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510(k) Premarket Notification
HDR Applicator Catheter
COOK INCORPORATED

K981886

Safety and Effectiveness Information

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Device: Trade Name: VRAC High Dose Rate (HDR) Remote Afterloading Catheter

Proposed Classification Name: Remote Controlled Radionuclide Applicator System

Predicate Devices:

The VRAC High Dose Rate (HDR) Remote Afterloading Catheter is similar in terms of intended use, materials of construction, and technological characteristics to predicate devices reviewed as remote afterloading catheters.

Device Description

The VRAC High Dose Rate (HDR) Remote Afterloading Catheter is a 4.6 French, 150cm long, single lumen catheter. The distal end of the catheter is closed. The outside diameter of the shaft has placement markings to facilitate accurate pre-treatment positioning of the catheter. The catheter is compatible with the Varian VariSource Remote High Dose Rate Afterloader manufactured by Varian Oncology Systems, Palo Alto, California.

Substantial Equivalence

The VRAC High Dose Rate (HDR) Remote Afterloading Catheter is similar to another COOK INCORPORATED remote afterloading catheter which was found substantially equivalent under 510(k) #D.C. K945383. The similar indications for use and technological characteristics of the VRAC High Dose Rate (HDR) Remote Afterloading Catheter as compared to the predicate device supports a determination of substantial equivalency.

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Test Data

The VRAC High Dose Rate (HDR) Remote Afterloading Catheter was subjected to the following tests to assure reliable design and performance under the specified testing parameters. These tests include:

- ❖ Co-Efficient of Friction Comparison/Simulated Use
- ❖ Ingress of Fluids
- ❖ Tensile Strength
- ❖ Biocompatibility

The results of these tests provide reasonable assurance that the device has been designed and tested to assure conformance to the requirements for its use as a remote controlled radionuclide applicator.



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Food and Drug Administration
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VRAC High Dose Rate (HDR) Remote Afterloading Catheter
Dated: August 7, 1998
Received: August 10, 1998
Regulatory class: II
21 CFR 892.5700/Procode: 90 JAQ

Dear Ms. Lavender:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (Premarket Approval), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 895. A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the Current Good Manufacturing Practice requirements, as set forth in the Quality System Regulation (QS) for Medical Devices: General regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic QS inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801 and additionally 809.10 for *in vitro* diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4613. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address "<http://www.fda.gov/cdrf/dsma/dsnamain.html>".

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

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Device Name: High Dose Rate (HDR) Remote Afterloading Catheter

Indications for Use:

Used for remote afterloading of a radiation source. To be used with the Varian VariSource Remote High Dose Rate Afterloader system, supplied by Varian Oncology Systems of Palo Alto, California.

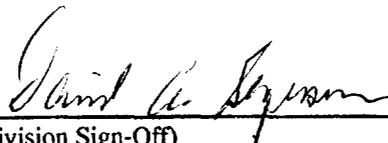
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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

Prescription Use
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

OR

Over-the-Counter Use



(Division Sign-Off)
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