

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

BY THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE.

WHEREAS, B. B. SMITH, E. G. WHITMIRE, JR. AND RALPH E. SMITH, all of Fountain Inn, S. C.,

did on the 30th day of December, 1947, file with the Secretary of State a written Declaration signed by themselves, setting forth:

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

SECOND: That the name of the proposed Corporation is FOUNTAIN INN LUMBER CO., INC.

THIRD: That the principal place of business is FOUNTAIN INN, S. C.

FOURTH: That the general nature of the business which it is proposed to do is wholesale and retail sale of lumber and building material; construct residences and other types of buildings; purchase, lease, sell and otherwise deal in real estate.

FIFTH: That the amount of the capital stock is THIRTY THOUSAND (\$30,000.00)

payable in cash or its equivalent. Dollars,

SIXTH: That the number of shares into which the capital stock is divided is three hundred (300) of the par value of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars.

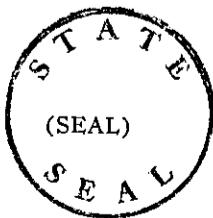
SEVENTH: That, after due notice, a meeting of the subscribers was held on the 29th day of December, 1947, at which a majority of all stock in value being present in person or by proxy the following were elected directors: B. B. Smith, E. G. Whitmire, Jr., and Ralph E. Smith

EIGHTH: That subsequently there was elected as President B. B. Smith as Vice-President, E. G. Whitmire, Jr.; as Secretary, Ralph E. Smith as Treasurer, Ralph E. Smith

NINTH: That all requirements of Article 2, Chapter 153 Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1932, 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

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NOW, Therefore, I, W. P. BLACKWELL, 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, this 30th day of December, 1947, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven and in the one hundred and seventy-second year of the Independence of the United States of America.

W. P. Blackwell

Secretary of State.

Recorded January 3rd, 1948, at 12:28 o'clock P. M. BY: E.G.