scan QR Code to  
see Owner's Area.

Thank you for your vehicle purchase! We welcome our valued customers to join the Model 1 Owner's Area where you will gain access to valuable resources to ensure that you fully understand and enjoy every feature of your new vehicle. Resources include operation videos, maintenance and owner's manuals, and more. Visit [model1.com](http://model1.com) and navigate to **Menu > Resources > Owner's Area** or scan the QR code above.

## **DISINFECT & PROTECT**

Our products and services expanded to help our marketplace operate safely during and beyond COVID-19. Our new line of safety enhancements provide easy, safe and effective ways to protect against disease-causing viruses and bacteria. Be sure to also have a look at our large selection of driver barrier options designed to universally fit many different vehicles.

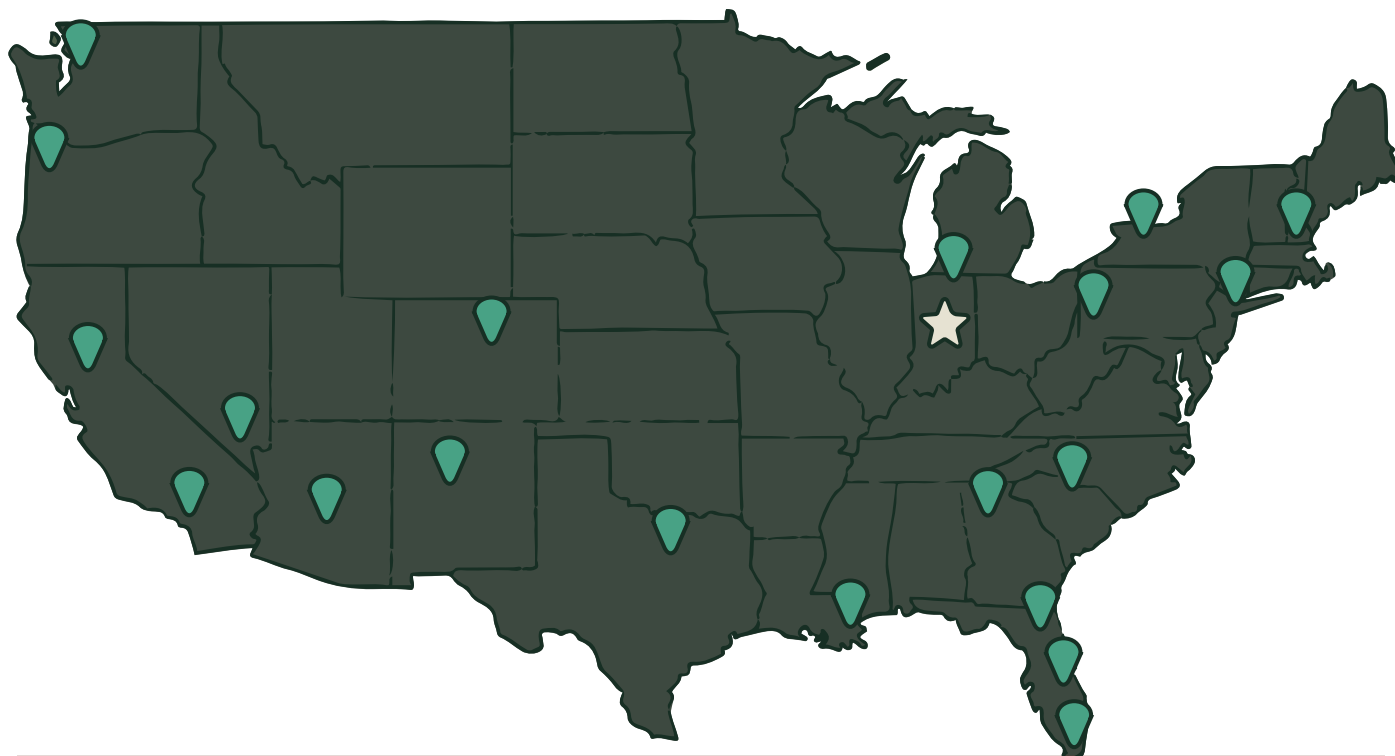
For more information and pricing details,  
contact Customer Care at **+1 (888) 633-8380**.

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# OUR LOCATIONS



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## NORTHWEST REGION

### Canby, OR

7197 S. Tull Rd.  
Canby, OR 97013  
OFFICE (503) 226-3493  
SERVICE (971) 319-4869

### Mukilteo, WA

11601 Cyrus Way, #101  
Mukilteo, WA 98275  
OFFICE (425) 609-1500  
SERVICE (425) 609-1545

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## WEST REGION

### Chino, CA

14740 Ramona Ave.  
Chino, CA 91710  
OFFICE (909) 203-4810  
SERVICE (909) 993-5045

### Sacramento, CA

7471 Reese Rd.  
Sacramento, CA 95828  
OFFICE (916) 596-4210  
SERVICE (916) 244-6896

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## NORTHEAST REGION

### Buffalo, NY

1500 N. America Dr.  
West Seneca, NY 14224  
OFFICE (716) 256-2510

### Canonsburg, PA

2100 Washington Rd.  
Canonsburg, PA 15317  
OFFICE (724) 749-8180

### Carlstadt, NJ

51 Kero Rd.  
Carlstadt, NJ 07072  
OFFICE (201) 507-8500  
SERVICE (201) 507-5372

### Hudson, NH

13 Rebel Rd.  
Hudson, NH 03051  
OFFICE (603) 886-0880  
SERVICE (603) 377-8930



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# OUR LOCATIONS

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## MIDWEST REGION

### Elkhart, IN

57475 Co. Rd. 3  
Elkhart, IN 46517  
OFFICE (574) 343-1050  
SERVICE (574) 584-7803

### Indianapolis, IN

*(Headquarters)*  
9225 Priority Way W. Dr.  
Suite 300  
Indianapolis, IN 46240  
OFFICE (463) 234-9400

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## SOUTHEAST REGION

### Jacksonville, FL

8600 Atlantic Blvd.  
Jacksonville, FL 32211  
OFFICE (904) 241-6004  
SERVICE (904) 539-9497

### Orlando, FL

7380 W. Sand Lake Rd.  
Suite 554  
Orlando, FL 32824  
OFFICE (407) 816-0617

### Davie, FL

3314 S.W. 49th Way  
Suite 3  
Davie, FL 33314  
OFFICE (754) 529-4390  
SERVICE (754) 258-5006

### Charlotte, NC

2529 Oneida Rd.  
Charlotte, NC 28269  
OFFICE (704) 399-2700  
SERVICE (704) 399-6335

### College Park, GA

1926 Hyannis Ct. *(Sales)*  
4850 Massachusetts Blvd. *(Service)*  
College Park, GA 30337  
OFFICE (770) 422-8920  
SERVICE (770) 305-0070

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## SOUTHWEST REGION

### Albuquerque, NM

5760 Pino Ave. N.E.  
Albuquerque, NM 87109  
OFFICE (505) 508-5944  
SERVICE (505) 503-1917

### Phoenix, AZ

3615 S. 28th St.  
Phoenix, AZ 85040  
OFFICE (602) 437-2255  
SERVICE (602) 437-303

### Las Vegas, NV

3640 S. Highland Dr.  
Las Vegas, NV 89103  
OFFICE (909) 203-4810  
SERVICE (909) 217-2484

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## SOUTH REGION

### Colorado Springs, CO

4810 Olive St.  
Colorado Springs, CO 80907  
OFFICE (303) 351-7937

### Slidell, LA

56396 Frank Pichon Dr.  
Slidell, LA 70458  
OFFICE (985) 726-5142  
SERVICE (985) 259-6377

### Irving, TX

4955 W. Northgate Dr.  
Irving, TX 75062  
OFFICE (469) 333-8909  
SERVICE (469) 333-8914

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# OUR DEPARTMENTS

Model 1 offers a dedicated nationwide network of Sales, Parts, Service, Warranty, and Customer Care departments to help you in all stages of bus ownership. Our customers benefit from our strong manufacturer partnerships, the largest in-stock inventory, and a nationwide team of experts.

## >> **SALES DEPARTMENT**

The Sales department is likely the first contact you will have with the Model 1 team. They can assist in finding the right vehicle for your needs and budget. Once you have selected a vehicle, a sales representative will walk you through the purchasing process.

## >> **CUSTOMER CARE DEPARTMENT**

Our Customer Care department is here to respond to inquiries or concerns regarding your vehicle purchase. We help resolve any issue that may arise over the serviceable life of your vehicle. Customer Care is also the primary resource to assist you in reaching the correct department or contact that you desire to speak with. To reach our Customer Care department, call **+1 (888) 633-8380** or email **customercare@model1.com**.

## >> **SERVICE DEPARTMENT**

Our Service department will work diligently to ensure that your vehicles are maintained to the highest standard. We welcome our customers' vehicles for any maintenance or service-related concerns. With an appointment, our Service team will make sure to get your vehicle back on the road as quickly as possible. To reach our Service department, call **+1 (800) 326-2877** or email **service@model1.com**.

## >> **PARTS DEPARTMENT**

Model 1 stocks a large variety of parts to ensure we have what you need to keep your vehicles operational. The Parts department is staffed with experienced parts sales associates, shipping and receiving associates, inventory specialists, and delivery drivers where applicable. To reach our Parts department, call **+1 (888) 993-5040** or email **parts@model1.com**.

## >> **WARRANTY DEPARTMENT**

Our Warranty department will work for you to address any warranty concerns that you have with your vehicle. Model 1 Warranty department will act as a liaison between the customer and chassis manufacturer to expedite a satisfactory resolution for your concerns. Our Warranty department will ensure that all your warrantable issues are corrected to the manufacturer standards. To reach the Warranty department, call **+1 (800) 326-2877** or email **warranty@model1.com**.



# PARTS



At Model 1, we specialize in parts management and delivery. Our trained parts team is available 5 days-a-week to assist customers with their bus parts needs. With the addition of online parts ordering, you can be sure to get the bus part you need — even if the warehouse is closed.

Stocked within the warehouse is \$1 million in bus parts from vendors such as Thermos King, Ricon, Freedman, and many more. Our bus parts warehouse has in stock parts from all the major bus manufacturers. We specialize in providing IC Bus parts as well as international bus parts. Parts are available for public, fleet, and mechanic purchase. Creative also offers next day shipping to many areas within the United States.

- ADA Equipment
- Air System and Brakes
- Body Exterior
- Body Interior
- Climate Control System
- Cooling System
- Decals
- Door System
- Drive Shaft
- Electrical System
- Engine
- Front Axle
- Fuel, Air Intake, & Exhaust
- Glass & Windshields

**ARBOC**  
A NEW FLYER OF AMERICA COMPANY

**BraunAbility**

**GOSHEN**  
A REV GROUP

**MobilityTRANS**

**Glaval Bus**  
A Division Of Forest River, Inc.

**GreenPower**  
MOTOR COMPANY

**STARTRANS BUS**  
A Division Of Forest River, Inc.

**ENC**  
A REV GROUP

**CHAMPION**  
A REV GROUP

**ELDORADO**  
A REV GROUP

**KRYSTAL**  
A REV GROUP

**COLLINS**  
A REV GROUP

**Federal**  
A REV GROUP

**WORK-TIME**  
A REV GROUP

**LONE STAR**  
Handicap Vans

**DIAMOND**

**STARCRIFT BUS**  
A Division Of Forest River, Inc.

**ebhart Coach**

**NEW**  
NEW ENGLAND WHEELS

**I**

**MCWEENEY**

**TW**  
TRANSITWORKS  
INNOVATIVE TRANSIT SOLUTIONS

**PROTECTOR**

**GEM**

**TURTLETOP**

**Rockport**  
COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

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# SERVICE & CARE



With numerous service locations across the nation, Model 1 is equipped to accommodate all your bus servicing needs rapidly and efficiently. Our bus service bays are equipped with the newest state-of-the-art equipment to service your light, medium, and heavy-duty vehicles. Combined with our extensively trained and certified service technicians, you can count on Model 1 to provide the highest level of service and reliability.

- **Disinfect & Protect**
  - Decontamination (AeroClave, CleanSpray)
  - Driver Protection (Driver Barriers)
  - Passenger Protection (Freedman Seating)
  - Air Purification (ProAir, PlasmaAir)
- **OEM Factory Trained Technicians / ASE Certified**
  - Ford / GM / IC / ARBOC / Starcraft / ENC
- **Braun & Ricon Lift**
- **TransAir / Valeo / ACT**
- **Monthly / Annual Plans Available**
- **Parts Delivery & Mobile Service**
- **Preventive Maintenance / Warranty / Advanced Repairs**
  - Preventive Maintenance
  - State and Federal Inspections
- **Warranty Services**
- **A/C Service & Repairs**
- **Alignment**
- **Engine Overhaul**
- **Remote & Onsite Service / Warranty Repairs**
- **Maintenance Plans**

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## SERVICE FAQs

**Who do I call if one of my buses needs maintenance, repair, an option installed, or some other service?**

Please contact Customer Care at **+1 (888) 633-8380** or **customercare@model1.com**.

**What kinds of service work can I expect Model 1 Service facility to perform?**

We are fully prepared to meet all your vehicle service needs. We are experts in installing special options like wheelchair lifts, wheelchair securement, air conditioners, and roof vents. We can also provide service related to chassis and body repair. Our service facility can meet your extremely important routine maintenance functions, ensuring all warranty prerequisites are met. If you need major repairs, like engine work, transmission, or brake repairs, we will make sure your vehicle is operational as soon as possible.

*If there are still questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to our Warranty Department for a prompt response.*



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# WARRANTY & REPAIR



## ***CONTACT US BEFORE BEGINNING ANY WARRANTY WORK***

Please contact **warranty@model1.com** before any warranty work begins.

The following information will be needed in order to determine warranty coverage:

*Year, Make, Model, VIN, Mileage*

**NOTE:** Failure to follow this procedure may result in the denial of future vehicle warranty claims.

**DON'T FORGET:** It is extremely important to file your warranty claim within 30 days of the repair, or your claim could be subject to disapproval.

### **DEALER WARRANTY STATEMENT**

Warranty restitution can only be applied to completed repairs if proper procedures are followed and it is determined that the issue is covered under the chassis, body or component warranty.

### **VEHICLE / CHASSIS WARRANTY ITEMS**

Contact us at [Warranty@model1.com](mailto:Warranty@model1.com) for all your Model 1 Warranty needs. Contact your local chassis dealer and/or contact Model 1 for assistance in locating your local chassis dealer.

## ***WARRANTY FAQs***

### **Where do I get my vehicle serviced for warranty repairs?**

If you are near a Model 1 location (see Locations on Page 5), we invite you to visit us for all warranty repairs. If not, our Warranty team will assist you in locating an authorized warranty repair facility in your area. After determining where the repairs will be completed, a repair estimate must be provided to our Warranty team.

No repairs are authorized to be completed for warranty purposes until the Model 1 Warranty team has approved the estimate provided.

### **I have other questions about warranty repairs?**

Scan the QR Code above to see a larger list of FAQs regarding the warranty process.

If you have a question not addressed in the FAQ, please do not hesitate to reach out to [Warranty@model1.com](mailto:Warranty@model1.com) for a prompt response.



Scan QR Code  
to see more  
warranty FAQs.

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# ADDITIONAL SERVICES

Please contact Customer Care at **+1 (888) 633-8380** or **customercare@model1.com** if you're interested in any of the additional services listed below.

## ***OUR COMMITMENT TO EXPANDING ELECTRIC VEHICLE OFFERINGS***

Model 1 is committed to helping our customers transition to greener fleet options. To help further that goal we continue to add to our EV offerings. Be sure to browse our inventory to see the newest and most efficient electric vehicle platforms available.

## ***ALTERNATIVE FUEL OPTIONS***

Model 1 is the largest Ford Recognized Qualified Vehicle Modifier (QVM) Alternative Fuel Program Installer in North America, with multiple dedicated facilities that focus on the installation and up-fitting of Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) and Propane fuel conversion systems for fleet customers.

## ***WHY CHOOSE MODEL 1 FOR YOUR CONVERSION?***

- Over 10,000 Vehicles Converted to Alternative Fuels
- Ford QVM's Largest Alternative Fuel Participant
- Propane, Natural Gas, and Electric
- Tier One Supplier to Multiple OEM's
- CNG Fuel System Inspections
- Certified Alternative Fuel Technicians
- Natural Gas / Propane / Bi-Fuel / Electric

## ***FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL***





*Setting*  
*the example*  
the industry  
follows



**MODEL<sup>1</sup>**  
COMMERCIAL VEHICLES



TELL US HOW WE'RE DOING



SCAN THIS CODE & TAKE OUR SURVEY





U.S. Department  
of Transportation  
**Federal Transit  
Administration**

Headquarters

East Building, 5th Floor – TCR  
1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE  
Washington, DC 20590

November 7, 2022

Dave Brown  
Mobility TRANS  
12633 Inkster Road  
Livonia, MI

Re: Notice of Eligibility to Bid on FTA-Assisted Transit Vehicle Procurements in FY 2023

Dear Dave Brown:

This letter is to inform you that the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Office of Civil Rights has received Mobility TRANS's Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal and methodology for FY 2023 for the period of October 1, 2022–September 30, 2023. This goal submission is required by the U.S. Department of Transportation's DBE regulations at 49 CFR Part 26 and must be implemented in good faith.

FTA is currently reviewing your firm's DBE goal methodology. Pursuant to 49 CFR 26.49(a)(1), your firm is eligible to bid on FTA-assisted transit vehicle procurements in FY 2023 pending FTA's review. During the review process you must continue to implement your DBE program in good faith.

You may provide this letter to certify compliance with 49 CFR Part 26 for purposes of bidding on FTA-assisted transit vehicle procurements in FY 2023. FTA has also included your firm in the Eligible TVMs List on its website. If you have any questions, please contact the FTA DBE Team via email at [FTATVMSubmissions@dot.gov](mailto:FTATVMSubmissions@dot.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Pichon", written over a horizontal line.

Scott Pichon  
Equal Opportunity Specialist, Office of Civil Rights Policy and Engagement  
FTA Office of Civil Rights

THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE PUBLICLY DISPLAYED AS PROVIDED BY LAW

City of Slidell  
2045 Second St., Ste 214  
P O Box 828  
Slidell, LA 70459

**2023**

**OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE**

Permanent  
Motor Vehicle Dealer



Physical Address  
**56396 FRANK PICHON RD**

Taxpayer Number  
**00012380**

License Number: **2657-012-0-2023**  
Date Permit Issued: 01/01/2023  
Date Permit Expires: 12/31/2023

**CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC**

**9365 COUNSELORS ROW STE 112**  
**INDIANAPOLIS IN 46240 6240**

This certificate is issued to the person or firm named hereon to evidence that the tax levied by the City of Slidell has been paid for conducting the indicated business during the year ending 2023

Tax Collector -City of Slidell

THIS CERTIFICATE IS NON-TRANSFERABLE  
If business is closed or sold, notify in writing.



**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES**

9225 Priority Way W. Dr.

Suite 300

Indianapolis, IN 46240

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**Letter of Authorization**

**July 1, 2023**

To Whom It May Concern:

Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc. dba Creative Bus Sales, Inc., located at 9225 Priority West Way Drive, Suite 300, Indianapolis, IN 46240, hereby authorizes Nicholas (Nick) R. Corley, Transit Bid Manager, to act as an authorized signer on behalf of Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc. for binding contracts with your organization.

If further information is needed, please feel free to contact me.

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T.J. Matijevich, Vice President  
Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc.  
800-326-2877  
[TJ@creativebussales.com](mailto:TJ@creativebussales.com)





# CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

7/3/2023

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

**IMPORTANT:** If the certificate holder is an **ADDITIONAL INSURED**, the policy(ies) must have **ADDITIONAL INSURED** provisions or be endorsed. If **SUBROGATION** IS **WAIVED**, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

<b>PRODUCER</b> Woodruff-Sawyer & Co. 2 Park Plaza, Suite 500 Irvine CA 92614	<b>CONTACT NAME:</b> Audrey Curtis <b>PHONE (A/C, No, Ext):</b> 949-435-7345 <b>FAX (A/C, No):</b> <b>E-MAIL ADDRESS:</b> certificates@woodruffsawyer.com
<b>INSURED</b> Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc. 14740 Romono Ave. Chino, CA 91710	<b>INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE</b> <b>INSURER A:</b> Zurich American Insurance Company <b>INSURER B:</b> Landmark American Insurance Company <b>INSURER C:</b> Everest Indemnity Insurance Company <b>INSURER D:</b> Endurance American Insurance Company <b>INSURER E:</b> <b>INSURER F:</b>
License#: 0329598 CREABUS-01	<b>NAIC #</b> 16535 33138 10851 10641

**COVERAGES****CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 1797589642**REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY</b> <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PRO-JECT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOC OTHER:			GLO038187408	7/1/2023	7/1/2024	EACH OCCURRENCE \$2,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$1,000,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$10,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$2,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$4,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$4,000,000 \$
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY			GP038180308	7/1/2023	7/1/2024	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$2,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ Comp/Collision \$1,000
B	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>UMBRELLA LIAB</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>EXCESS LIAB</b> <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE DED RETENTION \$			LHA103172	7/1/2023	7/1/2024	EACH OCCURRENCE \$2,000,000 AGGREGATE \$2,000,000 \$
A	<b>WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY</b> ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y/N <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	WC038095408	7/1/2023	7/1/2024	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$1,000,000
C D A	Excess Liability Excess Liability Garagekeepers Legal			XC1EX00558-231 ELD30021915101 GP038180308	7/1/2023 7/1/2023 7/1/2023	7/1/2024 7/1/2024 7/1/2024	Occ/Agg Occ/Agg Limit: \$3,000,000 \$4,000,000 \$1,000,000

**DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)**

Dealers Inventory  
Policy Number: QT6305R702920TIL23  
Carrier: Travelers Casualty Insurance Company of America NAIC: 19046  
Effective: 7/1/2023 Expiration: 7/1/2024  
Limit: \$264,372,516

**CERTIFICATE HOLDER****CANCELLATION**

Creative Bus Sales, Inc.  
14740 Ramona Ave.  
Chino, CA 91710

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

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# Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.

► Go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9) for instructions and the latest information.

**1** Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.  
**Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc**

**2** Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

**3** Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only **one** of the following seven boxes.

☐ Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC

☐ C Corporation

☒ S Corporation

☐ Partnership

☐ Trust/estate

☐ Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ►

**Note:** Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is **not** disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.

☐ Other (see instructions) ►

**4** Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):

Exempt payee code (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

**5** Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions.  
56396 Frank Pichon Drive

**6** City, state, and ZIP code  
Slidell, LA 70458

**7** List account number(s) here (optional)

**8** Requester's name and address (optional)

## Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

**Note:** If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

**Social security number**

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or

**Employer identification number**

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## Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

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**Sign Here** Signature of U.S. person ► *Sean Bonwact* Date ► 06/13/2023

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# Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.

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1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.

**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC. (FKA CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC.)**

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

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☐ C Corporation

☒ S Corporation

☐ Partnership

☐ Trust/estate

☐ Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ►

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☐ Other (see instructions) ►

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Exempt payee code (if any) **5**

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**9225 PRIORITY WAY W DRIVE, SUITE 300**

6 City, state, and ZIP code

**INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240**

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)

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Social security number

- -

or

Employer identification number

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## Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

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Sign  
Here

Signature of  
U.S. person ►

*Mary Fritz*

Date ►

**07/13/2023**

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**Attachment to Form W-9, Request for Taxpayer Identification Number  
and Certification**

**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC. (fka) CREATIVE BUS SALES INC.**

The Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) for MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC. (FKA CREATIVE BUS SALES INC.) is 33-0388707. As explained in greater detail below, Creative Bus Sales Inc. is currently in the process of changing its name to MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.

On June 30, 2023, Creative Bus Sales Inc. filed with the IRS to change the name of the business to Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc. As of the providing of this W-9 form, Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc. has not received confirmation from the IRS of this name change within the IRS system. Additionally, Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc. has changed their address to 9225 Priority Way West Drive, Suite 300, Indianapolis, IN 46240, which appears on the W-9 form. The appropriate paperwork has been filed with the IRS and Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc. is waiting on confirmation from the IRS regarding this change in their system.



**LOUISIANA**  
DEPARTMENT of REVENUE

**1902512-002**

Effective date 08/17/2021

Date Issued 08/18/2023

## Sales Tax Registration Certificate

MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES INC  
56396 FRANK PICHON RD  
SLIDELL LA 70458-8437

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'K. J. P.', written over a horizontal line.

Secretary of Revenue and Taxation

**See reverse side for important information.**



R. Kyle Ardoin  
SECRETARY OF STATE

State of Louisiana  
Secretary of State



06/15/2023

COMMERCIAL DIVISION  
225.925.4704

Administrative Services  
225.932.5317 Fax  
Corporations  
225.932.5314 Fax  
Uniform Commercial Code  
225.932.5318 Fax

**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.**

It has been a pleasure to approve and place on file your name change. The appropriate evidence is attached for your files.

Payment of the filing fee is acknowledged by this letter.

In addition to email and text notifications, business owners now have the option to enroll in our secured business filings (SBF) service. This service is available online, at no charge, by filing a notarized affidavit. Upon enrollment, an amendment cannot be made to your entity without approval using your personal identification number. This is another way to protect your business from fraud and identity theft.

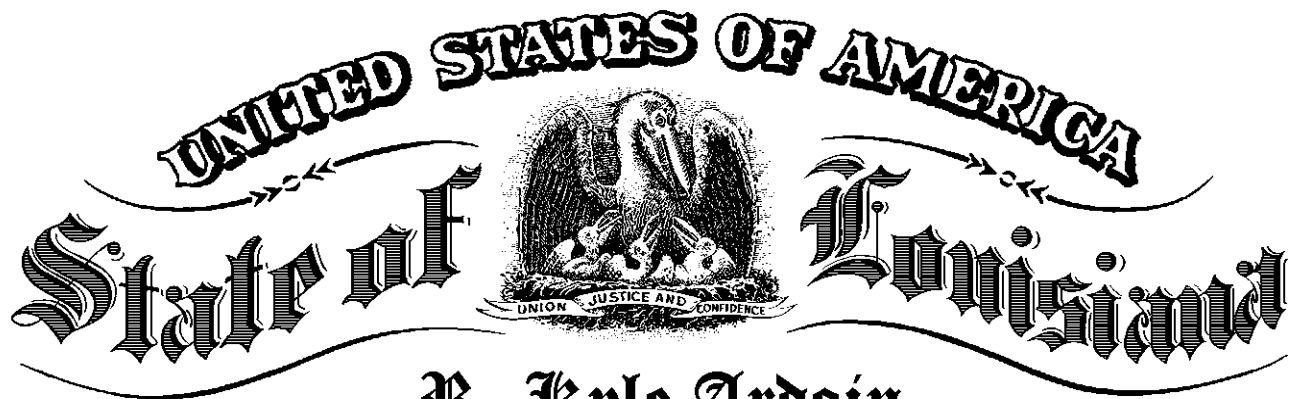
Please note that as of January 1, 2018, business owners in the following parishes will be required to file all available business documents online through **geauxBIZ**: Ascension, Bossier, Caddo, Calcasieu, East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, Lafayette, Livingston, Orleans, Ouachita, Rapides, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa and Terrebonne.

Online filing options are available if changes are necessary to your registration or if you need to file an annual report. Please visit our website at **GeauxBiz.com** for your future business needs.

Sincerely,

The Commercial Division  
WEB





**R. Kyle Ardoin**

SECRETARY OF STATE

*As Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana, I do hereby Certify that*

an Amended Application for Certificate of Authority form of

**CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC.**

Domiciled at INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA, changing the corporate name to

**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.**

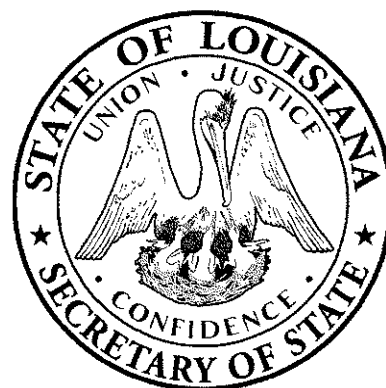
Was filed and recorded in this Office on June 14, 2023.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of my Office to be affixed at the City of Baton Rouge on,

June 15, 2023

*Secretary of State*

WEB 45188221F



Certificate ID: 11744224#P8E52

To validate this certificate, visit the following web site, go to **Business Services, Search for Louisiana Business Filings, Validate a Certificate**, then follow the instructions displayed.  
**[www.sos.la.gov](http://www.sos.la.gov)**

R. Kyle Ardoin  
SECRETARY OF STATE

State of Louisiana  
Secretary of State



June 15, 2023

COMMERCIAL DIVISION  
225.925.4704

Administrative Services

225.932.5317 Fax

Corporations

225.932.5314 Fax

Uniform Commercial Code

225.932.5318 Fax

The attached document of MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC. was received and filed on June 14, 2023.

WEB 45188221F

**STATE OF LOUISIANA**  
**NAME CHANGE AMENDMENT**

**R.S. 12:307**

Old Name:

**CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC.**

**New Name:**

MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.

**Mailing Address:**

C/O MICHELLE WALKER 9365 COUNSELORS ROW, SUITE 112  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN, 46240

**Principal office address in state or country of incorporation/organization:**

C/O LEGAL 9365 COUNSELORS ROW, SUITE 112  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN, 46240

**Principal business office address:**

C/O MICHELLE WALKER 9365 COUNSELORS ROW, SUITE 112  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN, 46240

**Principal business establishment in Louisiana:**

56396 FRANK PICHON DRIVE  
SLIDELL, LA, 70458

**Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN):**

**Registered office address in Louisiana:**

501 LOUISIANA AVENUE  
BATON ROUGE, LA, 70802

**Agent Name:**

CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY  
501 LOUISIANA AVENUE  
BATON ROUGE, LA, 70802

**Nature of Business to be transacted in Louisiana (optional):**

**Officer/Director Name:**

ANTHONY MATIJEVICH, JR. (PRESIDENT, OFFICER)  
4310 RIVER GARDEN TRAIL  
AUSTIN, TX, 78746

VICTORIA ELAINE MATIJEVICH (SECRETARY, OFFICER)  
4310 RIVER GARDEN TRAIL  
AUSTIN, TX, 78746

JOHN R. SAUDER (VICE-PRESIDENT)  
8535 HUNT CLUB ROAD

ZIONSVILLE, IN, 46077

ANTHONY MATIJEVICH, III (VICE-PRESIDENT)  
304 BRIGHTWOOD DRIVE  
AUSTIN, TX, 78746

MARK J. MATIJEVICH (VICE-PRESIDENT)  
6215 NORTHERN DANCER DRIVE  
AUSTIN, TX, 78746

**The filing of a false public record, with the knowledge of its falsity, is a crime, subjecting the filer to fine or imprisonment or both under R.S. 14:133.**

BY TYPING MY NAME BELOW, I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM AN OFFICER.

**ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE:** JOHN R SAUDER (6/12/2023)

**TITLE:** SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT



State of Indiana  
Office of the Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF FACT

To Whom These Presents Come, Greeting:

I, DIEGO MORALES, Secretary of State of Indiana, do hereby certify that I am, by virtue of the laws of the State of Indiana, the custodian of the corporate records and the proper official to execute this certificate.

I further certify that records of this office disclose that

**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.**

filed Articles of Amendment on June 05, 2023, changing their name from Creative Bus Sales, Inc. to Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc.



In Witness Whereof, I have caused to be affixed my signature and the seal of the State of Indiana, at the City of Indianapolis, June 12, 2023

*Diego Morales*

DIEGO MORALES  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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Expires on July 12, 2023.



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Name	Type	City	Status
MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.	Business Corporation (Non-Louisiana)	INDIANAPOLIS	Active

### Previous Names

CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC. (Changed: 6/14/2023)

**Business:** MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.

**Charter Number:** 45188221F

**Registration Date:** 12/12/2022

### Domicile Address

9225 PRIORITY WAY WEST DR  
SUITE 300  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240

### Mailing Address

9225 PRIORITY WAY WEST DR  
SUITE 300  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240

### Principal Business Office

9225 PRIORITY WAY WEST DR  
SUITE 300  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240

### Registered Office in Louisiana

450 LAUREL STREET, 8TH FLOOR  
BATON ROUGE, LA 70801

### Principal Business Establishment in Louisiana

450 LAUREL STREET  
8TH FLOOR

BATON ROUGE, LA 70801

**Status**

**Status:** **Active**

**Annual Report Status:** **In Good Standing**

**Qualified:** 12/12/2022

**Last Report Filed:** 11/17/2023

**Type:** Business Corporation (Non-Louisiana)

**Registered Agent(s)**

**Agent:** CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY

**Address 1:** 450 LAUREL STREET, 8TH FLOOR

**City, State, Zip:** BATON ROUGE, LA 70801

**Appointment Date:** 12/12/2022

**Officer(s)****Additional Officers:** No

**Officer:** ANTHONY MATIJEVICH JR.

**Title:** President

**Address 1:** 9225 PRIORITY WAY WEST DR

**Address 2:** SUITE 300

**City, State, Zip:** INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240

**Officer:** VICTORIA E. MATIJEVICH

**Title:** Secretary

**Address 1:** 9225 PRIORITY WAY WEST DR

**Address 2:** SUITE 300

**City, State, Zip:** INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240

**Mergers (1)**

<b>Filed Date</b>	<b>Effective Date:</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Charter#</b>	<b>Charter Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
<b>12/12/2022</b>	<b>12/12/2022</b>	<b>MERGE</b>	<b>45188221F</b>	<b>MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.</b>	<b>SURVIVOR</b>
			42426085F	CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC.	NON-SURVIVOR

**Amendments on File (3)**

Description	Date
Merger	12/12/2022
Name Change	6/14/2023
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**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES**

9225 Priority Way W. Dr.

Suite 300

Indianapolis, IN 46240

May 22, 2023

**Re: Notice of Name Change and Headquarters Address Change**

To whom it may concern:

Effective June 13, 2023, Creative Bus Sales, Inc. will be changing its name to:  
**Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc. dba Creative Bus Sales, Inc.**

This change was made with great intentionality and vision from our leadership team. The name change was necessary to address our expansion into additional service and product lines while also demonstrating how we want to move into the future. We faced a reality that our company name, Creative Bus Sales, had become too limiting. We were already more than buses and more than sales. We will expand even further than bus sales by leading the industry in electric vehicles and commercial alternative fuel applications. The update to Model 1 Commercial Vehicles reflects both our business strategy and the go-first mindset we bring to the industry.

Our Federal Employment Identification Number and tax status as an Indiana S Corporation are not changing. Model 1 Commercial Vehicles remains a family-owned company and looks forward to serving our customers for many years to come.

Additionally, on July 1, 2023, our Indianapolis headquarters will be moving to allow for continued expansion. Our new Indianapolis address will be:

**9225 Priority Way West Drive  
Suite 300  
Indianapolis, IN 46240**

If you have any questions, please contact [compliance@model1.com](mailto:compliance@model1.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tony Matijevich'.

**Tony Matijevich**  
**President**



# Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

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Print or type.  
See Specific Instructions on page 3.

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**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.**

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**9225 PRIORITY WAY WEST DRIVE, SUITE 300**

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**INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240**

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**Social security number**

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or

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Sign  
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Signature of  
U.S. person ►

*Mary E. Feltz*

Date ►

9/27/2023

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**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service**

In reply refer to: 0152605413  
9/22/2023 LTR 147C

**Ogden, UT, 84201**

MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES INC  
9225 PRIORITY WAY WEST DR STE 300  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46240-1575-754

Employer Identification Number: 33-0388707

Dear Taxpayer:

Thank you for your inquiry of 9/22/2023.

Your Employer Identification Number (EIN) is 33-0388707.

Please keep this letter in your permanent records. Enter your name and your EIN on all business federal tax forms and on related correspondence.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, you can call 1-800-829-0115. If you prefer, you may write to us at the address shown at the top of the first page of this letter. When you write, please include a telephone number where you may be reached and the best time to call.

Sincerely,  
Mr. MacMillan  
1003360756  
Contact Repr

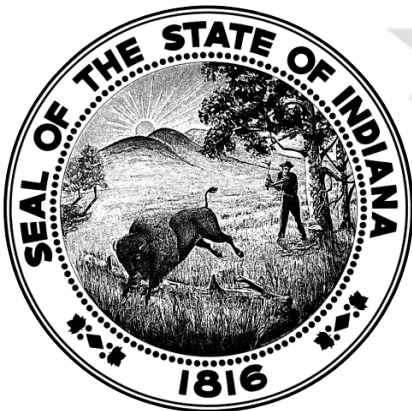
State of Indiana  
Office of the Secretary of State  
Certificate of Amendment  
of  
**CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC.**

I, DIEGO MORALES, Secretary of State, hereby certify that Articles of Amendment of the above Domestic For-Profit Corporation have been presented to me at my office, accompanied by the fees prescribed by law and that the documentation presented conforms to law as prescribed by the provisions of the Indiana Code.

The name following said transaction will be:

**MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.**

NOW, THEREFORE, with this document I certify that said transaction will become effective Monday, June 05, 2023.



In Witness Whereof, I have caused to be affixed my signature and the seal of the State of Indiana, at the City of Indianapolis, June 07, 2023

*Diego Morales*

DIEGO MORALES  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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To ensure the certificate's validity, go to <https://bsd.sos.in.gov/PublicBusinessSearch>



**ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE  
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

State Form 38333 (R20 / 6-19)

Indiana Code 23-1-38-1 et. seq.  
23-0.5-9-2

FILING FEE: \$30.00

The undersigned officer of the Corporation named in Article I below (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation") desiring to give notice of corporate action effectuating Amendment(s) of certain provisions of its Articles of Incorporation, certifies the following facts:

This Corporation exists pursuant to: (Check appropriate box.)

☐ Indiana Business Corporation Law ☐ Indiana Professional Corporation Act of 1983 ☐ Indiana Benefit Corporation Act

**ARTICLE I – AMENDMENT(S)**

SECTION 1: The name of the Corporation is:

CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC.

SECTION 2: The date of Incorporation of the Corporation (month, day, year)

07.01.2022

SECTION 3: The name of the Corporation following this amendment to the Articles of Incorporation is:

MODEL 1 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, INC.

SECTION 4:

The exact text of Article(s) \_\_\_\_\_ I. Name of Corporation \_\_\_\_\_ of the Articles of Incorporation is now as follows:

The name of the corporation formed pursuant to these Articles of Incorporation is Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc.

**ARTICLE II**

Date of each amendment's adoption (month, day, year)

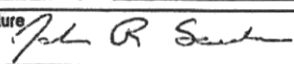
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ARTICLE III – REGISTERED AGENT INFORMATION			
<i>To determine if your Registered Agent is a Commercial Registered Agent (CRA), go to <a href="http://INBIZ.in.gov">INBIZ.in.gov</a>.</i>			
<i>Provide either commercial registered agent or noncommercial registered agent information below.</i>			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial registered agent	Name of registered agent (Do not provide address.) Corporation Service Company		
OR			
<input type="checkbox"/> Noncommercial registered agent	Name of registered agent		
Address (number and street) (A P.O. Box is not acceptable unless accompanied by a Rural Route number.)		City	State IN
ZIP code			
(OPTIONAL) E-mail address of the registered agent at which the registered agent will accept electronic service of process			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By checking the box, the Signator(s) represent(s) that the Registered Agent named in these Articles of Amendment has consented to the appointment of Registered Agent.			

ARTICLE IV – MANNER OF ADOPTION AND VOTE (Complete applicable section.)	
<i>NOTE: Only in limited situations does Indiana law permit an Amendment without shareholder approval. Because a name change requires a shareholder approval, Section 2 must be marked and either A or B completed.</i>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SECTION 1: This amendment was adopted by the Board of Directors or Incorporators and shareholder action was not required.	
<input type="checkbox"/> SECTION 2: The shareholders of the Corporation entitled to vote in respect to the amendment adopted the proposed amendment. The amendment was adopted by: (Shareholder approval may be by either A or B.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> A. Vote of such shareholders during a meeting called by the Board of Directors. The result of such vote is as follows:	
	<b>TOTAL</b>
SHARES ENTITLED TO VOTE	
NUMBER OF SHARES REPRESENTED AT THE MEETING	
SHARES VOTED IN FAVOR	
SHARES VOTED AGAINST	
<input type="checkbox"/> B. Unanimous written consent executed on _____, 20____ and signed by all shareholders entitled to vote.	

ARTICLE V – COMPLIANCE WITH LEGAL REQUIREMENTS	
The manner of the adoption of the Articles of Amendment and the vote by which they were adopted constitute full legal compliance with the provisions of the Act, the Articles of Incorporation, and the By-Laws of the Corporation.	
I hereby verify, subject to penalties of perjury, that the statements contained herein are true,	
this <u>23</u> day of <u>May</u> , 20 <u>23</u> .	
Signature 	
Printed name John R. Sauder	Title Senior Vice President



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**NAME RESERVATION**

**RESERVED NAME AND APPLICANT INFORMATION**

<b>RESERVED NAME</b>	Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc.
<b>APPLICANT NAME</b>	Creative Bus Sales Inc
<b>ADDRESS</b>	9365 Counselors Row, Suite 112, Indianapolis, IN, 46240, USA

**EXPIRATION DATE**

<b>NAME EXPIRATION DATE</b>	07/18/2023
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**SIGNATURE**



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY VERIFIES, SUBJECT TO THE PENALTIES OF PERJURY, THAT THE STATEMENTS CONTAINED HEREIN ARE TRUE, THIS DAY **March 20, 2023**

THE UNDERSIGNED ACKNOWLEDGES THAT A PERSON COMMITS A CLASS A MISDEMEANOR BY SIGNING A DOCUMENT THAT THE PERSON KNOWS IS FALSE IN A MATERIAL RESPECT WITH THE INTENT THAT THE DOCUMENT BE DELIVERED TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FILING.

<b>APPLICANT SIGNATURE</b>	Michelle Walker
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Eligible Transit Vehicle Manufacturers

DBE regulations require FTA recipients to report transit vehicle procurement awards (49 CFR 26.49). Since November 2014, FTA grantees have been required to submit, within 30 days of making an award, the name of the successful bidder and the total dollar value of the contract. Only eligible TVMs may bid on FTA-assisted transit vehicle procurements. Transit vehicle manufacturers that have submitted a goal methodology to FTA that has been approved, or has not been disapproved, at the time of solicitation are eligible to bid (49 CFR 26.49(a)(1)). To remain eligible, TVMs must submit their DBE goal methodology to FTA by August 1 of each year. The following is a list of eligible TVMs:

Transit Vehicle Manufacturer	Address	FY2024 DBE Goal %	DBE Liaison Officer/ Email
A and J Vans, Inc.*	333 West Washington Street Valders, WI	2.09%	<a href="#">Travis Pfile</a>
ABC Bus, Inc.*	17469 West Colonial Drive Winter Garden, FL 34787	0.99%	<a href="#">Brian Nelson</a>
Advanced Wheels of Technology, Inc.*	33 Bradley Park Road P.O. Box 908 East Granby, CT	1.20%	<a href="#">Ed Basile</a>
Alexander Dennis*	31566 Railroad Canyon Road, Suite 342 Canyon Lake, CA	2.50%	<a href="#">Judy Lovitt</a>
Alstom Transportation, Inc.*	1 Transit Drive Hornell, NY	3.74%	<a href="#">James "JD" Daniel</a>

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ARBOC Specialty Vehicles, LLC*	51165 Greenfield Parkway Middlebury, IN	1.00%	<a href="#">Tyler Reist</a>
Blue Bird Body Company*	422 Blue Bird Boulevard Fort Valley, GA	1.10%	<a href="#">Jan Newman</a>
Braun Corporation*	631 W. 11th Street Winamac, IN	7.00%	<a href="#">Ken Morgel</a>
Brookville Equipment Corporation*	175 Evans Street Brookville, PA	3.29%	<a href="#">Haley Blazosky</a>
CAD Railway Industries Ltd.*	155 Montreal-Toronto Boulevard Lachine, QC	7.42%	<a href="#">Mikael Levy</a>
CAF USA, Inc.*	1401 K Street NW, Suite 1003 Washington, DC	6.28%	<a href="#">Tonia Crosby</a>
Coach & Equipment Manufacturing Corporation*	130 Horizon Park Drive P.O. Box 36 Penn Yan, NY	2.20%	<a href="#">Carl Birx</a>
Complete Coach Works*	1863 Service Court Riverside, CA	1.00%	<a href="#">Amber Lindsey</a>
CRRC MA Corporation*	108 Myrtle Street, 3rd Floor Quincy, MA	2.46%	<a href="#">Jing Jing</a>
CRRC Sifang America, Inc.*	13535 S. Torrence Avenue Chicago, IL	2.89%	<a href="#">Kevin Qu</a>
DCCCA1, Inc.*	70 Hegenberger Road Oakland, CA	1.88%	<a href="#">Dean C. Hurst, P.E.</a>
Diamond Acquisition, LLC d/b/a Diamond Coach*	2300 West 4th Street P.O. Box 489 Oswego, KS	1.00%	<a href="#">Brady Bates</a>
Driverge Vehicle Innovations (Formerly TransitWorks, LLC)*	1090 West Wilbeth Road Akron, OH	0.74%	<a href="#">Ken Richards</a>
EIDorado National California, Inc.*	9670 Galena Street Riverside, CA	2.53%	<a href="#">Antonio Diaz</a>
Endera Automotive, LLC*	804 N. Pratt Street Ottawa, OH	1.86%	<a href="#">Kevin Hernandez</a>
Fenton Mobility Products, Inc.*	26 Center Street Randolph, NY	0.26%	<a href="#">Scott Fenton</a>
Forest River Bus: Elkhart Coach*	2367 Century Drive Goshen, IN	2.00%	<a href="#">Donall Hasty</a>
Forest River Bus: Glaval Bus*	2367 Century Drive Goshen, IN	2.00%	<a href="#">Donall Hasty</a>
Forest River Bus: Starcraft/StarTrans Bus*	2367 Century Drive Goshen, IN	2.00%	<a href="#">Donall Hasty</a>
Forest River: Champion Bus*	2367 Century Drive Goshen, IN	2.00%	<a href="#">Donall Hasty</a>

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Forest River: ElDorado-KS*	2367 Century Drive Goshen, IN	2.00%	<a href="#">Donall Hasty</a>
Forest River: Van*	2367 Century Drive Goshen, IN	2.00%	<a href="#">Donall Hasty</a>
Forest River: Mobility Trans*	2367 Century Drive Goshen, IN	2.00%	<a href="#">Donall Hasty</a>
FR Conversions, Inc.*	1231 Tech Court Wesminster, MD	0.23%	<a href="#">Jeff Shay</a>
Gillig, LLC*	451 Discovery Drive Livermore, CA	0.70%	<a href="#">Chris Turner</a>
Gomaco Corporation*	121 East Highway 175 Ida Grove, IA	2.13%	<a href="#">Troy Kruse</a>
High Level Enterprises*	28767 Holiday Place Elkhart, IN	3.79%	<a href="#">Creasy McKinzie</a>
Higher Power Industries*	940 Nepperhan Avenue Yonkers, NY	2.22%	<a href="#">Michael Liebler</a>
Hitachi Rail STS USA Inc.*	Hitachi Rail STS USA Pittsburgh, PA	4.00%	<a href="#">Gerhard Leitner</a>
Hometown Manufacturing, Inc.*	750 Industrial Park Way Crandon, WI	4.00%	<a href="#">Jessica Donek</a>
Hyundai Rotem USA*	1300 Virginia Drive, Suite 103 Fort Washington, PA	5.30%	<a href="#">Vincent Kim</a>
Ilderton Conversion*	701 S. Main Street High Point, NC	1.00%	<a href="#">Odell McBride</a>
Kawasaki Rail Car, Inc.*	29 Wells Avenue, Building 4 Yonkers, NY	7.77%	<a href="#">Rachel Taylor</a>
Kiepe Electric, Inc.*	359 Curie Drive Alpharetta, GA	2.25%	<a href="#">Noel D'Sa</a>
KINKISHARYO International*	1960 E Grand Avenue, Suite 1210 El Segundo, CA	6.00%	<a href="#">Socorro Felix</a>
Letenda*	1262 chemin du Coteau-Rouge Longueuil, QC, J4K 1X6, Canada	1.20%	<a href="#">Carlos Andrade</a>
Lightning eMotors	815 14th Street SW Denver, CO	0.92%	<a href="#">Kseniya Perez</a>
Master's Specialty Vehicles, LLC*	800 Quick Trip Way Belton, MO	0.01%	<a href="#">Rita Luukkone</a>
Matthews Specialty Vehicles*	211 American Avenue Greensboro, NC	1.00%	<a href="#">Maegan Demkowski</a>
Midway Specialty Vehicles, LLC*	2940 Dexter Drive Elkhart, IN	8.34%	<a href="#">Mike R. Violi</a>

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Midwest Bus Corporation*	1940 West Stewart Street Owosso, MI	0.67%	<a href="#">Julita E. Velasco</a>
Mitsubishi Heavy Industries America, Inc.*	630 Fifth Avenue, Suite 2650 New York, NY	2.00%	<a href="#">Michael Ang</a>
MotivePower, Inc.*	2901 East Lake Road Bldg. 14-222 Boise, ID	3.00%	<a href="#">Thomas J. Salva</a>
Motor Coach Industries*	200 E. Oakton Street Des Plaines, IL	3.38%	<a href="#">Darrin Smith</a>
National Van Builders, Inc.*	80 Pine Street Attleboro, MA	1.50%	<a href="#">Glen Perlman</a>
New England Wheels*	33 Manning Road Billerica, MA	0.60%	<a href="#">Judy Walcott</a>
New Flyer of America*	711 Kernaghan Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba	3.61%	<a href="#">Darrin Smith</a>
Nova Bus*	260 Banker Road Plattsburgh, NY	1.70%	<a href="#">Julie Laplante</a>
Oceaneering*	5875 N. Sam Houston Pkwy. W., Suite 400 Houston, TX	1.49%	<a href="#">Adam Hadaway</a>
Optimal EV*	47802 West Anchor Court Plymouth, MI	0.87%	<a href="#">Toni Nayback</a>
PrimeTime Specialty Vehicles, Inc.*	56616 Elk Park Drive Elkhart, IN	1.00%	<a href="#">Bradley R. Moore</a>
Progress Rail Locomotive*	1600 Progress Drive Albertville, AL	2.10%	<a href="#">Brandy Plunkett</a>
Proterra*	1 Whitlee Court Greenville, SC	1.00%	<a href="#">David Wente</a>
RIDE Rolling Stock LLC*	888 East Walnut St., Suite 200B Pasadena, CA	2.50%	<a href="#">Enid Santiago</a>
Siemens Mobility, Inc.*	7464 French Road Sacramento, CA	6.41%	<a href="#">Michelle Picard</a>
Stadler US, Inc.*	5880 West 150 South Salk Lake City, UT	1.81%	<a href="#">Justin Banks</a>
Sumitomo Corporation of Americas*	9500 W. Bryn Mawr Avenue, Suite 400 Rosemont, IL	6.08%	<a href="#">Shunsuke Takaya</a>
Sunset Vans, Inc.*	8851 Lakewood Boulevard Downey, CA	1.47%	<a href="#">Chris Perez</a>
Talgo, Inc.*	3533 N 27th Street Milwaukee, WI	1.21%	<a href="#">Nicolas Lopez</a>



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TCI Mobility*	230 Bossardsville Road PO Box 252 Sciota, PA	0.18%	<a href="#">Steven Hoffman</a>
Thomas Built Buses, Inc.*	1408 Courtesy Road High Point, NC	3.00%	<a href="#">Daoud Chaaya</a>
Turtle Top*	67819 State Road 15 New Paris, IN	0.20%	<a href="#">Matthew Gaff</a>
Van Hool Company*	Benard Van Hoolstratt 58 2500 Lier (Koningshooikt), Belgium Morristown, TN	1.00%	<a href="#">Jeff Madura</a>
Vicinity Motor Corp (Formerly Grande West Transportation International Ltd)*	3168 262nd Street Aldergrove BC, Canada	1.00%	<a href="#">Gregory Brumbill</a>
Wabtec Transportation System, LLC*	2901 East Lake Road, Bldg. 14-222 Erie, PA	3.00%	<a href="#">Thomas J. Salva</a>
Woojin IS America, Inc.*	12521 McCann Drive Santa Fe Springs, CA	3.47%	<a href="#">Sharon Peck</a>

\*Goal methodology has been submitted and is pending review by FTA. The TVM is eligible to bid on FTA-assisted procurements.

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