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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
TAMPA BAY PAIN & ANESTHESIA CONSORTIUM, INC.

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ARTICLE I.

NAME

The name of this corporation is Tampa Bay Pain & Anesthesia Consortium, Inc.

EFFECTIVE DATE
10-22-97

ARTICLE II.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The principal office of this corporation and the mailing address of this corporation is 5779 49th Street, North, St. Petersburg, FL 33709.

ARTICLE III.

DURATION; EFFECTIVE DATE

This corporation shall exist perpetually, commencing as of October 22, 1997.

ARTICLE IV.

PURPOSES

This corporation may engage in any activity or business permitted under the laws of the United States of America and of this State.

ARTICLE V.

CAPITAL STOCK

This corporation is authorized to issue Ten Thousand (10,000) shares of One Dollar (\$1.00) par value common stock.

ARTICLE VI.

REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT

The name of the initial Registered Agent of this corporation and the street address of the initial Registered Office are Thomas B. Smith, 150 Second Street North, Suite 1100, St. Petersburg, FL 33701. The Registered Agent, by his execution of these Articles of Incorporation as incorporator, accepts the appointment as registered agent and agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative thereto, including the obligations of § 607.0501, Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VII.

INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have two (2) directors initially. The number of directors may be either increased or decreased from time to time as provided in the Bylaws, but shall never be less than one (1). The names and addresses of the initial directors of this corporation are Thomas M. Root, 540 Carillon Parkway, #2086, St.

Petersburg, FL 33710, and Susanti K. Chowdhury, 1770 McKay Creek Drive, Largo, FL 33770.

ARTICLE VIII.

INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the person signing these Articles of Incorporation are Thomas B. Smith, 150 Second Avenue N., 17th Floor, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701.

ARTICLE IX.

AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation, or any amendment hereto, and any right conferred upon the shareholders is subject to this reservation.

ARTICLE X.

BYLAWS

The initial Bylaws shall be adopted by the Board of Directors. The power to alter, amend, or repeal the Bylaws or adopt new Bylaws is vested in the Board of Directors, subject to repeal or change by action of the shareholders.

ARTICLE XI.

INFORMAL SHAREHOLDER ACTION

The holders of not less than a majority of the issued and outstanding shares of the voting stock of the corporation may act by written agreement without a meeting, as provided in Florida Statutes 607.0704 and the Bylaws.

ARTICLE XII.

PREEMPTIVE RIGHTS

Each shareholder of this corporation shall have the first right to purchase shares (and securities convertible into shares) of any class, kind or series of stock in this corporation that may from time to time be issued (whether or not presently authorized), in the ratio that the number of shares he holds at the time of issue bears to the total number of shares outstanding. This right is granted with respect to all shares of stock of the corporation, including:

A. Shares issued as compensation to directors, officers, agents, or employees of the corporation or its subsidiaries or affiliates;

B. Shares issued to satisfy conversion or option rights created to provide compensation to directors, officers, agents, or employees of the corporation or its subsidiaries or affiliates;

C. Shares authorized in these Articles of Incorporation that are issued within six (6) months from the effective date of incorporation;

D. Shares sold otherwise than for money.

This right shall be deemed waived by any shareholder who does not exercise it and pay for the shares preempted within thirty (30) days of receipt of a notice in writing from the corporation stating the price, terms and conditions of the issue of shares and inviting him to exercise his preemptive rights. This right may also be waived by affirmative written waiver submitted by the shareholder to the corporation within thirty (30) days of receipt of notice from the corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned executes these Articles of Incorporation this 22nd day of October, 1997.



Thomas B. Smith

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INCORPORATOR

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