

The State of South Carolina,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

CHARTER  
BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

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WHEREAS,

J.E. PONDER and J.E. WILLIAMS,  
both of Greenville, S.C.,

SEP 16 4 00 PM 1949  
W.L. Farnsworth  
R.M.C.

did on the 15th day of September 1949, 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 J.E. WILLIAMS OIL & SUPPLY CO.

THIRD: That the principal place of business is on Super Highway, near GREER, S.C.

FOURTH: That the general nature of the business which it is proposed to do is to buy, sell and otherwise trade in electrical, oil and gas appliances and accessories, and general hardware merchandise and supplies of all types and kinds, and in general to do any and all things necessary to, in furtherance of, and incident to the carrying on of such business.

FIFTH: That the amount of the capital stock is Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) - - - - - Dollars payable in cash or exchange of property of an equivalent value.

SIXTH: That the number of shares into which the capital stock is divided is two hundred (200) of the par value of One Hundred (\$100.00) - - - - - Dollars.

SEVENTH: That, after due notice, a meeting of the subscribers was held on the 14th day of September 1949, at which a majority of all stock in value being present in person or by proxy, the following were elected directors: J.E. Ponder and J.E. Williams

EIGHTH: That subsequently there was elected as President, J.E. Ponder  
as Vice-President, J.E. Williams ; as Secretary, J.E. Williams ;  
as Treasurer, J.E. Ponder ;

NINTH: That all requirements of Article 2, Chapter 153, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1942, 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 Greenville Piedmont

a newspaper published in the County of Greenville

NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. P. BLACKWELL, Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the afore-said 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, this 15th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine and in the one hundred and seventy-fourth year of the Independence of the United States of America.



W.P. Blackwell  
Secretary of State.

Recorded September 16th. 1949 at 4:00 P. M. #22009

SATISFIED AND CANCELLED OF RECORD  
8 DAY OF Sept 1951  
Belie Farnsworth  
R.M.C. FOR GREENVILLE COUNTY, S. C.