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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Scimed Life Systems, Inc.

Additional name(s) of conveying parties attached?  Yes x No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment  Merger
- Security Agreement  Change of Name
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Execution date: 12/22/2004

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: BOSTON SCIENTIFIC SCIMED, INC.

Street Address: ONE SCIMED PLACE  
MAPLE GROVE, MINNESOTA 55311-1566

4. Application numbers or patent numbers:

A. Patent Applications: 10/261,056 filed on September 30, 2002

B. Patent No.(s):

Additional Numbers attached?  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

TITLE: DEFLECTABLE INSERTITIAL ABLATION DEVICE

7. Total fee (37 C.F.R. 3.41) ..... \$ 40.00

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- Authorized to be charged to deposit account

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9. Statement and signature.

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Oleg F. Kaplun, (Reg. No. 45,559)

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**ARTICLES OF MERGER OF  
BOSTON SCIENTIFIC SCIMED, INC.  
WITH AND INTO  
SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC.**

Pursuant to Minnesota Business Corporation Act, Section 302A, the undersigned, Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc., a Minnesota corporation ("BSS"), and Scimed Life Systems, Inc., a Minnesota corporation ("Scimed Life"), hereby adopt the following Articles of Merger for the purpose of merging BSS with and into Scimed Life, with Scimed Life being the surviving corporation.

1. The Agreement and Plan of Merger between BSS and Scimed Life dated as of December 15, 2004 (the "Merger Agreement"), as required by Minnesota Business Corporation Act, Section 302A.615, subdivision 1, is attached hereto as Exhibit I.

2. The Board of Directors and sole shareholder of BSS approved the Merger Agreement in a joint written action dated as of December 15, 2004 pursuant to Minnesota Business Corporation Act, Section 302A.613.

3. The Board of Directors and all of the shareholders of Scimed Life approved the Merger Agreement in a joint written action dated as of December 15, 2004 pursuant to Minnesota Business Corporation Act, Section 302A.613.

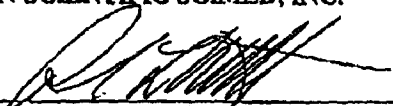
4. The name of the surviving corporation shall be Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc.

5. The merger shall be effective upon the later of 12:01 a.m. on January 1, 2005 or the filing of these Articles of Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, BSS and Scimed Life have caused these Articles of Merger to be executed by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2004.

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC SCIMED, INC.

SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC.

By:   
Paul A. LaViolette  
Chief Executive Officer and President

By:   
Paul W. Sandman  
Chief Executive Officer

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Exhibit A

PLAN OF MERGER  
OF  
BOSTON SCIENTIFIC SCIMED, INC.  
INTO  
SCIMED LIFE SYSTEMS, INC.

1. Scimed Life Systems, Inc. ("Scimed Life") is a business corporation whose jurisdiction of organization is the State of Minnesota. Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc. ("BSS") is a business corporation whose jurisdiction of organization is the State of Minnesota.
2. BSS (the non-surviving corporation) hereby merges with and into Scimed Life (the surviving corporation) pursuant to the provisions of Section 302A.601 of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act.
3. The separate existence of BSS shall cease upon the effective date of the merger pursuant to the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act, and Scimed Life shall continue its existence as the surviving corporation pursuant to the provisions of the Minnesota Business Corporation Act.
4. The name of the surviving corporation shall be Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc.
5. The merger described herein shall be effective (the "Effective Time") upon the later of 12:01 a.m. on January 1, 2005 or the filing of the Articles of Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota.
6. The 4,919,847 shares of common stock, \$.01 par value, of BSS issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be converted into and exchanged for 628 validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable shares of common stock, \$.05 par value of the surviving corporation, and a new certificate shall be issued representing such shares.
7. The directors of BSS immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be the directors of the surviving corporation, and the officers of BSS immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be the officers of the surviving corporation.
8. This plan may be terminated and the merger abandoned by the boards of directors of Scimed Life and BSS at any time prior to the Effective Time.
9. The officers of each of BSS and Scimed Life are authorized, empowered, and directed to take any and all actions that, in their discretion, are necessary to consummate the transactions contemplated by the Plan of Merger or which may be in any way necessary or proper to effect such merger.

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