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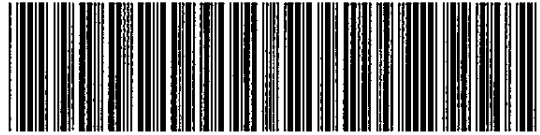
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**RE: ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF  
THE EYE INSTITUTE OF WEST FLORIDA  
REFRACTIVE SURGERY CENTER, L.L.C.**

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am enclosing an original set of Articles of Organization of **The Eye Institute of West Florida Refractive Surgery Center, L.L.C.**, as well as a check in the amount of **\$125.00** for the filing fee/registered agent fee.

In the event of any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



THOMAS W. RUGGLES

TWR/da  
Enc.

**ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF  
THE EYE INSTITUTE OF WEST FLORIDA  
REFRACTIVE SURGERY CENTER, L. L. C.**

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The undersigned, acting as the organizer and authorized representative for the purpose of formation of a Limited Liability Company under the Florida Limited Liability Act, Florida Statutes, Chapter 608, hereby makes, acknowledges and files the following Articles of Organization.

**ARTICLE I.  
NAME**

The name of this Limited Liability Company shall be **THE EYE INSTITUTE OF WEST FLORIDA REFRACTIVE SURGERY CENTER, L.L.C.**

**ARTICLE II.  
PLACE OF BUSINESS AND REGISTERED AGENT**

The mailing and street address of the principal place of business of this Company shall be 148 13<sup>th</sup> Street S.W., Largo, Florida 33770.

The initial name and address of the Registered Agent of the Company shall be **THOMAS W. RUGGLES, ESQ.**, 603 Indian Rocks Road, Belleair, Florida 33756.

**ARTICLE III.  
PURPOSE**

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this Company is to provide medically related ophthalmic refractive and laser services and to perform any other activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida. The Company shall have all of the powers granted to a Limited Liability Company under the laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE IV.  
MANAGEMENT**

The Company shall be managed by managing members in accordance with regulations adopted by the members for the management of the business and affairs of the Company. These regulations may contain any provisions for the regulation and management of the affairs of the Company not inconsistent with law or these Articles of Organization. The name and business address of the initial Managing Member of the Company is:

STEPHEN M. WEINSTOCK  
148 13<sup>th</sup> Street S.W.  
Largo, FL 33770

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ARTICLE V.  
COMMENCEMENT OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY'S EXISTENCE

The date that this limited liability company's existence shall begin shall be the date and time the Articles of Organization are filed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned organizer and authorized representative has executed these Articles of Organization on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2006.

Witnesses:

Thomas W. Ruggles  
(Print Name) THOMAS W. RUGGLES  
Diane F. Aaronson  
(Print Name) DIANE F. AARONSON

Stephen M. Weinstock  
STEPHEN M. WEINSTOCK  
Organizer and authorized representative

STATE OF FLORIDA }  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS }

The foregoing document was acknowledged before me on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2006 by **STEPHEN M. WEINSTOCK**, who: ☒ is personally known to me, or ☐ is not personally known to me, who produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

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Diane F. Aaronson  
State of Florida  
Commission Number & Expiration Date:

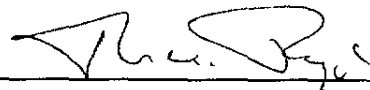


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**ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT**

**THOMAS W. RUGGLES** does hereby accept the designation of Registered Agent and states that he is familiar with and accepts the obligations provided for in 607.0501, Florida Statutes.

DATED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2006.



**THOMAS W. RUGGLES**  
Attorney At Law - FL BAR #093646  
Registered Agent

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