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August 26, 2005

Department of State Division of Corporations Corporate Filings P.O. Box 6377 Tallahassee, FL 32314

RE:

Articles of Incorporation - Peter N. Macaluso

Dear Corporate Filings:

Enclosed please find original Articles of Incorporation of Peter N. Macaluso, P.A., along with a check in the amount of \$78.75 for filing fee, Registered Agent Designation and Certified Copy. Thank you for your assistance in this matter,

Very truly yours,

Elaine Macaluso Legal Assistant to

Peter N. Macaluso

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## ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

**OF** 

# PETER N. MACALUSO, P.A.

The undersigned incorporator hereby executes and acknowledges these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a professional service corporation for profit in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

# **ARTICLE I**

# Name

The name of this corporation shall be:

Peter N. Macaluso, P.A.

#### ARTICLE II

# Principal Office

The principal office and mailing address of this professional service corporation shall be located at 3302 N. Tampa Street, Tampa, FL 33603. This professional service corporation shall have the right to change such principal office from time to time, as provided by law.

#### **ARTICLE III**

# **Business and Purposes**

The general purpose for which this professional service corporation is organized is the transaction of any and all lawful business for which professional service corporations may be incorporated under the Professional Service Corporation and Limited Liability Company Act of the State of Florida, Florida Statues Title XXXVI, Chapter 621, and any amendments thereto, and in connection therewith, this corporation shall have and may exercise any and all powers conferred from time to time by laws upon corporations formed under such Act.

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#### **ARTICLE IV**

# Capital Stock

The aggregate number of shares of capital stock authorized to be issued by this corporation shall be 20,000 shares of common stock with a par value of \$1.00 per share. Each share of said stock shall entitle the holder thereof to one vote at every annual or special meeting of the stockholders of this professional service corporation. The consideration for the issuance of said shares of capital stock may be paid, in whole or in part, in cash, in other property (tangible or intangible) or in labor or services actually performed for this professional service corporation, at a fair valuation to be fixed by the Board of Directors. When issued, all shares of stock shall be fully paid and nonassessable.

In the election of directors of this professional service corporation, there shall be no cumulative voting of the stock entitled to vote at such election.

# **ARTICLE V**

# **Existence of Corporation**

This corporation shall have perpetual existence.

#### ARTICLE VI

# Registered Office and Registered Agent

The initial registered office of this professional service corporation shall be located at 3302 N. Tampa Street, Tampa, FL 33603 and the initial registered agent of this professional service corporation at such office shall be Peter N. Macaluso. This professional service corporation shall have the right to change such registered office and such registered agent from time to time, as provided by law.

#### **ARTICLE VII**

## Board of Directors

The Board of Directors of this professional service corporation shall consist of not less than one (1) nor more than seven (7) members, the exact number of directors to be fixed from time to time by the stockholders or the bylaws. The business and affairs of this professional service corporation shall be managed by the Board of Directors, which may exercise all such powers of this professional service corporation and do all such lawful acts and things as are not by law

directed or required to be exercised or done only by the stockholders. A quorum for the transaction of business at meetings of the directors shall be a majority of the number of directors shall be a majority of the number of directors determined from time to time to comprise the Board of Directors, and the act of a majority of the directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the directors. Subject to the bylaws of this corporation, meetings of the directors may be held within or without the State of Florida. Directors need not be stockholders. The stockholders of this professional service corporation may remove any director from office at any time with or without cause.

#### **ARTICLE VIII**

# **Initial Board of Directors**

The initial Board of Directors shall consist of one (1) member, such member to hold office until his successor has been duly elected and qualifies. The name and street address of the initial director is:

Name Address

Peter N. Macaluso 3302 N. Tampa Street Tampa, Florida, 33604

#### **ARTICLE IX**

# Incorporator

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

<u>Name</u> <u>Address</u>

Peter N. Macaluso 3302 N. Tampa Street Tampa, Florida, 33604

## **ARTICLE X**

## **Bylaws**

The power to adopt the bylaws of this corporation to alter, amend or repeal the by laws, or to adopt new bylaws, shall be vested in the Board of Directors of this professional service corporation: provided, however, that any bylaw or amendment thereto as adopted by the Board of Directors may be altered, amended or repealed by vote of the stockholders entitled to vote thereon, or a new bylaw in lieu thereof may be adopted by vote of the stockholders. No bylaw which has been altered, amended or adopted by such a vote of the stockholders, may be altered, amended or repealed by the vote of the directors until two years shall have expired since such section by vote of such stockholders.

The bylaws of this professional service corporation shall be for the government of this professional service corporation and may contain any provisions or requirements for the management or conduct of the affairs and business of this corporation, provided the same are not inconsistent with the provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, or contrary to the laws of the state of Florida or of the United States.

#### **ARTICLE XI**

# Amendment of Articles of Incorporation

This professional service corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute, and all rights conferred upon the stockholders herein are subject to this reservation.

#### **ARTICLE XII**

# Effective Date

This corporation shall be effective as of the 20 day of August 2005.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporator has executed these Articles for the uses and purposes therein stated.

Peter N. Macakuso

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# STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2005, personally appeared Peter N. Macaluso, to me well known to be the person described in and who signed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same freely and voluntarily, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal the date aforesaid.

My Commission Expires:

KARYN C. LEAHY
MY COMMISSION # DD 138362
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# PETER N. MACALUSO, P.A. ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE AS REGISTERED AGENT

Peter N. Macaluso, having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above-named corporation, at the registered office designated in the Articles of Incorporation, hereby agrees and consents to act in that capacity. The undersigned is familiar with and accepts the duties and obligations under Chapter 607, Florida Statutes.

DATED this 16 day of August, 2005.

Peter N. Macaluso

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