The State of South Carolina,

CHARTER BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS,

N. Q. CLINE and DON S. EDENS

Greenville, South Carolina

, 19 59 , file with the Secretary of State a written Declaration, did on the September · 24th signed by themselves, setting forth:

FIRST: That their names and residences are as above given.

SECOND: That the name of the proposed corporation is THE NUT & BOLT HOUSE

. THIRD: That the principal place of business is 606 Buncombe Street, GREENVILLE, S. C.

FOURTH: That the general nature of the business which it is proposed to do is the retailing and wholesaling of nuts, bolts, cap screws, washers, rivets and all types of fasteners and to do any and all other things generally done in a business of this type; to buy and sell real estate.

payable \$3,000.00 paid in: \$12,000.00 subscribed

SIXTH: That the number of shares into which the capital stock is divided is One Hundred Fifty (150) of the par value of One Hundred (\$100.00)----- Dollars.

SEVENTH: That, after due notice, a meeting of the subscribers was held on the

19th

September , 19 59 , at which a majority of all stock in value being present in person or by proxy, the following

were elected directors: N. Q. Cline and Don S. Edens

N. Q. Cline EIGHTH: That; subsequently there was elected as President,

as Vice-President, Don S. Edens ; as Secretary, Don S. Edens

as Treasurer, N. Q. Cline

NINTH: That all requirements of Title 12, Article 1, Chapter 2, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1952, and all amendments thereto have been duly and fully complied with, 50 per cent, of the aggregate amount of the capital stock having been subscribed by bona fide subscribers, 20 per cent. of the capital stock subscribed having been paid to the Treasurer, and three days' public notice of the intention to file this Declaration with the Secretary of State having been given in The Greenville Piedmont

> a newspaper published in the County of Greenville

NOW, THEREFORE, I, O. FRANK THORNTON, Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the aforesaid Code and Acts amendatory thereto, do hereby certify that the said Company has been fully organized according to the laws of South Carolina, under the name and for the purposes indicated in their written declaration, and that they are fully authorized to commence business under their charter; and I do hereby direct that a copy of this certificate be filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Mesne Conveyance or Clerk of Court in each county where such Corporation shall have a business office.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the State, at Columbia,

24th

day of

September

in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

fifty-nine

and in the one hundred and

eighty-third

year of the Independence of the

United States of America

Secretary of State.

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