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MERGING:

BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC., a Florida corporation (Charter #J28014)

INTO

WUESTHOFF BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC., a Florida corporation, N97000002439

File date: May 21, 1997

Corporate Specialist: Louise Flemming-Jackson

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Wuesthoff Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc./

Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc./

Articles of Merger

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed for filing is an original and one copy of the Articles of Merger for WUESTHOFF BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC., and BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC., along with our check in the amount of \$122.50 for the following:

Filing fee

\$ 70.00

(\$35.00 for each

corporation)

Certified copy

52.50

Total

\$122.50

Please return the certified copy to this office. Thank you for your assistance.

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cc: Rebecca Colker

Very truly yours,

Harold T. Bistline



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

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SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSIE, FLORIDA

May 14, 1997

HAROLD T. BISTLINE POST OFFICE BOX 8248 COCOA, FL 32924-8248

SUBJECT: WUESTHOFF BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC.

Ref. Number: N97000002439

We have received your document for WUESTHOFF BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The document must contain the date of adoption of the plan of merger by the shareholders or by the directors when no vote of adoption by the shareholders is required and a statement to that effect, for the profit corporation (merging corporation). The non profit (surving corporation) must state that there are no members or members entitled to vote for the merger.

Please return your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (904) 487-6909.

Velma Shepard Corporate Specialist

Letter Number: 697A00025803

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May 20, 1997

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Ms. Louise Jackson, Supervisor Florida Department of State Division of Corporations 409 E. Gaines Street Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: Wuesthoff Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc. Ref. Number: N9700002439

Dear Ms. Jackson:

Thank you for speaking with me on the telephone Monday regarding the referenced.

Enclosed are Articles of Merger of Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc. and Wuesthoff Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc. with the corrections specified in Ms. Velma Shepard's letter to me of May 14, 1997.

Please accept these corrected Articles of Merger for filing with an effective date of the date the original Articles were received by your office which our records show as May 6, 1997.

Thank you for your assistance and please call if there are any questions.

Very truly yours,

Harold T. Bistline

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ARTICLES OF MERGER

OF

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSIE, FLORIDA

BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC.

and

WUESTHOFF BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC.

The undersigned Florida Corporations, by their authorized officers, and pursuant to Section 617.1105, <u>Florida Statutes</u>, do hereby execute these Articles of Merger and certify as follows:

ARTICLE I

PLAN OF MERGER

- 1. The names of the corporations planning to merge are Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc. and Wuesthoff Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc. The surviving corporation shall be Wuesthoff Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc., a Florida not-for-profit corporation, hereafter designated as the surviving corporation.
- 2. Title to all real estate and other property of both corporations or any interest therein shall vest in the surviving corporation without reversion or impairment.
- 3. The surviving corporation shall assume, be responsible for and liable for all of the liabilities and obligations of both parties to this merger.
- 4. Any claim existing or action or proceeding pending by or against either corporation may be continued as if the merger did not occur or the surviving corporation may be substituted in the

proceeding for the Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc., which corporation shall cease to exist upon filing of these Articles of Merger.

- 5. Neither the rights of creditors or any liens upon the property of either corporation shall be impaired by the merger.
- 6. No changes in the Articles of Incorporation of the surviving corporation shall occur as a result of this merger.

ARTICLE II

ADOPTION OF PLAN OF MERGER

- 1. On May 5, 1997, the Board of Directors of Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc. adopted the Plan of Merger by unanimous vote of all directors present in person or by proxy at said meeting and the votes cast in favor of the Plan of Merger were sufficient for its adoption. No vote of the shareholders was required to adopt the Plan of Merger.
- 2. On May 5, 1997, the Board of Directors of the surviving corporation, Wuesthoff Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc., met and by unanimous vote of the three (3) members of the Board, approved the Plan of Merger and the votes cast in favor of the Plan of Merger were sufficient for its adoption. The corporation has no members entitled to vote on the Plan of Merger.

ARTICLE III

EFFECTIVE DATE OF ARTICLES OF MERGER

These Articles of Merger shall become effective upon filing with the Department of State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties to these Articles of Merger have affixed their signatures this $\mathcal{S}Q$ day of May, 1997.

BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC.

Date: <u>5-20-97</u>, 1997

WUESTHOFF BREVARD CARDIOLOGY GROUP, INC.

ROBERT O. CARMAN, President

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF BREVARD

The foregoing Articles of Merger was acknowledged before me this <u>QCAL</u> day of May, 1997 by ROBERT O. CARMAN, President of Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc. and Wuesthoff Brevard Cardiology Group, Inc., who is personally known to me.

NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF FLORIDA

Printed Name: <u>CARLENE</u> J. NINCALD

My commission expires:

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