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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

CARDIAC ASSOCIATES OF SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC.

The undersigned incorporator does hereby make, subscribe, file and acknowledge these

Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of organizing a corporation under the Florida Business

Corporation Act.

ARTICLE I

NAME OF CORPORATION

The name of this Corporation shall be:

Cardiac Associates of Southwest Florida, Inc.

ARTICLE II

PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND MAILING ADDRESS

The principal office and the mailing address of this Corporation is 1540 Tamiami Trail

South, Sarasota, Florida 34239.

ARTICLE III

AUTHORIZED SHARES

The total authorized capital stock of this Corporation shall consist of 1,000 shares of

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share.

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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 CT Corporation System, 1200 South Pine Island Road, Plantation, Florida 33324 and the initial

registered agent of this Corporation at that address shall be Peter F. Souza.

ARTICLE V

INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the persons signing these Articles of Incorporation

Stephen H. Siegel, Esq. 701 Brickell Avenue, Suite 1900 Miami, Florida 33131

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto subscribed our hands and seals this ____ day of February, 1998.

Stephen H. Siegel, Esq. 1 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.

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CT Corporation System Registered Agent

> BARARA A. BURKE SPECIAL AMOUTANT BECRETARY

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