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The Heart and Vascular Center of Venice, P.A.

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
THE HEART AND VASCULAR CENTER OF VENICE, P.A.**

The undersigned Incorporator does hereby make, subscribe, file and acknowledge these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of organizing a corporation under the Professional Service Corporation and Limited Liability Company Act for the purpose of engaging in the practice of medicine.

**ARTICLE I
NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of this Corporation shall be:

The Heart and Vascular Center of Venice, P.A.

**ARTICLE II
PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS**

The principal office and the mailing address of this Corporation is 1287 US Highway 41 Bypass South, Venice, Florida, 43292.

**ARTICLE III
AUTHORIZED SHARES**

The total authorized capital stock of this Corporation shall consist of 10,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share.

**ARTICLE IV
ADDRESS OF REGISTERED OFFICE IN THIS STATE**

The street address of the initial registered office of this Corporation in the State of Florida is 1287 US Highway 41 Bypass South, Venice, Florida, 34292, and the initial registered agent of this Corporation at that address shall be Michael A. Basnight, M.D.

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ARTICLE V
INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation is:

Michael A. Basnight, M.D.
1287 US Highway 41 Bypass South
Venice, Florida 34292

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my hand and seal this 10th day
of April, 2001.



Michael A. Basnight, M.D., Incorporator

THE UNDERSIGNED, named as the registered agent in Article IV of these Articles of Incorporation, hereby accepts the appointment as such registered agent, and acknowledges that he is familiar with, and accepts the obligations imposed upon registered agents under the Florida Business Corporation Act, including specifically Section 607.0505.



Michael A. Basnight, M.D.,
Registered Agent

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