ORDINANCE NO. 351

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AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING THE HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED TERRITORY TO THE CITY OF MESQUITE, DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS, AND EXTENDING THE BOUNDARY LIMITS OF SAID CITY SO AS TO INCLUDE SAID HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED PROPERTY WITHIN SAID CITY LIMITS, AND GRANTING TO ALL THE INHABITANTS AND OWNERS OF SAID PROPERTY ALL OF THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES OF OTHER CITIZENS AND BINDING ALL INHABITANTS BY ALL THE ACTS, ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS OF SAID CITY; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF SAID ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite has heretofore adopted a Home Rule Charter authorizing it to annex territory and extend the corporate limits of said city; and,

WHEREAS, the following described land is adjoining the present city limits of the City of Mesquite, and the members of the City Council of the City of Mesquite have concluded that said area should be annexed and made a part of the City of Mesquite, Texas; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the following described territory be and the same is hereby annexed to the City of Mesquite, Dallas County, Texas, and the boundary limits of the City of Mesquite be and the same are hereby extended to include the following described territory within the city limits of the City of Mesquite, and the same shall hereafter be included within the territorial limits of said city, and the inhabitants thereof shall hereafter be entitled to all rights and privileges of other citizens of the City of Mesquite and shall be bound by the acts, ordinances, resolutions and regulations of said city. That the territory to be so annexed is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

> BEGINNING at the point of intersection of the northeast line of Sam Houston Road and the most southerly line of the old Interurban r/wy, said intersection being an angle point in the present corporate limits of the City of Dallas, and the City of Mesquite;

THENCE in a northwesterly direction along the northeast line of Sam Houston Road to a point in the present corporate limits Page 2 Ordinance No. 351

of the City of Dallas and the City of Mesquite; said point being 200 feet north of the north line of Forney Avenue pro-

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THENCE in an easterly direction along said corporate limits line to an angle point in same, said angle point being 200 feet northeast of the northeast line of Sam Houston Road;

THENCE in a southeasterly direction along said corporate limits line, same being 200 feet from and parallel with the northeast line of Sam Houston Road to the most southerly line of the old Interurban r/wy;

THENCE in a westerly direction along said r/wy line and said corporate limits line to the place of beginning.

SECTION 2. That it is not the intention offthe City of Mesquite to annex any territory not legally subject to being annexed by said city, and should any portion of the above described territory not be subject to legal annexation by the City of Mesquite, such fact will not prevent the city from annexing such territory which is above described and is subject to legal annexation by the City, and it is the intention of the City of Mesquite to annex only such territory as may be legally annexed by it within the limits of the above described area.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage as the Charter in such cases provides.

PASSED by the City Council on First Reading on the <u>7th</u> day of <u>November</u>, 1960.

PASSED by the City Council on Second Reading and final reading on the <u>19th</u> day of <u>December</u>, 1960.

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ATTEST:

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