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**LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

**Metzler Veterinarian Hospital, PL**

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**ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION  
OF  
METZLER VETERINARY HOSPITAL, PL.  
A Florida Professional Limited Liability COMPANY**

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**ARTICLE I  
NAME**

The name of this limited liability company is **METZLER VETERINARY HOSPITAL, PL.**, referred to in these Articles of Organization as the "Company."

**ARTICLE II  
ADDRESS**

The mailing address and street address of the principal office of the Company is 2454 McMullen Booth Road, Suite 100, Clearwater, Florida 33759.

**ARTICLE III  
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The Company's registered agent is Timothy C. Schuler, whose registered office is located at 9075 Seminole Boulevard, Seminole, Florida 33772.

**ARTICLE IV  
MEMBERS**

The organizer of the Company is Timothy C. Schuler, a natural person at least eighteen (18) years old, and the company will have one member initially, to wit:

Douglas R. Metzler  
2534 Anderson Drive West  
Clearwater, FL 33761

No person shall be admitted as a member of this company unless such person is an individual, professional corporation, or

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professional limited liability company duly licensed as a Veterinarian under the laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE V  
PURPOSE AND POWERS**

This Company is organized with a general business purpose, with a specific emphasis to engage in the practice of veterinary medicine and those services ancillary thereto, has all powers provided by law and may use those powers to any lawful purpose.

**ARTICLE VI  
MANAGEMENT BY MEMBERS**

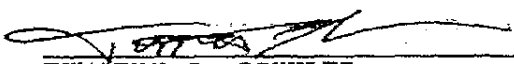
The Company will be managed by its members.

**ARTICLE VII  
RELATIONSHIP OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION TO OPERATING AGREEMENT**

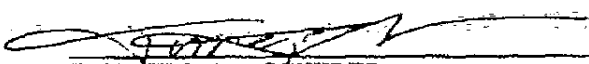
If a provision of these Articles of Organization differs from a provision of the Company's operating agreement, then, to the extent allowed by law, these Articles will govern.

Executed this 6<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2002.

BY:

  
TIMOTHY C. SCHULER  
Organizer

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my positions as registered agent as provided in Chapter 608, F.S.

  
TIMOTHY C. SCHULER  
Registered Agent

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