

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I, ARNOLD WILLIAMS, Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, and legal custodian of the corporation records of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the original of the articles of incorporation of

SMAKE RIVER VALLEY FLOORGOVERING ASSOCIATION, INC.

was filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the**Bighteenth**ofAugust,A. D. One Thousand Nine HundredSixty-one

is duly recorded on Film No. **114** of Record of Domestic Corporations, of the State of Idaho, and that the said articles contain the statement of facts required by Section 30-103 and Sections 30-1001 to 30-1005, inclusive, Idaho Code.

I FURTHER CERTIFY, That the persons executing the articles and their associates and successors are hereby constituted a corporation, by the name hereinbefore stated, for

perpetual existence from the date hereof, with its registered office in this State located atBoisein the County ofAda

and as such are subject to the rights, privileges and limitations granted to Non-Profit Cooperative Associations as provided in Chapter 10, Title 30, Idaho Code.

> IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State. Done at Boise City, the Capital of Idaho, this **18th** day of **August**, A.D., 19 **61**.

> > Secretary of State.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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SNAKE RIVER VALLEY FLOORCOVERING ASSOCIATION, INC.

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, the undersigned, all of whom are of full age, citizens of the United States of America and residents of the State of Idaho, have this day voluntarily associated ourselves together and do hereby and by these Articles of Incorporation unite and associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of Idaho according to and in compliance with Chapter 10, Title 30, Idaho Code, for the purposes hereinafter stated:

ARTICLE 1.

The name of this corporation shall be SNAKE RIVER VALLEY FLOORCOVERING ASSOCIATION, INC.

ARTICLE II.

The term for which this corporation shall exist shall be in perpetuity.

ARTICLE III.

The location and Post Office address of the registered office of this corporation in the State of Idaho shall be Boise, Ada County, Idaho.

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ARTICLE IV.

The objects and purposes for which this corporation is formed shall be and are:

A. To generally promote the use and acceptance of proper floorcovering materials installed by qualified mechanics.

B. To discourage misrepresentation, misuse and faulty installation of floorcovering materials.

C. To promote close liaison between the retail stores and their suppliers.

D. To negotiate, when necessary, with proper representatives of labor in an effort to establish uniform and mutually acceptable wages, hours, working conditions and other items subject to collective bargaining.

E. To purchase, own, lease, hold, improve, sell, and convey such real estate and to construct, lease, and maintain thereon such buildings or other improvements as shall be necessary or proper for conducting the business of this corporation, either within or without the State of Idaho; and to buy, own, lease, improve, sell, or convey such other real estate as shall be acquired by this corporation in the conduct of its business and purposes.

F. To purchase, own, hold, vote, sell, or hypothecate the stocks and bonds of other corporations and to take in the name of this corporation such stocks, bonds, mortgages, notes, deeds, conveyances, or other evidence of indebtedness, ownership, title, or security as may be acquired by this corporation in the usual and ordinary transaction of its business and purposes.

G. To borrow money in the name of this corporation in such

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H. To enter into any and all contracts and obligations of any type or kind essential, necessary, or proper to the transaction of its ordinary affairs and for the purposes of the corporation.

I. To carry out the objects and purposes for which this corporation is formed, as principal, agents, or otherwise, to the extent as natural persons might do.

J. To conduct the business of this corporation as herein set out at any place or places within the State of Idaho or in any other state or territory of the United States as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine.

K. It is the intention of the incorporators of this organization that the foregoing clauses shall be construed both as objects and powers, and the foregoing enumeration of specific powers shall not be construed to limit or restrict in any manner the powers of the corporation, except as those powers are limited and restricted by Chapter 10, Title 30, Idaho Code; but that said corporation shall have the power to do all and everything necessary, suitable, convenient, or proper for the accomplishment of any of its purposes or the attainment of any one or more of the objects here in enumerated or incidental to the powers herein named or which shall, at any time, appear conducive or expedient for the protection or benefit of the

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corporation, and this to the same extent and as fully as natural persons might or could do.

ARTICLE V.

The right and interest of all members shall be equal.

ARTICLE VI.

The corporation shall be governed by a board of directors or trustees of not less than three nor more than fifteen in number as set forth in the By-Laws of the corporation.

The names and Post Office addresses of each of the in-

corporators are as follows:

NAME

ADDRESS

5613 Overland Road, Boise, Idaho

510 Main Street, Boise, Idaho

William V. Sturgill

Leslie A. Chehey

Donald W. Taylor

1211 Third Street South, Nampa, Idaho. 517 Idaho Building, Boise, Idaho.

Elaine Reed 517 Idaho Building, Boise, Idaho. Lorna A. Costello 517 Idaho Building, Boise, Idaho. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this $\mathcal{RF}^{\mathcal{F}}$ day of July, 1961.

and seals this <u>X</u> day of July, 1961.

CLEMONS, SKILES & GREEN COUNSELLORS AND ATTORNEYS AT LAW SI7 IDAHO BUILDING BOISE, IDAHO STATE OF IDAHO) : ss County of Ada)

On this 25^{2} day of July, 1961, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public for said state, personally appeared WILLIAM V. STURGILL and LESLIE A. CHEHEY, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Residing at Boise, Idaho

STATE OF IDAHO : ss County of ada

On this <u>26</u> day of July, 1961, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public for said state, personally appeared DONALD W. TAYLOR, known to me to be the persons whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

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STATE OF IDAHO)

County of Ada

On this 18^{-2} day of August, 1961, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said state, personally appeared ELAINE REED and LORNA A. COSTELLO, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year first above written.

Notary Public for Idaho

Residing at Boise, Idaho.

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