

The State of South Carolina,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

CHARTER  
BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

WHEREAS, J. B. ORDERS and J. ED. SHELL  
both of Greenville, S.C.

FILED  
GREENVILLE CO. S.C.  
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OLLIE FARNSWORTH  
R.M.C.

did on the 31st day of December, 19 54, 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 ORDERS TILE AND DISTRIBUTING

THIRD: That the principal place of business is GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA

FOURTH: That the general nature of the business which it is proposed to do is to operate a wholesale tile business including linoleum, furniture, electric appliances and similar items; likewise, to acquire, sell, lease, mortgage and otherwise deal in real estate.

FIFTH: That the amount of the capital stock is One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars payable cash or its equivalent.

SIXTH: That the number of shares into which the capital stock is divided is one thousand (1,000) of the par value of \$100.00 Dollars.

SEVENTH: That, after due notice, a meeting of the subscribers was held on the 27th day of December, 19 54, at which a majority of all stock in value being present in person or by proxy, the following were elected directors: J. B. Orders, J. Ed Shell, William H. Orders

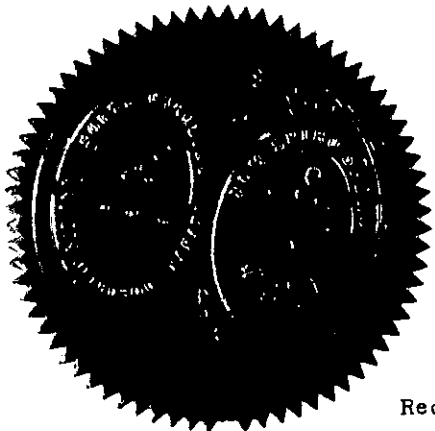
EIGHTH: That subsequently there was elected as President, J. B. Orders ; as Vice-President, William H. Orders ; as Secretary, James B. Orders, Jr. ; as Treasurer, J. Ed Shell

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 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, this 31st day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and Fifty four and in the one hundred and 79th year of the Independence of the United States of America.



O. Frank Thornton  
Secretary of State.

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For increase of Capital Stock see Deed Book 639 Page 484.  
For Recording of this Charter see Deed Book 596 Page 424.

State of South Carolina  
Executive Department  
Pursuant to law the Capital Stock of the within Corporation has this day been increased to the sum of \$200,000.00 Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, divided into Two Thousand (2,000) shares of the par value of \$100.00 One Hundred Dollars each.