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ARTICLES OF MERGER Merger Sheet

MERGING:

VARKERKE, INC., a Florida corporation, document number V38105

INTO

THE ENSEMBLE COMPANY, a Delaware corporation not qualified in Florida.

File date: March 27, 1997

Corporate Specialist: Karen Gibson

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ARTICLES OF MERGER OF
VERKERKE, INC.
(A Florida Corporation)
INTO
THE ENSEMBLE COMPANY
(A Delaware Corporation)



The undersigned corporations, pursuant to Section 607.1107 of the Florida Business Corporation Act, certify the following:

FIRST: The names of the corporations proposing to merge and the names of the states under the laws of which such corporations are organized are as follows: The Ensemble Company, a Delaware corporation and Verkerke, Inc., a Florida corporation.

SECOND: The laws of the state or country under which such foreign corporation is organized permit such merger and such foreign corporation is complying with those laws in effecting the merger.

THIRD: The foreign corporation complies with Section 607.1105 F.S. (as set forth below) and the domestic corporation complies with the applicable provisions of Sections 607.1101--607.1104 F.S.

FOURTH: The Agreement and Plan of merger is as follows:

- (1) That The Ensemble Company and Verkerke, Inc. are hereby merged and that the above named The Ensemble Company is the surviving corporation.
- (2). All of the property, rights, privileges, leases and patents of Verkerke, Inc. are to be transferred to and become the property of The Ensemble Company, the survivor. The officers and board of directors of each of the above named corporations are authorized to execute all deeds, assignments, and documents of every nature which may be needed to effectuate a full and complete transfer of ownership.
- (3) The officers and board of directors of The Ensemble Company shall continue in office until their successors are duly elected and qualified under the provisions of the bylaws of the surviving corporation.
- (4) The outstanding shares of Verkerke, Inc. shall be canceled. No additional shares of The Ensemble Company shall be issued.
- (5) It is agreed that, upon and after the issuance of a certificate of merger by the Secretary of State of the State of Florida:

- a. The surviving corporation may be served with process in the State of Florida in any proceeding for the enforcement of any obligation of any corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida which is a party to the merger and in any proceeding for the enforcement of the rights of a dissenting shareholder of any such corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida against the surviving corporation;
- b. The Secretary of State of the State of Florida shall be and hereby is irrevocably appointed as the agent of the surviving corporation to accept service of process in any such proceeding; the address to which the service of process in any such proceeding shall be mailed is Vickie Young, P.O. Box 419126, 2501 McGee, Mail Drop 339, Kansas City, MO 64141-6126;
- c. The surviving corporation will promptly pay to the dissenting shareholders of any corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida which is a party to the merger the amount, if any, to which they shall be entitled under the provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act with respect to the rights of dissenting shareholders.

FIFTH: The effective date of the certificate of merger shall be upon filing with the Secretary of State.

SIXTH: The plan of merger was adopted by the shareholders of Verkerke, Inc. and The Ensemble Company on March 25, 1997.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, these Articles of Merger have been executed in duplicate by the aforementioned corporations as of the day and year hereafter acknowledged.

THE ENSEMBLE COMPANY

Dwight Arn

Vice President

Attest:

Vickie Young

Assistant Secretary

VERKERKE, INC.

Judith Whittaker Vice President

Attest:

Kathy Tomei

Assistant Secretary

STATE OF MISSOURI)) ss.
COUNTY OF JACKSON)

On this 26th day of March, in the year 1997, before me Sara Lynn Kinshella, Notary Public in and for said state, personally appeared Dwight Arn, the Vice President of The Ensemble Company, known to me to be the person who executed the within Articles of Merger in behalf of said corporation and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein stated.

Notary Public

My commission expires:

SARA LYNN KINSHELLA

Notary Public - State of Missouri
Commissioned in City County
My Commission Expires: 22-75

STATE OF MISSOURI
) ss.

COUNTY OF JACKSON
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On this 26th day of March, in the year 1997, before me Sara Lynn Kinshella, Notary Public in and for said state, personally appeared Judith Whittaker, the Vice President of Verkerke, Inc., known to me to be the person who executed the within Articles of Merger in behalf of said corporation and acknowledged to me that she executed the same for the purposes therein stated.

Notate Public

My commission expires:

SARA LYNN KINSHELLA

Notary Public - State of Missouri
Commissioned in Clay County
My Commission Expires:

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER APPLICATION FOR REFUND

Section 215.26, Florida Statutes, states in part: "Applications for refunds as provided in this section shall be filed with the Comptroller, except as otherwise provided herein, within 3 years after the right to such refund shall have accrued else such right shall be barred." Three years is generally interpreted as meaning three years from the date of payment into the State treasury. The Comptroller has delegated the authority to accept applications for refund to the unit of State government which initially collected the money.

Name: <u>DONALO J. MARSH</u> EIN or SS#. 099-22-5211 66 SCARSONIE RO. Address: DENNIS, INA 02638 Amount: \$165.00 _ Date Paid Reason for claim: Corp Dissolved , no AIR required - V41690 3-4-97 Certified true and correct this 20 day of March . 1997 * Must be completed if authority is other than Section 215.26, Florida Statutes. For Agency Use Only
Agency recommends approval of above claim and submits the following information to The amount requested above was originally deposited into the State Treasury, as a part of the funds deposited on State Treasurer's Receipt No. 42543 LOS4 Gated 203-04-911 45,2021300014530000000000010000 Statutory Authority for Collection it is requested that payment be made from the following account: NAME OF ACCOUNTS AND A SECOND 45202130001453000000022002000 Department of State: Division of Conporations

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