



Special 510(k) Summary

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DEVICE TRADE NAME: LIFEBRIDGE SYSTEM

COMMON/USUAL NAME: Cardiopulmonary Support System

CLASSIFICATION: Class III per 21 CFR 870.4360

PRODUCT CODE: KFM

CLASSIFICATION NAMES:

- Cardiopulmonary bypass heart/lung machine console (21 CFR 870.4220)
- Non-roller type cardiopulmonary bypass blood pump (21 CFR 870.4360)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass vascular catheter, cannulae, or tubing (21 CFR 870.4210)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass adaptor, stopcock, manifold, or fitting (21 CFR 870.4290)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass blood reservoir (21 CFR 870.4400)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass pump speed control (21 CFR 870.4380)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass oxygenator (21 CFR 870.4350)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass heat exchanger (21 CFR 870.4240)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass arterial line blood filter (21 CFR 870.4260)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass level sensing monitor and/or control (21 CFR 870.4340)
- Cardiopulmonary bypass bubble detector (21 CFR 870.4205)

PREDICATE DEVICES:

- LIFEBRIDGE B2T System K090006
- Avecor Affinity Hollow Fiber oxygenator with Trillium Biopassive Surface K973760

DEVICE DESCRIPTION:

The LIFE BRIDGE SYSTEM is a compact, pre-assembled, modular system consisting of:

1. Patient module housing an extracorporeal circuit comprised of several previously 510k-cleared devices. The circuit includes a rigid reservoir bag, a centrifugal pump, oxygenator, arterial filter, active air management system, tubing and connectors.
2. Sensors, including flow, pressure, level and bubble to read system parameters.
3. Control module that contains the electronics and user interface.
4. Base module that contains a touch screen, the main power connection and acts as a stable frame for the system.

The modification to the current Lifebridge System is to exchange the current oxygenator, BioCor 200, used in the patient module, for the Medtronic Affinity[®] NT oxygenator with Trillium[®] Biopassive surface coating.

INDICATIONS FOR USE:

The LIFE BRIDGE SYSTEM is indicated for use as an extracorporeal blood oxygenation system for patients needing short term, 6 hours or less, cardiac and/or pulmonary support.

STATEMENT OF TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS COMPARISON:

This "Special 510(k)" is being submitted for a modification to the patient module of the Lifebridge System. The modification is to exchange one 510(k) cleared oxygenator for another. Both are hollow fiber membrane oxygenators cleared for short-term cardio-pulmonary support up to 6 hrs.

The major differences between the oxygenators are availability and a surface coating.

The Medtronic Affinity[®] NT oxygenator provides a surface coating to the large surface area of the oxygenator and the BioCor oxygenator does not. The coating is Trillium Biopassive Surface coating.

The modification has been implemented through adherence to Design Controls. Risks posed by the change have been identified and analyzed. Measures to reduce any possible risks have been identified. Performance testing has been carried out to validate the mitigations and to ensure that the change to the patient module is safe, does not create any new risks and that performance of the modified module is equivalent to that of the original.



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Re: K111384
LIFEBRIDGE System
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 870.4360
Regulation Name: Non-roller type CPB Pump
Regulatory Class: Class III (three)
Product Code: KFM
Dated: May 3, 2011
Received: May 17, 2011

Dear Ms. Kathleen Johnson:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate 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) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). 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. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you, however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

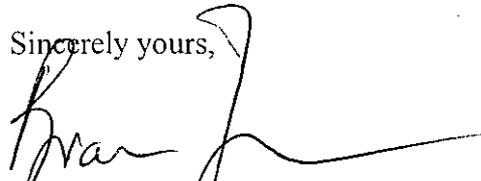
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Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); medical device reporting (reporting of medical device-related adverse events) (21 CFR 803); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please go to <http://www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/CentersOffices/CDRH/CDRHOffices/ucm115809.htm> for the Center for Devices and Radiological Health's (CDRH's) Office of Compliance. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/ReportaProblem/default.htm> for the CDRH's Office of Surveillance and Biometrics/Division of Postmarket Surveillance.

You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>.

Sincerely yours,



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Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and
Radiological Health

Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known):

Device Name: Lifebridge System

Indications For Use: The Lifebridge System is indicated for use as an extracorporeal blood oxygenation system for patients needing short term, 6 hours or less, cardiac and / or pulmonary support.

Prescription Use X
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

AND/OR

Over-The-Counter Use _____
(21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)



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(Division Sign-Off)
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