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<b>SUBMISSION TYPE:</b>	NEW ASSIGNMENT		
<b>NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:</b>	MERGER AND CHANGE OF NAME		
<b>EFFECTIVE DATE:</b>	10/01/2017		
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>			
<b>Name</b>	<b>Formerly</b>	<b>Execution Date</b>	<b>Entity Type</b>
Emb, Inc		12/11/2001	Corporation: NORTH CAROLINA
<b>NEWLY MERGED ENTITY DATA</b>			
<b>Name</b>	<b>Execution Date</b>	<b>Entity Type</b>	
Dime Emb, LLC	10/01/2017	Limited Liability Company: Texas	
<b>MERGED ENTITY'S NEW NAME (RECEIVING PARTY)</b>			
<b>Name:</b>	Dime Emb, LLC		
<b>Also Known As:</b>	Designs in Machine Embroidery		
<b>Street Address:</b>	10495 Olympic Dr Ste 100		
<b>City:</b>	Dallas		
<b>State/Country:</b>	TEXAS		
<b>Postal Code:</b>	75220		
<b>Entity Type:</b>	Limited Liability Company: Texas		
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1</b>			
<b>Property Type</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Word Mark</b>	
Serial Number:	85198157	EXQUISITE	
<b>CORRESPONDENCE DATA</b>			
<b>Fax Number:</b>	2143523102		
<i>Correspondence will be sent to the e-mail address first; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent using a fax number, if provided; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent via US Mail.</i>			
<b>Phone:</b>	214-466-1579		
<b>Email:</b>	ssmith@myfabricdesigns.com		
<b>Correspondent Name:</b>	Stephanie Smith		
<b>Address Line 1:</b>	10495 Olympic Dr Ste 100		
<b>Address Line 4:</b>	Dallas, TEXAS 75220		
<b>NAME OF SUBMITTER:</b>	Stephanie Smith		
<b>SIGNATURE:</b>	/Stephanie Smith/		
<b>DATE SIGNED:</b>	05/24/2018		

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**Articles of Merger  
of EMB Inc. into Great Notions News Company**

Pursuant to the provisions of section 10.006 of the Texas Business Organizations Code, Great Notions News Company ("Parent Organization"), an S-Corporation organized under the laws of the state of Texas and owning 100% percent of all classes and series of the outstanding shares of EMB Inc. ("Subsidiary Organization"), a Corporation organized under the laws of the state of North Carolina hereby executes the attached articles of merger.

Attached as Exhibit A is a copy of a resolution of Great Notions News Company. adopted on September 5, 2017 in accordance with the laws of its jurisdiction and its constituent documents.

Dated: 09/05/2017

Great Notions News Company

/s/ Gary Gardner  
Gary Gardner

**ACTION BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT  
IN LIEU OF A MEETING  
OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
OF GREAT NOTION NEWS COMPANY.**

**RESOLUTION OF MERGER OF EMB INC. INTO GREAT NOTION NEWS INC.**

**September 5, 2017**

The undersigned, being all the members of the Board of Directors (the "*Board*") of Great Notion News Company., a Texas S-corporation (the "*Corporation*"), hereby consent to the adoption of the following resolution by unanimous written consent in lieu of a meeting ("*Written Consent*") of the Board:

**WHEREAS**, the Corporation owns 100% of the shares of EMB Inc., a North Carolina Corporation.

**WHEREAS**, the Board determined that it is advisable and in the best interests of the Corporation and its stockholder that EMB Inc. be merged into Great Notions News Company.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that according to the Texas Business Organization Code Section 10.006, EMB Inc. be merged into its parent Great Notion News Company.

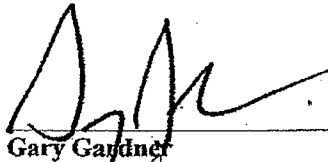
**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Great Notion News Company, a Texas S-Corporation will be the surviving entity and will assume all the rights and liabilities of EMB Inc., including, but not limited to, the payment of franchise and other taxes.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Officers of the Corporation be authorized to file all necessary forms and Merger Certificates necessary to effectuate said Statutory Merger under the laws of the State of Texas as well as de-registering from the State of North Carolina.

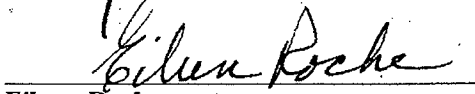
[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned members of the Board have executed this Written Consent to be effective as of the date first written above, which counterparts may be manually signed or by facsimile, or electronic transmission, and when taken together shall constitute one document.

Date: 9/5/17

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Gary Gardner

Date: 9/12/17

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Eileen Roche



## Office of the Secretary of State

### CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

The undersigned, as Secretary of State of Texas, hereby certifies that a filing instrument merging

EMB, Inc.  
Foreign For-Profit Corporation  
North Carolina, USA  
[Entity not of Record, Filing Number Not Available]

Into

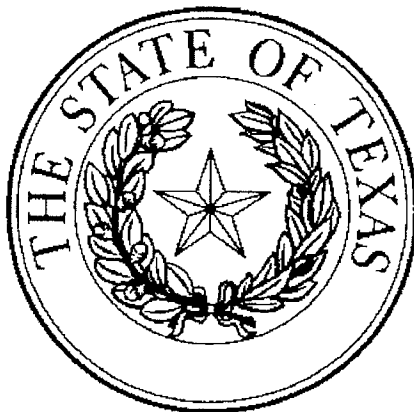
GREAT NOTIONS NEWS COMPANY  
Domestic For-Profit Corporation  
[File Number: 150306700]

has been received in this office and has been found to conform to law.

Accordingly, the undersigned, as Secretary of State, and by the virtue of the authority vested in the secretary by law, hereby issues this certificate evidencing the acceptance and filing of the merger on the date shown below.

Dated: 09/15/2017

Effective: 09/15/2017



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Pablos".

Rolando B. Pablos  
Secretary of State



# NORTH CAROLINA

## Department of the Secretary of State

To all whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, Elaine F. Marshall, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached to be a true copy of

**ARTICLES OF MERGER**

**OF**

**EMB, INC.**

**INTO**

**GREAT NOTIONS NEWS COMPANY**

the original of which was filed in this office on the 23rd day of October, 2017.



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 23rd day of October, 2017.

*Elaine F. Marshall*

Secretary of State

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ARTICLES OF MERGER

Pursuant to North Carolina General Statute Sections 55-11-05(a), 55A-11-09(d), 55A-11-04, 57D-9-42, 59-73.32(a) and 59-1072(a), as applicable, the undersigned entity does hereby submit the following Articles of Merger as the surviving business entity in a merger between two or more business entities.

1. The name of the surviving entity is Great Notions News Company, a (check one)  
 corporation,  nonprofit corporation,  professional corporation,  limited liability company,  
 limited partnership,  partnership,  limited liability partnership organized under the laws of  
TEXAS (state or country).

2. The address of the surviving entity is:

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) (Complete only if the surviving business entity is a foreign business entity that is not authorized to transact business or conduct affairs in North Carolina.) The mailing address of the surviving foreign business entity is:

Street Address 2517 Manana City Dallas  
State Texas Zip Code 75210 County Dallas

The Surviving foreign business entity will file a statement of any subsequent change in its mailing address with the North Carolina Secretary of State.

3. For each merging entity: (if more than one, complete on separate sheet and attach.)

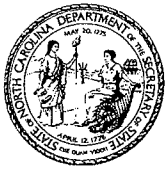
The name of the merged entity is EMB Inc., a (check one)  
 corporation,  nonprofit corporation,  professional corporation,  limited liability company,  
 limited partnership,  partnership,  limited liability partnership organized under the laws of  
Forsyth (state or country).

The mailing address of each merging entity is: (if more than one, complete on separate sheet and attach)

Street Address 3929 A Westpoint Blvd City Winston-Salem  
State North Carolina Zip Code 27103 County Forsyth

4. If the surviving business entity is a domestic business entity, the text of each amendment, if any, to the Articles of Incorporation, Articles of Organization, or Certificate of Limited Partnership within the Plan of Merger is attached.





# NORTH CAROLINA

## Department of the Secretary of State

### CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

I, Elaine F. Marshall, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that

**DIME EMB LLC**

having filed on this date an application conforming to the requirements of the General Statutes of North Carolina, a copy of which is hereto attached, is hereby granted authority to transact business in the State of North Carolina.



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 15th day of September, 2017.

*Elaine F. Marshall*

Secretary of State

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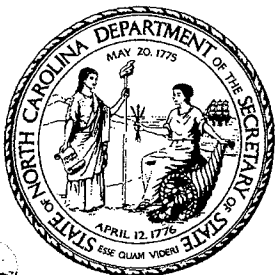
I, Elaine F. Marshall, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached to be a true copy of

### APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

OF

**DIME EMB LLC**

the original of which was filed in this office on the 15th day of September, 2017.



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the City of Raleigh, this 15th day of September, 2017.

*Elaine F. Marshall*

Secretary of State

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY  
FOR LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Pursuant to §57D-7-03 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned limited liability company hereby applies for a Certificate of Authority to transact business in the State of North Carolina, and for that purpose submits the following:

1. The name of the limited liability company is: **DIME EMB LLC** \_\_\_\_\_;

and if the limited liability company name is unavailable for use in the State of North Carolina, the name the limited

liability company wishes to use is **DIME EMBROIDERY SUPPLIES** \_\_\_\_\_ *fictitious name not filed in this office.*

2. The state or country under whose laws the limited liability company was formed is **TEXAS** \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Principal office information: *(Select either a or b.)*

a.  The limited liability company has a principal office.

The principal office telephone number: **1- 214 466 1563** \_\_\_\_\_.

The street address and county of the principal office of the limited liability company is:

Number and Street: **2517 Manana** \_\_\_\_\_

City: **Dallas** \_\_\_\_\_ State: **TX** Zip Code: **75220** County: **Dallas** \_\_\_\_\_

The mailing address, *if different from the street address*, of the principal office of the corporation is:

Number and Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

b. The limited liability company does not have a principal office.

4. The name of the registered agent in the State of North Carolina is: **William Fenimore III**.

5. The street address and county of the registered agent's office in the State of North Carolina is:

Number and Street: **3929 A Westpoint Blvd.**

City: **Winston-Salem** State: **NC** Zip Code: **27103** County: **Forsyth**

*, if different from the street address, of the registered agent's office in the State of North*

6. The North Carolina mailing address Carolina is:

Number and Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

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P.O. BOX 29622  
CORPORATIONS DIVISION

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7. The names, titles, and usual business addresses of the current company officials of the limited liability company are:  
(use attachment if necessary)

<u>Name and Title</u>	<u>Business Address</u>
Gary Gardner – Director	2515 Manana, Dallas, TX 75220
Eileen Roche – Director	2515 Manana, Dallas, TX 75220
William Fenimore III - Manager	3929 A Westpoint Blvd, Winston-Salem, NC 27103

8. Attached is a certificate of existence (or document of similar import), duly authenticated by the secretary of state or other official having custody of limited liability company records in the state or country of formation. The Certificate of Existence must be less than six months old. A photocopy of the certification cannot be accepted.

9. If the limited liability company is required to use a fictitious name in order to transact business in this State, a copy of the resolution of its managers adopting the fictitious name is attached.

10. (Optional): Please provide a business e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_  
The Secretary of State's Office will e-mail the business automatically at the address provided above at no cost when a document is filed. The e-mail provided will not be viewable on the website. For more information on why this service is offered, please see the instructions for this document.

11. This application will be effective upon filing, unless a delayed date and/or time is specified: \_\_\_\_\_

This the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2017

DIME EMB LLC

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Company Official

Gary Gardner

director

Notes:

1. Filing fee is \$250. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State.

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