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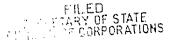
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

BAY AREA TRAUMA ASSOCIATES, INC.

The undersigned incorporator hereby forms a corporation under Chapter 607 of the laws of the State of Florida.

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of the corporation shall be:

BAY AREA TRAUMA ASSOCIATES, INC.

The address of the principal office of this corporation shall be 25 Second Street North, Suite 210, Saint Petersburg, Florida 33701 and the mailing address of the corporation shall be the same.

ARTICLE II. NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation may engage or transact in any or all lawful activities or business permitted under the laws of the United States, the State of Florida or any other state, country, territory or nation.

ARTICLE III. CAPITAL STOCK

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to have outstanding at any one time is 1,000 shares of common stock having \$1.00 par value per share.

ARTICLE IV. REGISTERED AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation shall be 1201 Hays Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, and the name of the initial registered agent of the corporation at that address is Corporation Service Company.

ARTICLE V. TERM OF EXISTENCE

This corporation is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE VI. DIRECTORS

All corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the corporation managed under the direction of its Board of Directors, subject to any limitation set forth in these Articles of Incorporation. This corporation shall have five Directors, initially. The names and addresses of the initial members of the Board of Directors are:

Kevin J. Hirsch M.D. Dir.

666 6th Street South #201 Saint Petersburg, Florida 33701

Forrest C. Arthur M.D. 666 6th Street South #215 Saint Petersburg, Florida 33701

Steven G. Epstein M.D. Dir.

666 6th Street South #215 Saint Petersburg, Florida 33701 Ernst E. Vieux Jr. M.D. Dir.

3000 1st Avenue North Saint Petersburg, Florida 33711

Thomas D. Wells M.D. Dir.

601 7th Street South Saint Petersburg, Florida 33701

ARTICLE VII. SPECIAL PROVISION

This corporation shall be organized to comply with the provisions of Subchapter S of the Internal Revenue code, 26 U.S.C. 1361 et. seq., and shall take all actions necessary to obtain and maintain its status as an S corporation as defined therein.

ARTICLE VIII. INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation:

The Company Corporation
2711 Centerville Road
Suite 400
Wilmington, Delaware 19808

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned agent of
The Company Corporation, has hereunto set their hand
and seal of The Company Corporation on September 18, 2000.

THE COMPANY CORPORATION

Its Agent, Laura R. Dunlap



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ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT DESIGNATED IN ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Corporation Service Company, a Delaware corporation authorized to transact business in this State, having a business office identical with the registered office of the corporation named above, and having been designated as the Registered Agent in the above and foregoing Articles, is familiar with and accepts the obligations of the position of Registered Agent under Section 607.0505, Florida Statutes.

CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY

By: Laura C. D

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