The State of South Carolina EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

CHARTER BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

WHEREAS,

Eugene Bryant and Andrew B. Marion

Greenville, South Carolina

did on the

10th

July

, 19 62 , 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

ALEXANDER'S WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTORS, INC.

THIRD: That the principal place of business is Greenville, South Carolina (Mailing address: Box 2048, Greenville, S. C.)

FOURTH: That the general nature of the business which it is proposed to do is to buy, sell and otherwise deal in all types and classes of goods, wares and merchandise, either at wholesale or retail, and to do any and all other things necessary or incidental to the carrying on of such a business.

FIFTH: That the amount of the capital stock is One Hundred Thousand(\$100,000.00)---- Dollars payable in money or money's worth at the call of the directors.

SIXTH: That the number of shares into which the capital stock is divided is One Thousand (1,000)

of the par value of

One Hundred (\$100.00) each------Dollars.

day of

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

28th

, 19 62 , at which a majority of all stock in value being present in person or by proxy, the following were elected directors: John O. Alexander, Joe T. Allen, Bill F. Alexander, Joseph J. Shabkie

EIGHTH: That subsequently there was elected as President, John O. Alexander

as Vice-President,

Joseph J. Shabkie

; as Secretary, Joe T. Allen

as Treasurer,

Bill F. Alexander

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 News

a newspaper published in the County of

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

10th

day of

July

in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

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and in the one hundred and

87th

year of the Independence of the

United States of America.

Secretary of State.

