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# ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF

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## THE THOMAS G. TERCILLA NEUROLOGICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC., MASKET, FLORIDA NEUROLOGICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC., MASKET, FLORIDA

#### ARTICLE I Name

The name of the corporation is the Thomas G. Tercilla Neurological Research Foundation, Inc. (the "Foundation").

## ARTICLE II Principal Office

The address of the principal office and the mailing address of the Foundation is 6770 SW 74<sup>th</sup> Street, South Miami, FL 33143

## ARTICLE III Purpose

The purpose of the Foundation is to provide funding for neurological research institutions, aid in the development of neurological science, and honor the memory of Thomas George Tercilla, and to conduct all such matters exclusively for charitable purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

#### Limitations of Purpose:

No part of the net earnings of the Foundation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the Foundation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in the Statement of Purpose hereof. The property of this Foundation is irrevocably dedicated to fulfilling the purpose set forth above, and no part of the net income or assets of this Foundation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer, or member thereof, or to the benefit of any private individual.

No substantial part of the activities of the Foundation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Foundation shall not participate in, 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this Foundation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this Foundation.

Upon the dissolution of the Foundation, assets 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 of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

## ARTICLE IV Manner of Election or Appointment of Directors

All elections or appointments shall be made in the manner set forth in the Foundation's By-Laws.

## ARTICLE V Initial Officers and/or Directors

#### Directors:

Peter Davidson

6468 SW 37th Street, Miami, FL 33155

Andres Castor Fernandez

6770 SW 74th Street, South Miami, FL 33143

Maggie Barreto Tercilla

1425 Palancia Avenue, Miami, FL 33146

Orlando Tercilla

1425 Palancia Avenue, Miami, FL 33146

Victoria Tercilla

1425 Palancia Avenue, Miami, FL 33146

Nicholas Raffaele LaPietra

11420 SW 93<sup>rd</sup> Court, Miami, FL 33176

#### Officers:

Victoria Tercilla

1425 Palancia Avenue, Miami, FL 33146

Peter Davidson

6468 SW 37th Street, Miami, FL 33143

Andres Fernandez

6770 SW 74th Street, South Miami, FL 33143

Jose Morales

8465 SW 76th Terrace, Miami, FL 33143

Denisse Acevedo

10005 SW 114 Court, Miami, FL 33176

Manuel Christopher Perez

9445 SW 68 Street, Miami, FL 33173

## ARTICLE VI Incorporator

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The name of the Incorporator is Andres C. Fernandez and the address of the Incorporator is FLORIDA 6770 S.W. 74 Street, South Miami, Florida 33143.

### ARTICLE VII Registered Agent

The name of the Registered Agent is Alicia M. Morales-Fernandez and the address of the Registered Agent is 6770 S.W. 74 Street, South Miami, Florida 33143.

## **ARTICLE VIII Indemnification**

This Foundation shall indemnify and shall advance expenses on behalf of its officers and directors to the fullest extent not prohibited by any law in existence either now or hereafter.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Incorporator named above, for the purpose of forming a corporation pursuant to the Florida Business Foundation Act of the State of Florida has signed these Articles of Incorporation this day of January, 2016.

Andres C. Fernandez Incorporator

#### ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT OF REGISTERED AGENT

The undersigned, having been named the Registered Agent of The Thomas G. Tercilla Neurological Research Foundation, Inc., hereby accepts such designation and is familiar with, and accepts, the obligations of such position, as provided in Florida Statutes Section 617.0501.

January 🖺, 2016

Alicia M. Morales-Fernandez Registered Agent