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Re: Ocala Regional Kidney Center, Inc. - Document No. P94000067213

Dear Secretary of State:

Enclosed are the original and one copy of the signed Articles of Amendment for the above corporation.

Enclosed is a check for \$43.75 payable to the Secretary of State for the filing (\$35) and (\$8.75) certified copy fees. Please return a certified copy to this office on your day of filing if at all possible.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OCALA REGIONAL KIDNEY CENTER, INC.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 507.1006, Florida Statutes, the undersigned Florida for-profit corporation, adopts the following Articles of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation:

1. Name of Corporation. The present name of the corporation is "OCALA REGIONAL KIDNEY CENTER, INC." The name of the corporation is hereby changed to "OCALA KIDNEY ASSOCIATES, INC." Article I (Name of Corporation) of the Articles of Incorporation is amended to read as follows:

ARTICLE I Name

The name of the corporation is amended to read as follows:

OCALA KIDNEY ASSOCIATES, INC.

In all other respects, the Articles of Incorporation shall remain as they were prior to this Amendment being adopted.

2. This Amendment was unanimously approved by the shareholders on the 1st day of March, 1999.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereby set my hand and seal this 1st day of March, 1999.

OCALA REGIONAL KIDNEY CENTER, INC.

BY:

Thomas J. Fuller, M.D., President