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Non-Profit Corporation
Articles of Incorporation

(Chapter 7-6-34 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is NORTH AMERICAN SOCIETY OF OBSTETRIC MEDICINE

ARTICLE II

The period of its duration is X Perpetual __

ARTICLE III

The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

THE PURPOSES OF THE SOCIETY ARE TO:
A. PROVIDE AN INTERNATIONAL FORUM FOR CLINICIANS INVOLVED IN THE CARE OF MEDICAL PROBLEMS DURING PREGNANCY TO PRESENT CLINICAL AND BASIC SCIENCE RESEARCH FOR DISCUSSION AND CRITICAL EVALUATION;
B. PROVIDE AN INTERNATIONAL FORUM FOR ACADEMIC INTERACTION BETWEEN CLINICIANS AND OTHER RELATED PROFESSIONALS IMPLICATED IN THE MEDICAL CARE OF PREGNANT WOMEN;
C. PROMOTE RESEARCH INTERESTS IN OBSTETRIC MEDICINE AND FOSTER COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS;
D. PROMOTE THE DEVELOPMENT OF GUIDELINES FOR TRAINING INTERNISTS OR OBSTETRICIANS IN MEDICAL COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY;
E. ORGANIZE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS TO FURTHER INTERNATIONAL AND REGIONAL EXPERTISE IN MEDICAL PROBLEMS IN PREGNANCY;
F. ENCOURAGE OBSTETRIC MEDICINE CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AT UNDERGRADUATE, GRADUATE AND POST-GRADUATE LEVELS; AND
G. FOSTER THE CREATION OF CRITERIA FOR THE RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL COMPETENCE IN THE AREA OF OBSTETRIC MEDICINE.

ARTICLE IV

Provisions, if any, not inconsistent with the law, which the incorporators elect to set forth in these articles of incorporation for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are:

A. SAID ORGANIZATION IS ORGANIZED EXCLUSIVELY FOR CHARITABLE, RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES, INCLUDING, FOR SUCH PURPOSES, THE MAKING OF DISTRIBUTIONS TO ORGANIZATIONS THAT QUALIFY AS EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS UNDER 501 (C) (3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.

B. NO PART OF THE NET EARNINGS OF THE CORPORATION SHALL INURE TO THE BENEFIT OF, OR BE DISTRIBUTABLE TO ITS MEMBERS, TRUSTEES, OFFICERS OR OTHER PRIVATE PERSONS, EXCEPT THAT THE CORPORATION SHALL BE AUTHORIZED AND EMPOWERED TO PAY REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED AND TO MAKE PAYMENTS AND DISTRIBUTIONS IN FURTHERANCE OF THE PURPOSES SET FORTH IN THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, AS AMENDED. NO SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CORPORATION SHALL BE THE CARRYING ON OF PROPAGANDA, OR OTHERWISE ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE LEGISLATION, AND THE CORPORATION SHALL NOT PARTICIPATE IN, OR INTERVENE IN (INCLUDING THE PUBLISHING OR DISTRIBUTION OF STATEMENTS) ANY POLITICAL CAMPAIGN ON BEHALF OF OR IN OPPOSITION TO ANY CANDIDATE FOR POLITICAL OFFICE. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THESE ARTICLES, THE CORPORATION SHALL NOT CARRY ON ANY OTHER ACTIVITIES NOT PERMITTED TO BE CARRIED ON (A) BY A CORPORATION EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAX UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE, OR (B) BY A CORPORATION, CONTRIBUTIONS TO WHICH ARE DEDUCTIBLE UNDER SECTION 170 (C)(2) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE.

C. UPON DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION, ASSETS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR ONE OR MORE EXEMPT PURPOSES WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, OR THE CORRESPONDING SECTION OF ANY FUTURE FEDERAL TAX CODE, OR SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, OR TO A STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT, FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES. ANY SUCH ASSETS NOT SO DISPOSED OF SHALL BE DISPOSED OF BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION IS THEN LOCATED, EXCLUSIVELY FOR SUCH PURPOSES OR TO SUCH ORGANIZATION OR ORGANIZATIONS, AS SAID COURT SHALL DETERMINE, WHICH ARE ORGANIZED AND OPERATED EXCLUSIVELY FOR SUCH PURPOSES

ARTICLE V

The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

No. and Street: 469 CENTERVILLE ROAD, SUITE 203
City or Town: WARWICK State: RI Zip: 02886

The name of its initial registered agent at such address is BERNARD A POIRIER, CPA

ARTICLE VI

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is 3
and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	GHADA BOURJEILY	146 WEST RIVER ST, STE 11C PROVIDENCE, RI 02904 USA
DIRECTOR	MICHAEL CARSON	1945 RT. 33 NEPTUNE, NJ 07753 USA
DIRECTOR	NADINE SAUVE	3001 12TH AVE NORD SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, FJ J1H 5N4 CAN

ARTICLE VII

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	GHADA BOURJEILY	146 WEST RIVER ST, STE 11C PROVIDENCE, RI 02904 USA
INCORPORATOR	MICHAEL CARSON	1945 RT. 33 NEPTUNE, NJ 07753 USA
INCORPORATOR	NADINE SAUVE	3001 12TH AVE NORD SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, FJ J1H 5N4 CAN

ARTICLE VIII

Date when corporate existence is to begin 10/17/2017

(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

Signed this 17 Day of October, 2017 at 5:06:45 PM by the incorporator(s). *This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the corporation, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-6.*

Enter signature(s) below.
GHADA BOURJEILY
MICHAEL CARSON
NADINE SAUVE

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Nellie M. Gorbea, *Secretary of State*

I, NELLIE M. GORBEA, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, hereby certify that this document, duly executed in accordance with the provisions of Title 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended, has been filed in this office on this day:

October 17, 2017 05:03 PM

Nellie M. Gorbea
Secretary of State