

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

By the Secretary of State

Whereas,

PHIL STEPHENSON, GEORGE L. STEPHENSON, G. L. PRUITT,
NORENE E. MARTIN AND JOHN T. WELCH, JR.

a majority of the Board of Directors of
STEPHENSON FINANCE COMPANY, INCORPORATED
(Gaffney, S. C.)

a corporation created under and pursuant to the laws of South Carolina, by certificate issued by the
Secretary of State on the 30th. day of December
A. D. 1946

HAVE CERTIFIED over their signatures, Resolutions authorizing in behalf of the aforesaid Corporation an increase of the Capital Stock (authorized and set forth in the certificate aforesaid) to the sum of ONE MILLION (\$1,000,000.00) - - - - - Dollars;
(50,000 Shares Common \$10.00 par and 20,000 6 1/2% Preferred \$25.00 Par)
which Resolutions were adopted pursuant to law, at a meeting of the stockholders of the aforesaid Corporation, of which thirty days' published notice was given, which notice stated the purpose of the aforesaid meeting; and further, that said Resolutions were adopted by a two-thirds vote, and that in all respects there has been complied with the provisions of Section 7688, Volume III, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1942, and all amendments thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ~~W. P. Blockwell~~ ^{O. Frank Thornton} Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested by Chapter 153, Article 1 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1942, and amendments thereto, and all Acts or parts of Acts me thereto enabling, have this day endorsed across the face of the aforesaid Certificate of Incorporation or original Charter, authority of increase, as aforesaid, and I hereby certify that the requirements of law for said increase will have been complied with when this Certificate and the endorsement across the face of the original Charter aforesaid is lodged for record in the office of the Register of Mesne Conveyance or Clerk of Court in each County in which the said Corporation shall have a business office.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the State, at
Columbia, this 28th.
day of February in the Year of Our
Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one
and in the one hundred and seventy-fifth
year of the Independence of the United States of America.

O. FRANK THORNTON
Secretary of State.