EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

The State of South Carolina | CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

WHEREAS,

W.A. WILLIAMSON and M.W. MERRITT,

both of Greenville, S.C.,

two or more of the officers or agents appointed to supervise or manage the affairs of HOMES FOR VETERANS, INC.

which has been duly and regularly organized, did on the

28th

, A. D.1948, file with the Secretary of State a written declaration setting forth: April

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, Charhable or other deemosynary 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' , a newspaper published in the Greenville Piedmont notice in the

Greenville County of

, has been given that the aforesaid Declaration would be filed.

AND WITTER S. 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

HOMES FOR VETERANS, INC.

GREENVILLE, S.C. THIRD: The place at which it proposes to have its headquarters or be located is

FOURTH: The purpose of the said proposed Corporation is

to form a non-profit organization to buy, sell, rent, mortgage, transfer, transport, erect and re-erect government surplus housing with preference to veterans under the regulations and control of the Public Housing Administration of the United States of America and to purchase, procure, hold and sell lands to effectuate same, and to do any and all other things incidental to, growing out of or connected with the aforesaid business.

FIFTH: The names and residences of all Managers, Trustees, Directors or other officers are as follows:

W.A. Williamson

Greenville, S.C.

President

J.C. Koon

Greenville, S.C.

Vice-President

M.W. Merritt

Greenville, S.C.

Secretary & Treasurer

SINTH: That they desire to be incorporated: for five (5) years.

Now, Therefore, I. W.P. BLACKWELL . Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested, by Chapter 158, Article III, Code of 1912, and Acts amendatory thereto, do hereby declare the said organization to be a body politic and corporate, with all the rights, powers, privileges and immunities, and subject to all the immunities, and liabilities, conferred by said Chapter 158, Article III, Sections 8158-8159 and 8168, Code of 1942, and Acts amendatory thereto.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the State, at Columbia,

28th

day of

April in the year of our Lord one thou and nine hundred and

forty-eight

and in the one hundred and

seventy-second

year of the Independence of the

United States of America.

W.P. Blackwell Secretary of State.

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