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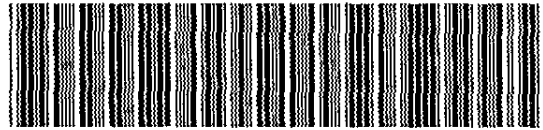
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## ARTICLES OF MERGER

The following Articles of Merger are submitted in accordance with the Florida Business Corporation Act, pursuant to Chapter 607 and Section 607.1105, F.S.

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**First:** The name of the Surviving Corporation is Grifols USA, Inc., a Florida Corporation.

**Second:** The name of the Merging Corporations are Grifols America, Inc., a Florida Corporation, document number L64503 and Grifols-Quest, Inc., a Florida Corporation, document number P98000087481.

**Third:** The Plan of Merger is attached.

**Forth:** The merger shall become effective on the date the Plan of Merger is filed with the Florida Department of State.

**Fifth:** The Plan of Merger was adopted by the Shareholders and the Board of Directors of the Surviving Corporation on June 14th, 2004.

**Sixth:** The Plan of Merger was adopted by the Shareholders and Board of Directors of the Merging Corporations on June 14th, 2004.

**Seventh:** SIGNATURES FOR EACH CORPORATION

GRIFOLS USA, INC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Gregory G. Rich  
President

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

Cheryl Lawrence, Secretary

Corporate Seal

GRIFOLS AMERICA, INC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Gregory G. Rich  
President

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

Marta Anido, Secretary

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GRIFOLS-QUEST, INC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

John Medders  
President

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PLAN OF MERGER**  
**of**  
**GRIFOLS USA, INC., GRIFOLS AMERICA, INC. AND**  
**GRIFOLS-QUEST, INC.**

The following Plan of Merger, which was adopted and approved by each party to the merger in accordance with Chapter 607 and Section 607.1101, Florida Statutes, is hereby submitted.

This **PLAN OF MERGER** made and entered into this 15th day of June, 2004, by and between Grifols USA, Inc. (hereinafter "Grifols USA" or "Surviving Corporation"), a Florida Corporation, and its directors, and Grifols America, Inc. (hereinafter "Grifols America"), a Florida Corporation, and its directors and Grifols-Quest, Inc. (hereinafter "Grifols-Quest"), a Florida corporation, and its directors.

**Whereas** Grifols USA, Grifols America, and Grifols-Quest, (hereinafter "Constituent Corporations") desire to merge pursuant to the applicable statutes of the State of Florida, and in accordance with the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, and

**Whereas** the Merger has been unanimously approved of by the Shareholders and the Boards of Directors for Grifols USA, Grifols America, and Grifols-Quest, on June 14th 2004, and

**Whereas** Grifols USA is duly organized and existing under the General Corporation Law of the State of Florida, having been incorporated on the 2nd of August, 1995, under the name Pexaco International Corp., with subsequent Amendment to Articles of Incorporation changing its name to Grifols USA, Inc., on the 28th day of July, 2000, and

**Whereas** Grifols America is duly organized and existing under the General Corporation Laws of the State of Florida, having been incorporated on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1990, under the name Pexaco International Corp., with subsequent Articles of Amendment changing its name to Grupo Grifols de America, Inc., on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1995 with subsequent Articles of Amendment changing its name to Grifols America, Inc. on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1998, and

**Whereas** Grifols-Quest is duly organized and existing under the General Corporation Laws of the State of Florida, having been incorporated on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1998.

**Whereas** Grifols USA has an authorized capital stock consisting of 30,000 shares of Common Stock with a par value of \$25.00 per share, of which 20,000 Common Shares are now issued and outstanding, and

**Whereas** Grifols America has an authorized capital stock consisting of 7,000 shares of Common Stock with a par value of \$1.00 each, of which 2,000 Common Shares are now issued and outstanding.

**Whereas** Grifols-Quest has an authorized capital stock consisting of 100 shares of Common Stock with a par value of \$5.00 per share, of which 100 Common Shares are now issued and outstanding.

Now, therefore, the Constituent Corporations do hereby agree with each other that Grifols America and Grifols-Quest be merged into the Surviving Corporation, pursuant to the applicable statutes of the State of Florida, subject to the following terms and conditions:

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1. **Surviving Corporation.** The Surviving Corporation shall be named Grifols USA, Inc.

2. **Certificate of incorporation of surviving corporation.** The Articles of Incorporation together with all Amendments thereto of the Surviving Corporation, upon the effective date of this merger, shall be the Articles of Incorporation of Grifols USA, Inc.

3. **Bylaws of surviving corporation.** The Bylaws of Grifols USA, Inc. in force on the effective date of the merger shall be the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation until altered, amended, or repealed.

4. **Conversion of shares of the constituent corporations.** The manner of converting shares of the Constituent Corporations into shares of the Surviving Corporation shall be as follows:

- a. Each share of Common Stock of the par value of \$25.00 per share of Grifols USA issued and outstanding on the effective date of the merger shall continue to be one share of Common Stock of the par value of \$25.00 per share of the Surviving Corporation, and
- b. Each share of Common Stock of the par value of \$1.00 of Grifols America outstanding on the effective date of the merger shall be changed and converted into 2.15 shares of Common Stock, of the par value of \$25.00 per share, of the Surviving Corporation for a total of 4,300 shares, which shares of Common Stock of the Surviving Corporation shall thereupon be issued and outstanding.
- c. Each share of Common Stock of the par value of \$5.00 of Grifols-Quest outstanding on the effective date of the merger shall be changed and converted into 57 shares of Common Stock, of the par value of \$25.00 per share, of the Surviving Corporation for a total of 5,700 shares, which shares of Common Stock of the Surviving Corporation shall thereupon be issued and outstanding.

After the merger becomes effective, each holder of a Grifols America and Grifols-Quest certificate(s) may surrender the same to the Surviving Corporation or an agent appointed by it. Upon such surrender, each holder will be entitled to receive in exchange a certificate(s) representing the number of full shares of Common Stock of the Surviving Corporation into which the Common Shares of Grifols America and Grifols-Quest therefore represented by the certificate or certificates so surrendered shall have been changed and converted. Until so surrendered, each outstanding Grifols America and Grifols-Quest certificate shall be deemed, for all corporate purposes other than payment of dividends, to evidence ownership of the number of full shares of Common Stock of the Surviving Corporation into which the same shall have been so changed and converted. After the effective date of the merger, no dividends shall be payable to the holders of Grifols America and Grifols-Quest certificates until such certificate(s) shall be surrendered. Upon said surrender, there shall be paid to the holder the amount of such dividends which become payable with respect to such full shares of the Common Stock of the Surviving Corporation.

5. **Directors and officers.** The Board of Directors of the Surviving Corporation shall consist of the persons who are directors of the Grifols USA when the merger becomes effective and such directors shall serve until successors are duly elected and qualified.

The persons who are officers of Grifols USA when the merger becomes effective shall continue as such officers of the Surviving Corporation until the Board of Directors shall otherwise determine. Other persons may be elected or appointed to other offices from time to time according to the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation.

6. **Capital stock.** On the effective date of the merger, the capital of the Surviving Corporation shall be an amount equal to the aggregate par value of all of the issued shares of capital stock of the Surviving Corporation, after giving effect to the terms and provisions of this Plan of Merger.

7. **Prohibited actions.** Prior to the effective date of the merger, none of the Constituent Corporations will engage in any activity or transaction other than in the ordinary course of business without first obtaining the approval of the other; and none of them will issue any rights to subscribe to, or to convert any obligation into, any shares of its capital stock, or issue or sell any shares of its capital stock otherwise than upon exercise of a right of purchase or conversion outstanding at the time of execution of this Plan of Merger.

8. **Effect of merger.** The merger shall become effective on the date of the Agreement of Merger is filed with the Florida Department of State. When the merger becomes effective, all the rights, privileges, powers, and franchises and all property and assets of every kind and description of Grifols America and Grifols-Quest shall be vested in and be held and enjoyed by the Surviving Corporation, without further act or deed; and all the estates and interests of every kind of the Constituent Corporations, including all debts due to either of them on whatever account, shall be as effectually the property of the Surviving Corporation as they were of the respective Constituent Corporations; and the title to any real estate vested by deed or otherwise in either of the Constituent Corporations shall not revert or be in any way impaired by reason of this merger; and all rights of creditors and all liens upon any property of either of the Constituent Corporations shall be preserved unimpaired; and all debts, liabilities, and duties of the respective Constituent Corporations shall thenceforth attach to the Surviving Corporation and may be enforced against it to the same extent as if such debts, liabilities, and duties had been incurred or contracted by it.

To the extent permitted by law, from time to time, as and when requested by the Surviving Corporation or by its successors or assigns, Grifols America and Grifols-Quest shall execute and deliver, or cause to be executed and delivered, all such deeds and instruments, and to take, or cause to be taken, such further or other action as the Surviving Corporation may deem necessary or desirable in order to vest in and conform to the Surviving Corporation title to, and possession of, any property of Grifols America and Grifols-Quest acquired or to be acquired by reason of or as a result of the merger herein provided for, and otherwise to carry out the intent and purposes hereof; and the proper officers and directors of Grifols America and Grifols-Quest and the proper officers and directors of the Surviving Corporation are fully authorized, in the name of Grifols America and Grifols-Quest or otherwise, to take any and all such action.

9. **Abandonment of merger.** Anything herein or elsewhere to the contrary notwithstanding, this Plan of Merger may be terminated and abandoned before it becomes effective by the Board of Directors of the Constituent Corporation.

In the event of termination and abandonment of this Plan of Merger by the Board of Directors of the Constituent Corporations, or their Boards, notice shall be given to the other Constituent Corporations, and thereupon this Plan of Merger shall become wholly void and of no effect and there shall be no liability on the part of the Constituent Corporations or their respective Boards of Directors or Shareholders.

10. **Right to amend Plan of merger.** Anything herein or elsewhere to the contrary notwithstanding this Plan of Merger may be amended at anytime prior to the time the Plan becomes effective provided that the amendment shall not:

- a. Alter or change the amount or kind of shares, securities, cash, property and/or rights to be received in exchange for or on conversion of all or any of the shares of any class or series thereof of the Constituent Corporations;
- b. Alter or change any term of the Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation to be effected by the merger or consolidation, or
- c. Alter or change any of the terms and conditions of the plan if such alteration or change would adversely affect the holders of any class or series thereof of the Constituent Corporations.

In the event the Plan of merger is amended by the Boards of the Constituent Corporations, an Amended Articles of Merger shall be filed with the Department of State.

11. **Right to amend certificate of incorporation.** The Surviving Corporation hereby reserves the right to amend, alter, change, or repeal its Articles of Incorporation in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by statute; and all rights or powers conferred herein and in such Articles of Incorporation on shareholders, directors, and officers are subject to this reservation.

12. **Effective date.** The Plan of Merger shall be filed and recorded in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. The merger shall become effective upon the recording of a copy of this Agreement, certified by the Department of State of Florida, and the date of such recording is hereinafter the effective date of the merger. The Constituent Corporations shall do all such other acts and things as shall be necessary or desirable in order to effectuate the merger.

In witness whereof Grifols USA, Grifols America and Grifols-Quest have caused their respective corporate seals to be hereunto affixed to this Plan of Merger and signed by their respective Presidents as of the day and year first hereinabove written.

GRIFOLS USA, INC.

By: 


Gregory G. Rich  
President

Corporate Seal

Attest: 

Cheryl Lawrence, Secretary

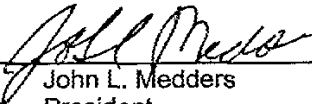
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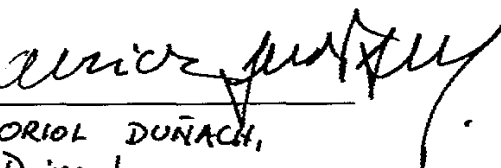
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