SECOND NOTICE: CORPORATION WILL BE DISSOLVED ON OR AFTER SEPTEMBER 30, 1998. AMOUNT DUE ON OR BEFORE 09/30/98: \$550 (IF DISSOLVED, MINIMUM AMOUNT DUE TO REINSTATE: \$750).

Aug 28 1998 8:00am PROFIT FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE CORPORATION Sandra B. Mortham ANNUAL REPORT Secretary of State Secretary of State 1998 DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS DOCUMENT # F97000001056 (7) MERCHANTS WHOLESALE INC. Principal Place of Business Mailing Address 2517 ELLINGTON RD 2517 ELLINGTON RD PO BOX 3335 PO BOX 3335 QUINCY IL 62305 **QUINCY IL 62305** DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE 3. Date Incorporated or Qualified 02/28/1997 2. Principal Place of Business 2a. Mailing Address 4. FEI Number Applied For 37-0714087 26 Not Applicable 21 Suite, Apt. #, etc. Suite, Apt. #, etc. \$8.75 Additional 5. Certificate of Status Desired Fee Required 22 27 City & State City & State 6. Election Campaign Financing \$5.00 May Be 23 28 Trust Fund Contribution Added to Fees Zip Country Zip Country 8. This corporation owes or has paid the current year intangible 24 25 29 30 Personal Property Tax due June 30. __ Yes 9, Name and Address of Current Registered Agent 10. Name and Address of New Registered Agent CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY 81 Name 1201 HAYS STREET 82 Street Address (P.O. Box Number is Not Acceptable) TALLAHASSEE FL 32301-2525 В3 Zip Code 84 City 85 Pursuant to the provisions of sections 607.0502 and 607.1508, Florida Statutes, the above-named corporation submits this statement for the purpose of changing its registered office or registered agent, or both, in the State of Florida. Such change was authorized by the corporation's board of directors. I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent. I am familiar with, and accept the obligations of, section 607.0505, Florida Statutes. SIGNATURE Signature, typed or printed name of registered agent and title if applicable (NOTE: Registered Agent signature required when reinstating) (2/98)12. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS IN 12 13, TITLE __ DELETÉ 1.1 TITLE Change Addition LANSING, ROBERT CR2E034 NAME 1.2 NAME 1119 Nottingham 2212 SWEETBRIAR STREET ADDRESS 1.3 STREET ADDRESS QUINCY IL 82301 CITY-ST-ZIP 1.4 CITY-ST-ZIP TITLE 2.1 TITLE DELETÉ CARPENTER, TOM NAME 2.2 NAME 5508 GLAN CRIE STREET ADDRESS 2.3 STREET ADDRESS QUINCY IL 62301 CITY-ST-ZIP 2.4 CITY-ST-ZIP TITLE DELETE 3.1 TITLE Addition Change MARCIA NAME 3.2 NAME STREET ADDRESS 3.3 STREET ADDRESS CITY-ST-ZIP 3.4 CITY-ST-ZIP 4.1 TITLE TITLE DELETE Change NAME 4.2 NAME STREET ADDRESS 4.3 STREET ADDRESS CITY-ST-ZIP 4.4 CITY-ST-ZIP 5.1 TITLE TITLE DELETE Change Addition NAME 5.2 NAME STREET ADDRESS 5.3 STREET ADDRESS CITY-ST-ZIP 5.4 CITY-ST-ZIP TITLE DELETE 6.1 TITLE 900002630**0**03 NAME 6.2 NAME

6.3 STREET ADDRESS

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14. I hereby certify that the information supplied with this filing does not qualify for the exemption stated in section 119.07(3)(i), Florida Statutes. I further certify that the information indicated on this annual report or supplemental annual report is true and accurate and that my signature shall have the same legal effect as if made under oath; that I am an officer or director of the corporation or the receiver or trustee empowered coexecute this report as required by Chapter 607, Florida Statutes; and that my name appears in Block 12 or Stock 13 if changed, or on an attachment with an addition.

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STREET ADDRESS

CITY-ST-ZIP

Alo/9x (21) 222-335

Merchants Wholesale

August 14, 1998

Florida Department of State PO Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Re: 1998 Profit Corporation Annual Report

In July, of this year, I received the aforementioned report labelled "2nd Notice". I am completing and will mail it with a check for \$150.00 on August 17, 1998.

I respectfully request the \$400.00 penalty for late filing, be waived, for the following reasons. Merchants Wholesale, Inc.qualified to do business in Florida on Feb. 28, 1997 and this was our first report. We have every intent to complete and mail annual reports, with fees, in a timely fashion. Having no recall of receiving the original request, perhaps it was lost in the mail. Now that we are obviously aware of Florida's timeframes for this return, we can put this on our calendar for completion early in the year and if not received we can contact your office in a timely manner.

Sincerely,

Thomas M. Hellhake

Controller