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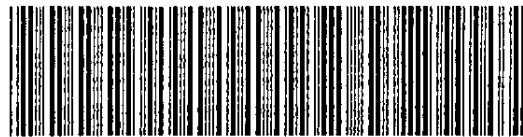
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Articles of Incorporation  
of  
St. Johns Sports Medicine Council, Inc.

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**Article 1.**

The name of the corporation is St. Johns Sports Medicine Council, Inc.

**Article 2.**

The corporation's principal place of business and mailing address is:  
115 Bartram Oaks Walk  
Suite 104  
St. Johns, Florida 32259

**Article 3.**

The registered agent is Carole A. Vogel, Esquire and the street address of the registered agent is:

111 Nature Walk Parkway  
Suite 102  
St. Johns, Florida 32092

**Article 4.**

The period of duration of the corporation is perpetual. The qualification for members, if any, and the manner of their admission shall be regulated by the bylaws of the corporation.

**Article 5.**

The method of selection of the Board of Directors and number of directors shall be stated in the bylaws of the corporation.

**Article 6.**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Garry Gillis  
115 Bartram Walk  
Suite 104  
St. Johns, Fl. 32259

**ARTICLE 7**

The purposes for which this corporation is formed are exclusively charitable, educational and scientific and consist of the following:

- A. This corporation is formed exclusively for charitable and educational purposes under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or the corresponding section of any future tax code.

- B. To aid, support and assist by gifts, contributions, or otherwise in non-partisan research, education, and informational activities increasing awareness of child safety during athletic events.
- C. To advise and assist athletic trainers in the care of all student athletes and provide support and advice in sports medicine management for any such sports associations and physical activity groups likewise so involved.
- D. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall consist of the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in, any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.
- E. To do any and all lawful activities which may be necessary, useful, or desirable for the furtherance, accomplishment, fostering, or attaining of the foregoing purposes, either directly or indirectly, and either alone or in conjunction or cooperation with others, whether such others be persons, organizations of any kind or nature, such as corporations, firms, associations, trusts, institutions, foundations, or governmental departments or agencies.
- F. All of the foregoing purposes shall be exercised exclusively charitable and educational purposes in such a manner that the corporation will qualify as an exempt organization under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

## **ARTICLE 8**

No part of the new earnings of the corporation/organization shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers or any other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of section 501 (c) ( 3) purposes. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

## **ARTICLE 9**

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 (c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

## ARTICLE 10

Upon winding up and dissolution of the corporation, assets of the corporation remaining after payment of all debts and liabilities shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section.

## ARTICLE 11

Any person (and the heirs, executors and administrators of such person) made or threatened to be made a party to any action, suit or proceeding by reason of the fact that he is or was a Director or Officer of the corporation shall be indemnified by the corporation against any and all liability and the reasonable expenses, including attorney's fees and disbursements, incurred in connection with the defense or settlement of such action, suit or proceeding, or in connection with any appearance therein, except in relation to matters as to which it shall be adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding that such director or officer is liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of his duties. Such right of indemnification shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which such director or officer may be entitled apart from this Articles.

These Articles of Incorporation are hereby executed by its duly authorized Incorporator on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Garry Gillis, Incorporator

I hereby accept my appointment as registered agent for St. John's Sports Medicine Council, Inc., a Florida not for profit corporation.

This 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011.

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Carole A. Vogel, Esquire  
Registered Agent

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