Jacquelyn R. Campbell, C.P.A., P.A.

Certified Public Accountant

April 10, 1998

Department of State Corporate Records Division P. O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

Gentlemen:

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Enclosed are Articles of Incorporation for:

Prentice Surgical Assistant Services, PA-C P.A. 10270 Bernarda Court Spring Hill, FL 34608

EFFECTIVE DATE

Also enclosed is a check for \$122.50, payable to the Division of Corporations, in payment of filing fees, a certified copy and designation of a registered agent.

Respectfully,

Jacquelyn R. Campbell

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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Sandra B. Mortham Secretary of State

April 16, 1998

JACQUELYN R. CAMPBELL, C.P.A., P.A. 7211 HIAWATHA PARKWAY SPRING HILL, FL 34606

SUBJECT: PRENTICE SURGICAL ASSISTANT SERVICES, PA-C P.A.

Ref. Number: W98000008516

We have received your document for PRENTICE SURGICAL ASSISTANT SERVICES, PA-C P.A. and your check(s) totaling \$122.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The specific nature of business of the professional association must be stated in the document.

Please return the original and one copy of your document, along with a copy of this letter, within 60 days or your filing will be considered abandoned.

If you have any questions concerning the filing of your document, please call (850) 487-6929.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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PRENTICE SURGICAL ASSISTANT SERVICES, PA-C P.A.

I, the undersigned, hereby organize for the purpose of becoming a Corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, by and under the provisions of the Statutes of the said State of Florida, providing for the formation, rights, privileges, immunities and liabilities of the corporations for profit.

ARTICLE I - NAME AND PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS

The name of the corporation shall be:

PRENTICE SURGICAL ASSISTANT SERVICES, PA-C P.A.

The principal place of business of this corporation shall be:

effective date

10270 BERNARDA COURT SPRING HILL, FL 34608

ARTICLE II - PERIOD OF DURATION

The period of duration of this corporation is perpetual, commencing on the date of execution and acknowledgment of these article or the earliest date allowable by the division of corporations, unless dissolved according to law.

<u> ARTICLE III - PURPOSE</u>

The purpose for which this corporation is organized is to engage in any activity or business under the laws of the United States and the State of Florida's General Corporation Act as a Surgical Assistant.

<u> ARTICLE IV - CAPITAL STOCK</u>

The corporation shall have the authority to issue 7000 shares of \$1.00 par value common stock. Stock shall be issued under the terms, provisions and conditions of Section 1244 of the Internal Revenue Code.

<u> ARTICLE V - REGISTERED AGENT</u>

The name and address of the initial registered agent of this corporation is:

DANIEL PRENTICE 10270 BERNARDA COURT SPRING HILL, FL 34608

ARTICLE VI - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

This corporation shall have **ONE** director, initially, and the number of directors may be increased or decreased by amendment of the by laws of the corporation but shall in no case be less than one.

The name and street address of the member(s) of the initial board of directors is as follows:

DANIEL PRENTICE 10270 BERNARDA COURT SPRING HILL, FL 34608

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

The name and street address of the member(s) of the initial subscribers signing these articles are as follows:

DANIEL PRENTICE 10270 BERNARDA COURT SPRING HILL, FL 34608

<u> ARTICLE VIII - INCORPORATORS</u>

The power to adopt, alter, amend, or repeal by laws shall be vested in the Board of Directors and the Shareholders.

A special meeting of the shareholders shall be held, upon the call of the President, for the purpose of completing the organization of the corporation and the adoption of the bylaws.

ARTICLE IX - INCORPORATORS

Shares of capital stock of this corporation shall be issued initially to the following person(s) in the amount(s) set opposite of their names:

DANIEL PRENTICE

100 SHARES

ARTICLE X - AMENDMENT

This corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these articles of incorporation, or any amendment hereto.

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DANIEL PRENTICE

State of Florida County of HERNANDO

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared **DANIEL PRENTICE** being duly sworn, says that he is the individual described in and who subscribed the above Articles of Incorporation, and he did freely and voluntarily acknowledge before me according to law that he made and subscribed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this day of ______, 1998.

JACQUELYN R. CAMPBELL
MY COMMISSION # CC 722986
EXPIRES: March 8, 2002
1-800-3-NOTARY Fla. Notary Service & Bonding Co.

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered agent/registered office, in the State of Florida:

PRENTICE SURGICAL ASSISTANT SERVICES, PA-C P.A.

The name and address of the registered agent and office is:

DANIEL PRENTICE 10270 BERNARDA COURT SPRING HILL, FL 34608

Acknowledgment:

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligation of my position as registered agent.

DANIEL PRENTICE

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