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Re: K141312

Trade/Device Name: Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-L for Lumen Cycle
Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-NL for Non-Lumen Cycle

Regulation Number: 21 CFR 880.2800

Regulation Name: Sterilization Process Indicator

Regulatory Class: II

Product Code: FRC

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Dear Mr. Kalkbrenner:

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.

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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>.

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Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

K141312

Device Name

Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-L for Lumen Cycle

Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-NL for Non-Lumen Cycle

Indications for Use (Describe)

The Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-L for Lumen Cycle is used for performance qualification of the Sterilucent PSD-85 sterilizer during initial installation, after relocation, major repairs or malfunctions, or after sterilization process failures. The Sterilucent PCD-L may also be used for routine monitoring of the PSD-85 Sterilizer Lumen Cycle.

The Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-NL for Non-Lumen Cycle is used for performance qualification of the Sterilucent PSD-85 Sterilizer during initial installation, after relocation, major repairs or malfunctions, or after sterilization process failures. The Sterilucent PCD-NL may also be used for routine monitoring of the PSD-85 Sterilizer Non-Lumen Cycle.

Type of Use (Select one or both, as applicable)

Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

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

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**510(k) Summary
for the
Steriluent Process Challenge Device
K141312**

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1. Device Name and Classification

Trade Name: Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-L for Lumen Cycle
Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-NL for Non-Lumen
Cycle

Common/Usual Name: Biological Indicator (BI) Process Challenge Device

Classification Name: Sterilization Process Indicator

Device Class: Class II

Product Code: FRC (21 CFR 880.2800)

2. Predicate Device

Steris Verify Biological Indicator Challenge Pack for Vaporized H₂O₂ Sterilization Processes (K092906)

3. Device Description

The Sterilucent PCD-L and PCD-NL are pre-assembled devices that consist of a Sterilucent Self-Contained Biological Indicator (SCBI), a vial, a vial cap containing a challenge tube, and a Chemical Indicator (CI) Label. The design of the PCD is such that it creates a challenge at least as challenging as the most difficult to sterilize item routinely processed in the PSD-85 sterilizer.

The PCDs are used by healthcare providers for qualification testing of the Sterilucent PSD-85 sterilizer and for routine monitoring of the PSD-85 sterilizer Lumen and Non-Lumen Cycles.

The user places the Sterilucent PCD into the Sterilucent PSD-85 along with a load and initiates a sterilization cycle. After cycle completion, the PCD is retrieved. The CI is immediately accessed for a passing color change from pink to blue. If the CI is blue, the SCBI is removed from the PCD vial and activated by breaking the glass ampoule which contains a growth media. The SCBI is then incubated at 60°C ± 2°C for 18 hours and monitored for any color change. The appearance of a yellow color in the media indicates bacterial growth (a failing result); no color change indicates adequate sterilization (a passing result).

4. Statement of Intended Use

The Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-L for Lumen Cycle is used for performance qualification of the Sterilucent PSD-85 sterilizer during initial installation,

after relocation, major repairs or malfunctions, or after sterilization process failures. The Sterilucent PCD-L may also be used for routine monitoring of the PSD-85 Sterilizer Lumen Cycle.

The Sterilucent Process Challenge Device PCD-NL for Non-Lumen Cycle is used for performance qualification of the Sterilucent PSD-85 Sterilizer during initial installation, after relocation, major repairs or malfunctions, or after sterilization process failures. The Sterilucent PCD-NL may also be used for routine monitoring of the PSD-85 Sterilizer Non-Lumen Cycle.

5. Technological Characteristics Summary Comparison

The Sterilucent PCD technological characteristics are substantially equivalent to the predicate device as summarized in the table below. Each include an SCBI containing at least 10⁶ spores of *Geobacillus sterothermophilus* (the most resistant organism for vaporized hydrogen peroxide sterilization), an ANSI/AAMI/ISO 11140-1 Class 1 Chemical Indicator appropriate for vaporized hydrogen peroxide sterilization, and device specific packaging which increases the resistance of the packaged BI to represent a challenge greater than or equal to the worst-case biological model used to validate the respective sterilizer in which the challenge device is to be used.

Technological Characteristic	<i>Proposed Device</i> Sterilucent Process Challenge Device	<i>Predicate Device</i>
Sterilization Modality	Vaporized hydrogen peroxide	Same
Biological Indicator Organism	SCBI containing at least 10 ⁶ spores of <i>Geobacillus sterothermophilus</i>	Same
Process Indicator	Class 1 Chemical Indicator per ANSI/AAMI/ISO 11140-1	Same
Packaging (Mechanism to Increase the Resistance of the BI)	The SCBI is packaged in a vial. The vial is plugged on one end, while the other end contains a hole through which a diffusion-restricting challenge tube is inserted.	The SCBI is packaged with a sheet of foam and placed within a Tyvek pouch.
Resistance Characteristics	The Sterilucent Process Challenge Device is more resistant to the Sterilucent PSD-85 sterilization processes (Lumen and Non-Lumen Cycles) than is the biological model developed for validation of those sterilization cycles.	The Verify Biological Indicator Challenge Pack for Vaporized Sterilization Processes is more resistant to the V-PRO 1 and V-PRO 1 Plus (Lumen and Non-Lumen Cycles) sterilization processes than is the biological model developed for validation of those sterilization cycles.

6. Summary of Non-Clinical Performance Data

The Sterilucent Process Challenge Device, PCD-L and PCD-NL, have been evaluated for resistance to the Sterilucent PSD-85 Lumen and Non-Lumen cycles respectively. These PCDs are at least as resistant to the sterilization process as the biological model

used to validate the PSD-85 sterilizer. This determination is based on fraction-negative data from the PCDs biological indicator as a function of sterilant dose. PCDs from three separate manufacturing lots were exposed to PSD-85 Lumen and Non-Lumen half-cycles with decreasing doses of sterilant. The response of the PCDs chemical indicators during these exposures was also determined adequate.

7. Overall Performance Conclusion Statement

The Sterilucent Process Challenge Devices have the necessary resistance relative to the biological model to be an appropriate challenge to qualify the PSD-85 Lumen and Non-Lumen Cycles. The Sterilucent PCDs are substantially equivalent to the predicate device.