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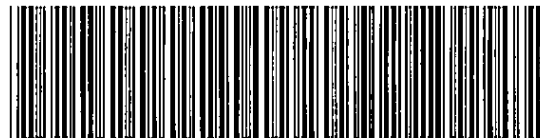
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Department of State  
Division of Corporations  
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SUBJECT: PracticeProtection Casualty Company f/k/a Doctors Direct Insurance, Inc.

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Domestication and a check:

FEES:

Certificate of Domestication	\$ 50.00
Articles of Incorporation and Certified Copy	\$ 78.75
Total filing fee	\$128.75

OPTIONAL:

Certificate of Status	\$ 8.75
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From: William S. Bliss

Name (printed or typed)

13241 Bartram Park Blvd, Suite 113

Address

Jacksonville, FL 32258

City, State & Zip

888-217-2779

Daytime Telephone Number

sbliss@practiceprotection.com

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

Articles of Domestication  
Foreign Corporation Domesticating to Florida

The undersigned, William S. Bliss Vice President, General Counsel, and Secretary  
(Name) (Title)

of Doctors Direct Insurance, Inc., a foreign  
corporation, in accordance with s. 607.11922, Florida Statutes, submit these Articles of  
Domestication.

1. Then name of the domesticating corporation is Doctors Direct Insurance, Inc.  
(Foreign Corporation)

2. The jurisdiction and date of its formation is July 25, 2006

3. The name of the domesticated corporation is PracticeProtection Casualty Company

4. The jurisdiction of formation of the domesticated corporation is **Florida**

5. The domestication corporation is a foreign corporation and the domestication was  
approved in accordance with its organic law.

6. Attached are Florida Articles of Incorporation to complete the domestication  
requirements pursuant to s.607.0202, F.S.

I certify I am authorized to sign these Articles of Domestication on behalf of the corporation

  
(Authorized Signature)

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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**  
**OF**  
**PRACTICEPROTECTION CASUALTY COMPANY**

**APPROVED**  
DEC 3 2024  
Office of Insurance Regulation  
by: Alex Ciupala

The undersigned incorporators to these Articles of Incorporation, natural persons over the age of eighteen years, competent to contract and citizens of the United States of America, hereby form a stock insurer corporation under the laws of the State of Florida.

**ARTICLE I.**

**NAME OF CORPORATION**

The name of the Corporation is PRACTICEPROTECTION CASUALTY COMPANY

**ARTICE II.**

**PRINCIPAL OFFICE**

The initial principal place of business and mailing address of this corporation shall be 13241 Bartram Park Blvd, Suite 113, Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida 32258.

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**ARTICE III.**

**NATURE OF BUSINESS**

The purpose of the corporation is to transact property and casualty insurance as authorized under the laws of the State of Florida, as they now exist or may hereafter be amended, as well as all lawful business incidental thereto.

**ARTICLE IV.**

**CAPITAL STOCK**

The maximum number of shares of stock that this corporation is authorized to issue is 200,000 shares of common stock, having a par value of \$18 per share. The common shares shall have unlimited voting rights, with each share being entitled to one vote, and the right to receive

the net assets of the corporation upon dissolution, with each share participating on a pro rata basis. The corporation's capital and surplus shall not be less than the amount required under Florida law.

## **ARTICLE V.**

### **MANAGEMENT**

The business and affairs of the corporation shall be managed and conducted in accordance with the Bylaws of the corporation.

## **ARTICLE VI.**

### **DIRECTORS**

The corporation shall never have fewer than five directors, the majority of whom shall be United States citizens, and all of whom are over the age of eighteen. In all elections for directors, every shareholder shall have the right to vote, in person or by proxy, the number of shares owned by him or her, for as many persons as there are directors to be elected, or to cumulate said shares, and give one candidate as many votes as the number of directors multiplied by the number of his shares shall equal, or to distribute them on the same principle among as many candidates as he or she shall see fit.

## **ARTICLE VII.**

### **AUTHORITY OF DIRECTORS**

The Directors of the corporation shall have the power to cause the corporation from time to time, and at any time, to purchase, hold, sell, transfer, or otherwise deal with (A) shares of any class or series issued by it, (B) any security or other obligation of the corporation which may confer upon the holder thereof the right to convert the same into shares of any class or series authorized by the Articles of the corporation, and (C) any security or other obligation which may confer upon the holder thereof the right to purchase shares of any class or series authorized by the Articles of the corporation. The corporation shall have the right to repurchase, if and when any shareholder desires to sell, or on the happening of any event is required to sell, shares of any class or series issued by the corporation. The authority granted in this Article VII of these Articles shall not limit the plenary authority of the Directors to purchase, hold, sell, transfer, or otherwise deal with shares of any class or series, securities, or other obligations issued by the corporation or authorized by its Articles. In furtherance and not in limitation of the powers conferred by statute, the Board of Directors is expressly authorized to make, adopt, repeal, alter, amend, and rescind the Bylaws of the Corporation by a resolution adopted by the majority of the Directors. Directors may be removed with or without cause.

## **ARTICLE VIII.**

### **INDEMNIFICATION**

This corporation shall indemnify, pursuant to Chapter 607.0850, et seq., Florida Statutes, and to the fullest extent of the law, every incorporator, director, officer, employee, and agent of the corporation against all losses, expenses, and liabilities, including, without limitation, attorneys fees, reasonably incurred by or imposed on him or her, in connection with any threatened, pending, or completed action or proceeding to which he or she may be a party, or in which he or she may become involved, by reason of being or having been an incorporator, director, officer, employee, or agent of the corporation, or in connection with any settlement thereof, regardless of whether he or she is an incorporator, director, officer, employee, or agent of the corporation at the time such expenses were or are incurred.

## **ARTICLE IX.**

### **TERM OF EXISTENCE**

The corporation shall have a perpetual existence.

## **ARTICLE X.**

### **BYLAWS**

In furtherance and not in limitation of the powers conferred by statute, the Board of Directors is expressly authorized to make, adopt, repeal, alter, amend, and rescind the bylaws of the corporation by a resolution adopted in accordance with the requirements of the bylaws.

## **ARTICLE XI.**

### **INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

The initial registered office of this corporation shall be 13241 Bartram Park Blvd, Suite 113, Jacksonville, FL 32258, and the initial registered agent of this Corporation at such office shall be William S. Bliss, who, upon accepting this designation, agrees to comply with the provisions of Section 48.091, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time, with respect to keeping an office open to receive process on behalf of the Corporation from the Chief Financial Officer of the State of Florida.

## ARTICLE XII.

### INCORPORATORS

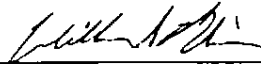
The names and residence street addresses of the incorporators, all of whom are over the age of eighteen and United States citizens, are:

1.	William S. Bliss 1717 Woodmere Drive Jacksonville, FL 32210
2.	Cory E. Brown 4892 Broadleaf Drive Pace, FL 32571
3.	David W. Dumas 1418 Old Lantern Trail Fort Wayne, IN 46845
4.	Eric J. Stetzel 3202 Sterling Ridge Cove Fort Wayne, IN 46825
5.	Michael J. Wallace 708 E. Dorchester Drive St. Johns, FL 32259

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators hereby certify that they are at least eighteen years of age and citizens of the United States of America, and have executed, signed, and acknowledged these Articles of Incorporation as of this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2024.

  
William S. Bliss  
Incorporator


Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21 day of November, 2024, by William S. Bliss, who is ☒ personally known to me or        who produced        as identification.

  
Notary Public

State of Florida  
County of Duval



Ned Reynolds, Jr.  
Notary Public  
State of Florida  
Comm# HH155909  
Expires 7/20/2025

  
Cory E. Brown  
Incorporator


Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21 day of November, 2024, by Cory E. Brown, who is ☒ personally known to me or        who produced        as identification.

  
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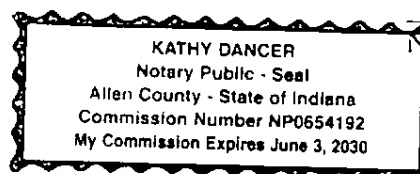
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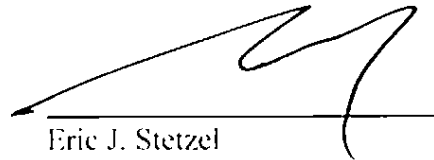
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Nov, 2024, by DAVID DUMAS, who is ☒ personally known to me or        who produced        as identification.

  
Notary Public

State of IN  
County of ALLEN





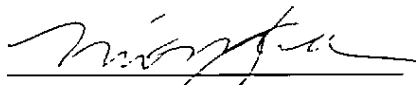
  
Eric J. Stetzel  
Incorporator

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21<sup>ST</sup> day of NOV, 2024, by  
ERIC STETZEL, who is ✓ personally known to me or \_\_\_\_\_ who produced  
\_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

State of IN  
County of ALLEN



  
Kathy Dancer  
Notary Public

  
Michael J. Wallace  
Incorporator

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21 day of November, 2024, by  
Michael J. Wallace, who is ✓ personally known to me or \_\_\_\_\_ who produced  
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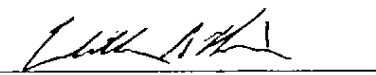
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### ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named to accept service of process from the Chief Financial Officer of the State of Florida for PracticeProtection Casualty Company at the place designated in the Articles of Incorporation, William S. Bliss agrees to act in this capacity and agrees to comply with the provisions of 48.091, Florida Statutes, relative to keeping open such office.

  
Date: 11/21/24