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Division of Corporations Clifton Building 2661 Executive Center Circle Tallahassee, FL 32301

> Orthopaedic & Spine Implant Services, LLC Re:

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find an Application by Foreign Limited Liability Company for Authorization to Transact Business in Florida and Certificate of Designation of Registered Agent/Registered Office together with the \$125.00 filing fee. If you should have any questions, please feel free to give me a call.

Sincerely yours,

GWB:dkb **Enclosures**

COVER LETTER

Division of Corporations		
SUBJECT: Orthopaedic & Spine Implant Servi		
(Name of Limited)	Liability Company)	
The enclosed "Application by Foreign Limited Liability Florida," Certificate of Existence, and check are submit liability company to transact business in Florida		
Please return all correspondence concerning this matter	to the following:	
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APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608.503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

Orthopaedic & Spine Implant Services, LLC (Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company)			
2. Delaware (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized) 3. 20-3084770 (FEI number, if applicable)			
4. May 31, 2005 (Date of Organization) 5. Perpetual (Duration: Year limited liability company exist or "perpetual")	will ceas	e to	
6. Upon Registration (Date first transacted business in Florida, if prior to registration.) (See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F.S. to determine penalty liability) 7. 4905 Belfort Rd., Ste 110			
Jacksonville, FL 32256			
(Street Address of Principal Office)			
8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed company, check here			,
9. The name and usual business addresses of the managing members or managers are as follows:	ws:	-	
Surgical Implant Services, LLC	Γ.		
4905 Belfort Rd., Ste 110	<u> </u>	7.5	-
Jacksonville, FL 32256			
10. Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 days old, duly authenticated by the official having the jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photocopy is not acceptable. If the certificate is in a foreign translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be submitted.) Medical device	n languag		rds i
11. Nature of business or purposes to be conducted or promoted in Florida: Medical device	.c		
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Signature of a member or an authorized representative of a member. (In accordance with section 608.408(3), F.S., the execution of this document constitutes an affirmation under the penalties of perjury that the facts stated herein are true.)			
John M. McGuire			
Typed or printed name of signee			

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 or 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

The name of the Limited Liability Company is:	
Orthopaedic & Spine Implant Services, LLC	
The name and the Florida street address of the registered agent and office are:	
John M. McGuire	
(Name)	
4905 Belfort Rd., Ste. 110	
Florida Street Address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE)	
Jacksonville _{FL} 32256	
City/State/Zip	

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 position as registered agent as provided for in Chapter 608, Florida Statutes.

(Signature)

\$ 100.00 Filing Fee for Application
\$ 25.00 Designation of Registered Agent
\$ 30.00 Certified Copy (optional)
\$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (optional)

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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "ORTHOPAEDIC & SPINE IMPLANT SERVICES, LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2005.



Warriet Smith Windson Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION: 4402981

DATE: 12-27-05

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