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The State of South Carolina

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

WHEREAS,

Cmdr. Ezra F. Ferris, 42 Ponderosa Rd., Greenville, S. C.
Maj. William K. Cole, 8 Rosegarden St., Taylors, S. C.
Col. Charles S. Grant, 115 Bradley Blvd., Greenville, S. C.

two or more of the officers or agents appointed to supervise or manage the affairs of

GREENVILLE CHAPTER OF THE RETIRED OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

which has been duly and regularly organized, did on the 12th day of

February, A. D. 1971, file with the Secretary of State a written declaration setting forth:

That, at a meeting of the aforesaid organization held pursuant to the by-laws or regulations of the said organization, they were authorized and directed to apply for incorporation.

That, the said organization holds, or desires to hold, property in common for Religious, Educational, Social, Fraternal, Charitable or other eleemosynary purpose, or any two or more of said purposes, and is not organized for the purpose of profit or gain to the members, otherwise than is above stated, nor for the insurance of life, health, accident or property; and that three days'

notice in the Greenville Piedmont, a newspaper published in the County of Greenville, has been given that the aforesaid Declaration would be filed.

AND WHEREAS, Said Declarants and Petitioners further declared and affirmed:

FIRST: Their names and residences are as above given.

SECOND: The name of the proposed Corporation is GREENVILLE CHAPTER OF THE RETIRED OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

THIRD: The place at which it proposes to have its headquarters or be located is 115 Bradley Blvd., Greenville, South Carolina

FOURTH: The purpose of the said proposed Corporation is to unite commissioned & warrant officers of U. S. Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps., Coast Guard, Public Health Service, Coast & Geodetic Survey & reserve components thereof to defend the honor, integrity & supremacy of our National Govt.; to advocate military forces adequate to the defense of our Country & oppose influences inimical to National Security; to aid all personnel of Armed Services & dependents; & to create harmony among all retired personnel thru an organized program of social, fraternal and educational activities.

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