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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

TO

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

FLORIDA CENTERS FOR CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDIES, INC.

(Corporate Document No. P02000073105)

Article I of the Articles of Incorporation of FLORIDA CENTERS FOR CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDIES, INC., a Florida corporation (the "Company" or the "Corporation"), is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

"ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be Advent Clinical Research Centers, Inc."

The foregoing amendment was adopted by the unanimous written consent dated as of August 27, 2002 of all of the shareholders of the Company in accordance with Sections 607.0704 and 607.1003(6), *Florida Statutes*. The holders of the common stock, \$.01 par value, of the Corporation were the only voting group entitled to vote on the amendment, and the number of votes cast for the adoption of the amendment by that voting group was sufficient for approval by that voting group.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Chairman and CEO of the Company has executed these Articles of Amendment, and the Assistant Secretary of the Corporation has attested thereto, all on August 29, 2002.

ATTEST:

Ronald L. Stephenson, Assist. Sec.

FLORIDA CENTERS FOR CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDIES, INC.

Dale G. Bramlet, Chairman/CEO

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