event of settlement, the indemnification shall apply only when the Board approves such settlement and reimbursement as being in the best interest of the Association. Such indemnity shall be subject to the approval by the members of the Association only when such approval is required by the laws of the State of South Carolina made and provided.

## ARTICLE V

## Officers 0

Section 5.1. Number and Election. There shall be elected annually by and from the Board of Directors a President (who shall also be Chairman of the Board), a Secretary and Treasurer. The offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be filled by the same person. The directors may also elect from time to time such other officers as in their judgment may be needed, which officers need not be directors.

Section 5.2. Removal and Vacancies. Except as herein provided to the contrary, the officers shall be elected annually and hold office at the pleasure of the Board. A vacancy in any office may be filled by the Board at its next meeting. The officer elected to such vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the term of the officer he replaces.

Section 5.3. <u>Duties</u>. The duties of the officers shall be as follows:

(a) <u>President</u>. The President shall be the chief executive officer and shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors and the Association, shall see that orders and resolutions of the Board are carried out, shall appoint committees consisting of members of the Association as in his opinion is necessary, shall co-sign with the Treasurer all promissory notes and similar documents, if any, and shall perform such other duties as may be designated to him by the