

The State of South Carolina

CHARTER

BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, G. RICHARD SHAFTO AND CHARLES A. BATSON

both of Columbia, S. C.

C. E. HINNANT
C. C. P. & B. S.
RICHMOND COUNTY, S. C.

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did on the 28th day of January, 1953, file with the Secretary of State a 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 W I S - T V CORPORATION

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

FOURTH: That the general nature of the business which it is proposed to do is

The nature of the business and the objects and purposes to be transacted, promoted and carried on, are to do any or all of the things herein mentioned, as fully and to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, and in any part of the world, viz.:

(a) To conduct a general advertising and/or advertising agency business; to solicit, prepare, edit and carry out advertising campaigns and programs for individuals, co-partnerships, unincorporated associations and corporations; to prepare advertising copy and to carry on all other business incidental to radio, facsimile, or television advertising and all associated or similar advertising media or means.

(b) To sell or buy advertising time for radio, facsimile and/or television stations throughout the United States and other parts of the world; to act as selling agent for such stations and to act as production agents for either advertisers or radio, facsimile, and/or television stations in the development of advertising business.

(c) To manufacture, produce, acquire, rent, lease, use or otherwise acquire, and to sell and dispose of any and every kind of contrivance, electrical or otherwise, machine, mechanical device, mechanical record, film, or other means of recording, producing, reproducing or preserving voice, music, pictures, writing, printing, facsimiles or sound in any form or combination and publicly and/or privately to reproduce or cause the same to be reproduced in any manner or form either alone or together with or synchronized with motion pictures and motion picture films, and to lease, license or grant rights, licenses and privileges therein to other persons, firms, associations, or corporations, throughout the world.

(d) To buy, sell, lease, rent, build, erect, construct, maintain and operate stations for broadcasting, transmitting, sending, receiving, producing or reproducing by means of electrically energizing ether waves or otherwise, programs or other material of education, amusement, news, current interest features and all other material, and to buy, sell, lease, or otherwise acquire, use and dispose of studios, laboratories, power plants and machinery, equipment and facilities, for the maintenance and operation of the same.

(e) To transmit, reproduce, record, communicate, exploit, exhibit, present, perform, and/or broadcast theatrical plays, dramas, operas, ballets, musical comedies, books, information, news, education, amusement and/or dramatic, musical and motion picture productions and other publications and programs and material of every kind, both copyrighted and uncopyrighted, for public or private performance, hearing, recording or reproduction or exhibition in any state or territory in the United States of America or any foreign state, country or territory throughout the world by radio, facsimile, radio-telegraph, television, and/or scientific process of a like or similar nature now in being or which shall hereafter be made in conjunction therewith, either with or without sound effects or talking contrivances therewith synchronized or otherwise adapted or related thereto; and to lease, license or grant rights, licenses or privileges therein or thereto to other persons, firms, associations or corporations throughout the world, and to construct, erect, devise, or operate, control, maintain, sell, lease, sublease, mortgage or otherwise dispose of radio, facsimile, radio-telegraph and/or television stations, locations, agencies and exchanges and generally without limitation to manufacture, produce, adapt, prepare, buy, sell, distribute, license and otherwise deal in any materials, articles, devices, processes or things required in connection therewith or incidental thereto, and to employ actors, artists, dancers, singers, musicians, performers, artisans, reporters, editors, photographers, mechanics and any and all other persons for any and all other services in connection with the foregoing powers.

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