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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER		
EFFECTIVE DATE:	03/28/1992		
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Pharr Yarns, Inc.		03/26/1992	CORPORATION: NORTH CAROLINA
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>			
Name:	Stone Mills, Incorporated		
Street Address:	100 Main Street		
City:	McAdenville		
State/Country:	NORTH CAROLINA		
Postal Code:	28101		
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: NORTH CAROLINA		
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1</b>			
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ARTICLES OF MERGER

OF

RUFUS L. EDMISTEN  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
NORTH CAROLINA

UNITED SPINNERS, CORPORATION, A NORTH CAROLINA CORPORATION,

AND

PHARR YARNS, INC., A NORTH CAROLINA CORPORATION

INTO

STOWE MILLS, INCORPORATED, A NORTH CAROLINA CORPORATION

Pursuant to sections 55-11-04 and 55-11-05 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation hereby submits these Articles of Merger:

Stowe Mills, Incorporated (hereinafter "Stowe"), a corporation organized under the laws of North Carolina, hereby submits these Articles of Merger for the purpose of merging the following corporations into Stowe:

- 1) Pharr Yarns, Inc. (hereinafter "Pharr"), a corporation organized under the laws of North Carolina, Stowe's wholly-owned subsidiary; and
- 2) United Spinners, Corporation (hereinafter "United Spinners"), a corporation organized under the laws of North Carolina, Pharr's wholly owned subsidiary:

I. The following Plan of Merger was duly approved by the board of directors of Stowe in the manner prescribed by law:

- 1. The name of the corporations proposing to merge are:
  - Mills, Incorporated (the surviving corporation)
  - Stowe, the parent corporation of Pharr, its wholly-owned subsidiary; and
  - Yarns, Inc.
  - Pharr, the parent corporation of United Spinners, its wholly-owned subsidiary; and
  - Corporation,
  - United Spinners, the wholly-owned subsidiary of Pharr, its parent corporation.
- 2. The merger of United Spinners and Pharr into Stowe will be effected pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Plan of Merger. The time when the merger becomes effective is hereinafter referred to as the "Effective Time." At the Effective Time, the corporate existence of United Spinners and Pharr will cease, and the corporate existence of Stowe will continue.

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3. The manner and basis of converting the shares of United Spinners and the shares of Pharr into Stowe shall be as follows:

At the Effective Time, the outstanding shares of United Spinners and Pharr will be canceled. No cash or shares or other securities or obligations will be issued upon the cancellation of the shares of United Spinners or the shares of Pharr.

4. At the Effective Time of this merger, the terms and conditions are:

(a) All of the assets of United Spinners and Pharr shall, by transfer or operation of law, become the property of Stowe.

(b) Stowe shall assume all liabilities and obligations of every character and kind of United Spinners and Pharr.

(c) The corporate identity, existence, purposes, powers, franchises, rights and immunities of Stowe shall continue unaffected and unimpaired by the merger and the corporate identity, existence, purposes, powers, franchises, rights and immunities of United Spinners and Pharr shall be merged into Stowe and Stowe shall be fully vested therewith. The separate existence of United Spinners and Pharr, except insofar as it may be continued by statute, shall cease as soon as this Plan of Merger shall become effective and thereupon Stowe, United Spinners and Pharr shall become a single corporation.

5. The Effective Time of the merger of United Spinners and Pharr into Stowe shall be upon the close of business of Stowe, Pharr, and United Spinners (11:59 p.m.) on March 28, 1992.

II. Shareholder approval of the Plan of Merger was not required because Pharr was the owner of at least ninety percent (90%) of the outstanding shares of each class of United Spinners and Stowe was the owner of at least ninety percent (90%) of the outstanding shares of each class of Pharr and the Plan of Merger does not provide for any changes in the Articles of Incorporation of Stowe that require shareholder action.

This the 26<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1992.

ATTEST:

  
James H. Howard, Secretary

STOWE MILLS, INCORPORATED

By:   
J. M. Carstarphen, III, President

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