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- 3. The merger of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka, Inc. with and into USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation is permitted under the laws of Delaware, the jurisdiction of incorporation of USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation, and has been authorized in compliance with said laws. The sole shareholder of USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation approved and adopted the merger and the Plan on October 9, 1998.

Executed on October 9, 1998

FLORIDA CANCER CENTER-PALATKA, INC.

SHYAM B. PARYANI, PRESIDENT

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PLAN OF MERGER

This Plan of Merger (this "Agreement") is entered into by and between Florida Cancer Center-Palatka, Inc., a Florida corporation ("Florida Cancer Center-Palatka"), and USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("USCC-Subsidiary")

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Florida Cancer Center-Palatka is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, Florida Cancer Center-Palatka, is authorized to issue Seven Thousand Five Hundred (7,500) shares of voting common stock, \$1.00 par value ("Florida Cancer Center-Palatka Common Stock"), of which Two Hundred Forty-Six and 2/10 (246.2) shares of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka Common Stock are issued and outstanding; and

WHEREAS, USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation is a corporation duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the State of Delaware; and

WHEREAS, USCC-Subsidiary is authorized to issue One Thousand (1,000) shares of voting common stock, par value \$0.01 (the "USCC Common Stock"), of which One Hundred (100) shares of USCC Common Stock are issued and outstanding; and

WHEREAS, U. S. Cancer Care, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("U. S. Cancer Care") owns all the authorized and outstanding stock of USCC-Subsidiary. U. S. Cancer Care is authorized to issue Twenty-Five Million (25,000,000) shares of which Twenty Million (20,000,000) shares are voting common stock and Five Million (5,000,000) shares are preferred stock. Three million nine hundred seventy-five thousand (3,975,000) of U. S. Cancer Care's common stock is outstanding.

WHEREAS, the respective Boards of Directors and Shareholders of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka and USCC-Subsidiary docm it advisable, for the benefit of their respective corporations and shareholders, that Florida Cancer Center-Palatka be merged into USCC-Subsidiary, with USCC-Subsidiary as the surviving corporation (in its capacity as surviving corporation, USCC-Subsidiary is hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Surviving Corporation"), pursuant to the provisions of the Florida Business Corporation Act (the "Florida Act") and have approved this Agreement pursuant to written consents in lieu of a meeting dated October 9, 1998; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the mutual covenants contained herein and for the purpose of prescribing the terms and conditions of the merger and such other details and provisions as are deemed necessary or desirable, the parties hereto agree as follows:

 Merger. The names of the corporations which propose to merge arc Florida Cancer Center-Palatka, Inc. ("Florida Cancer Center-Palatka") and USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation ("USCC-Subsidiary"). In accordance with the provisions of the Florida Act, at the Effective Date (as hereinafter defined), Florida Cancer Center-Palatka shall be merged into USCC-Subsidiary and

USCC-Subsidiary shall be the Surviving Corporation and as such shall thereafter be governed by the laws of the State of Delaware.

- 2. Continuation of Corporate Existence. Except as may otherwise be set forth herein, the corporate existence and identity of USCC-Subsidiary, with all its purposes, powers, franchises, privileges, rights and immunities, shall continue unaffected and unimpaired by the merger and the corporate existence and identity of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka with all its purposes, powers, franchises, privileges, rights and immunities, at the Effective Date shall be merged with and into that of USCC-Subsidiary and the Surviving Corporation shall be vested fully therewith and the separate corporate existence and identity of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka shall thereafter cease except to the extent continued by statute.
- 3. Effective Date. The merger shall become effective (the "Effective Date") immediately upon the filing of this Agreement and the Articles of Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Florida pursuant to the Florida Act.

4. Corporate Government.

- a. The Articles of Incorporation of USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation, as in effect on the Effective Date, shall continue in full force and effect and shall be the Articles of Incorporation of the Surviving Corporation.
- b. The Bylaws of USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation, as in effect as of the Effective Date, shall continue in full force and effect and shall be the Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation.
- c. The members of the Board of Directors and the officers of the Surviving Corporation shall be the persons holding such positions for USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation as of the Effective Date.
- 5. Conversion of Shares. The manner and basis of converting the Florida Cancer Center-Palatka Common Stock into the U.S. Cancer Care common stock shall be as follows:

- a. The shares of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka Common Stock which shall be outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Date shall at the Effective Date, by virtue of the merger and without any action on the part of the holder thereof, be surrendered, cancelled and retired, and there shall be delivered to the shareholders of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka Three Thousand Two Hundred Eight and 77/100 (3,208.77) shares of U. S. Cancer Care common stock for each share of issued and outstanding stock of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka Common Stock.
- b. The stock transfer books of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka shall be closed as of the close of business on the Effective Date and no transfer of record of any of the Florida Cancer Center-Palatka Common Stock shall take place thereafter.
- 6. Rights and Liabilities of the Surviving Corporation. The Surviving Corporation shall have the following rights and obligations:
- a. The Surviving Corporation shall have all the rights, privileges, immunities and powers and shall be subject to all the duties and liabilities of a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware.
- b. The Surviving Corporation shall possess all of the rights, privileges, immunities and franchises, of either a public or private nature, of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka and all property, real, personal and mixed and all debts due on whatever account, including subscription to shares and all other choses in action and every other interest of or belonging or due to Florida Cancer Center-Palatka shall be taken and deemed to be transferred or invested in the Surviving Corporation without further act or deed.
- c. At the Effective Date, the Surviving Corporation shall thenceforth be responsible and liable for all liabilities and obligations of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka and any claim existing or action or proceeding pending by or against Florida Cancer Center-Palatka or Florida Cancer Center-Palatka may be prosecuted as if the merger had not occurred or the Surviving Corporation may be substituted in its place. Neither the rights of creditors nor any liens upon the property of Florida Cancer Center-Palatka or USCC-Subsidiary shall be impaired by the merger.
- 7. Name of Surviving Corporation. The name of the Surviving Corporation from and after the Effective Date shall be USCC Florida Acquisition Corporation.

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