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**Special 510(k) - Device Modification
Summary of Safety and Effectiveness
for the
Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems**

Submission Information

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of the 510(k) Submission:**

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Date of Summary Preparation:

June 9, 1998

Device Identification

Proprietary Name:

Osteonics® Omnifit® HA Hip Stem Series
Osteonics® Secur-Fit™ HA Hip Stem Series
Osteonics® Primary Secur-Fit™ Plus Hip
Stem Series

Common Name:

Hip Prosthesis

Classification Name and Reference:

Hip Joint, Metal/Ceramic/Polymer, Semi-
Constrained, Cemented or Non-Porous
Uncemented Prosthesis
21 CFR §888.3353

Predicate Device Identification

The modified features of the Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems (Osteonics® Omnifit HA Hip Stem Series, Osteonics® Secur-Fit HA Hip Stem Series, Osteonics® Primary Secur-Fit Plus Hip Stem Series) are substantially equivalent to features of the following Osteonics predicate devices, which has been cleared for marketing via the 510(k) process:

- Osteonics® Omnifit® HA Hip Stem Series
- Osteonics® Secur-Fit™ HA Hip Stem Series
- Osteonics® Primary Secur-Fit™ Plus Hip Stem Series

Device Description

The Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems (Osteonics® Omnifit HA Hip Stem Series, Osteonics® Secur-Fit Hip Stem Series, Osteonics® Primary Secur-Fit Plus HipStem Series) are currently marketed devices that are being modified. The modification involves shortening the trunnion and reducing the diameter of the stem neck. All other aspects of the Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems will remain unchanged.

Intended Use:

The Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems are single use components. They are intended for cementless fixation within the prepared femoral canals of patients requiring hip arthroplasty. The modified and predicate hip stems are intended to be used in conjunction with any commercially available Osteonics C-Taper femoral bearing head. For use as a total hip replacement, the modified and predicate stems may be used in conjunction with any legally marketed Osteonics acetabular component. The Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems are manufactured from titanium alloy (ASTM F-620-96). The indications for the Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems include the following:

For Use as a Bipolar Hip Replacement:

- Femoral head/neck fractures or non-unions.
- Aseptic necrosis of the femoral head.
- Osteo-, rheumatoid, and post-traumatic arthritis of the hip with minimal acetabular involvement or distortion.

Other Considerations:

- Pathological conditions or age considerations which indicate a more conservative acetabular procedure and an avoidance of the use of bone cement in the acetabulum.
- Salvage of failed total hip arthroplasty.

For Use as a Total Hip Replacement:

- Painful, disabling joint disease of the hip resulting from: degenerative arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, post-traumatic arthritis or late stage avascular necrosis.
- Revision of previous unsuccessful femoral head replacement, cup arthroplasty or other procedure.
- Clinical management problems where arthrodesis or alternative reconstructive techniques are less likely to achieve satisfactory results.

Performance Data:

Mechanical testing has been performed to demonstrate the substantial equivalence of this Osteonics stem design to predicate stem designs in terms of its fatigue strength.

Statement of Technological Comparison:

All features of the Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems (Osteonics® Omnifit HA Hip Stem Series, Osteonics® Secur-Fit Hip Stem Series, Osteonics® Primary Secur-Fit Plus HipStem Series) will remain the same with the exception of the trunnion, which will be shortened, and the neck diameter, which will be slightly reduced.



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Re: K982032
Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: MEH
Dated: June 8, 1998
Received: June 10, 1998

Dear Ms. Sutton:

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). This decision is based on consideration of the specific design of stem and coating composition detailed in this application. You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act and the following limitation:

You may not label or in any way promote these devices for "biological attachment, enhanced clinical or radiographic performance, enhanced fixation and/or long-term stable fixation." The data presented support equivalence with no additional claims over a conventional press-fit hip prosthesis (i.e., mechanical interlock, only).

Additional limitations for more specific claims of safety and effectiveness may be forthcoming. Should additional limitations be applied you will be contacted in writing to inform you of the additional labeling limitations.

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.

You may market your device under the above limitations as class II devices. These devices would be considered not substantially equivalent to a legally marketed predicate device if labeled with other intended uses and/or claims of safety or effectiveness. Any other intended uses or claims may cause the device to be classified into Class III under Section 513(f) of the Act. Class III devices are required to have an approved premarket approval (PMA) application prior to marketing.

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 requirement, 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. 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.

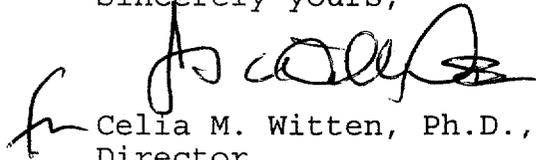
This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 510(k) premarket notification immediately. An FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and permits your device to proceed to the 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) 594-4659. 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

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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/cdrh/dsmamain.html>".

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Celia M. Witten', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Celia M. Witten, Ph.D., M.D.
Director
Division of General and
Restorative Devices
Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and
Radiological Health

Enclosure

510(k) Number (if known): K982032

Device Name: Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems

Indications For Use:

The indications for the use of the Osteonics® C-Tapered Titanium Stems , in keeping with those of other legally marketed Osteonics femoral components, are as follows:

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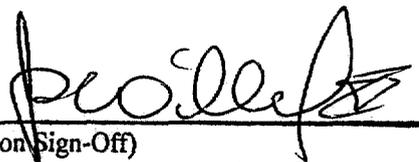
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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)



(Division Sign-Off)
Division of General Restorative Devices

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OR Over-The-Counter Use _____

Prescription Use
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

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