

Ollie Farnsworth
R. M. C. FOR GREENVILLE COUNTY, S. C.
AT 10 O'CLOCK A M. NO. 30246

The State of South Carolina,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

GREENVILLE COUNTY
CHARTER
BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE

WHEREAS, RAY RYAN AND CORA E. RYAN

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both of Greenville, S. C.

OLLIE FARNSWORTH
R.M.C.

did on the 18th. day of March, 19 54, 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 GREENVILLE SPINNERS, INC.

THIRD: That the principal place of business is GREENVILLE, S. C.

FOURTH: That the general nature of the business which it is proposed to do is to operate a baseball club, buy and sell baseball players' contracts; to operate a general outdoor sports arena for baseball, football, boxing and wrestling matches; to buy and sell real estate, stocks and bonds, personal property, mortgages and other evidences of indebtedness; and to transact such other business in connection with the foregoing as is authorized by the State of South Carolina

FIFTH: That the amount of the capital stock is Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) - - - - - Dollars payable in cash or its equivalent

SIXTH: That the number of shares into which the capital stock is divided is Five Thousand (5,000) of the par value of Ten (\$10.00) - - - - - Dollars.

SEVENTH: That, after due notice, a meeting of the subscribers was held on the 17th. day of March, 19 54, at which a majority of all stock in value being present in person or by proxy, the following were elected directors:

Hobart Ford, Ray Ryan and Cora E. Ryan

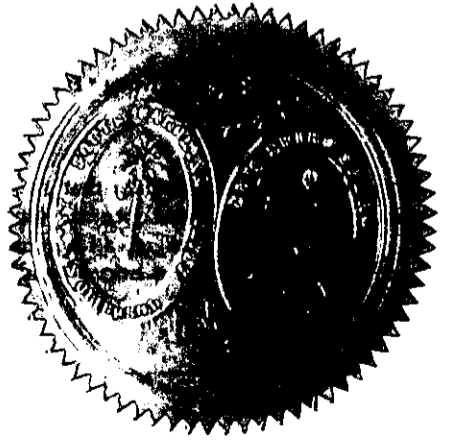
EIGHTH: That subsequently there was elected as President, Hobart Ford ; as Vice-President, Ray Ryan ; as Secretary, Cora E. Ryan ; as Treasurer, Cora E. Ryan

NINTH: That all requirements of Title 12, Article 1, Chapter 2, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1952, 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 News

a newspaper published in the County of Greenville

NOW, THEREFORE, I, O. FRANK THORNTON, Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the aforesaid 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 18th. day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four and in the one hundred and seventy-eighth year of the Independence of the United States of America.



O Frank Thornton
Secretary of State.

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