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Attachment I  
510(K) Summary  
Plasmalite Pulsed Light System

K022378

This 510(K) Summary of safety and effectiveness for the Plasmalite Pulsed Light System is submitted in accordance with the requirements of the SMDA 1990 and following guidance concerning the organization and content of a 510(K) summary.

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Device Trade Name: Plasmalite Pulsed Light System

Common Name: Pulsed Light for Photoepilation

Classification Name: Instrument, Surgical, Powered, laser  
79-GEX, 21 CFR 878-48

Legally Marketed Predicate Device: ProLite Pulsed Light System, Manufactured by Medical BioCare was previously cleared under 510(K) number K013366.

Description of the Plasmalite Pulsed Light System The Plasmalite Pulsed Light System delivers pulsed light at a wavelength beginning at a wavelength of 600 nm. The device consists of three interconnected sections: The cabinet which houses the internal cooling system, power supply and microcontroller, the umbilical to the handpiece, and the handpiece, which houses the waveguide

Intended use of the Plasmalite Pulsed Light System The Plasmalite Pulsed Light System is indicated for use to remove unwanted hair in all skin types according to the Fitzpatrick Scale.

Performance Data: No Clinical studies were specifically conducted using the Plasmalite. The Plasmalite is technically the exact device as the predicate device, the ProLite. Results from the clinical studies for the ProLite were submitted in 510(K) number 013366.

Conclusion: The Plasmalite Pulsed Light System is substantially equivalent to other existing pulsed light systems in commercial distribution for removal of hair in Dermatology and Plastic Surgery.



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Food and Drug Administration  
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Re: K022378

Trade/Device Name: Plasmalite Pulsed Light System  
Regulation Number: 878.4810  
Regulation Name: Instrument, surgical, powered, laser  
Regulatory Class: Class II  
Product Code: GEX  
Dated: July 15, 2002  
Received: July 22, 2002

Dear Ms. Hoy:

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.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), 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 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

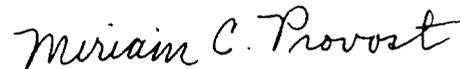
Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); 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.

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This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 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 21 CFR Part 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 Part 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html>

Sincerely yours,



for Celia M. Witten, Ph.D., M.D.  
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Office of Device Evaluation  
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Enclosure

INDICATION FOR USE STATEMENT

510(k) Number: ~~Pending~~ K 022378

Device Name: Plasmalite Pulsed Light System

Indications for Use:

**The Plasmalite Pulsed Light System is intended to remove unwanted hair for all skin types according to the Fitzpatrick Scale.**

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

Prescription Use    
 (per 21 CFR 801.109)

OR

Over-the-Counter Use

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(Division Sign-Off)  
Division of General, Restorative  
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