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510(k) SUMMARY AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 807.92(c)

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Device Identification:

Trade Name: Phenol Red Stock Solution
Common Name: Phenol Red Stock Solution
Classification Name: Reproductive Media (21 CFR 884.6180)

Predicate Device:

Notice of Final Rule, 63 FR 48428, Docket number 97N-0335

Description:

A 100X concentrated solution of phenol red in normal saline will be provided in 20 mL fill using 30mL vials, to complement the phenol red free media for gamete and embryo culture.

Intended Use:

Phenol Red Stock Solution is a solution intended for use at 1X (5mg/L) in media without phenol red to serve as a visual aid to monitor the pH *in vitro* in a control dish.

Technological Characteristics:

Phenol Red Stock Solution is primarily used as an accessory product for A.R.T. use.

**Performance Data:**

Phenol Red Stock Solution is assayed by mouse embryo assay prior to its release to market. This assay assures that the product will support embryonic growth and that no toxic components are present.

Additional Information:

Mouse embryo, endotoxin and sterility testing will be performed as a condition of release for this product. Results of all release assays performed will be indicated on the labeling and reported on a lot-specific certificate of analysis.

Conclusion:

The conclusion from performance testing as well as a review of the historical information contained in professional literature shows that Phenol Red Stock Solution is suitable for the intended use and meets the criteria outlined in the Notice of Final Rule, 63 FR 48428, Docket number 97N-0335.



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Re: K032887
Trade/Device Name: Phenol Red Stock Solution
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 884.6180
Regulation Name: Reproductive media
and supplements
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: 85 MQL
Dated: September 15, 2003
Received: September 26, 2003

Dear Dr. Lee:

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.

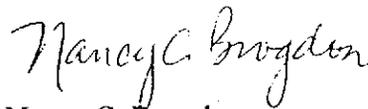
This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to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

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Office of Compliance at one of the following numbers, based on the regulation number at the top of the letter:

8xx.1xxx	(301) 594-4591
876.2xxx, 3xxx, 4xxx, 5xxx	(301) 594-4616
884.2xxx, 3xxx, 4xxx, 5xxx, 6xxx	(301) 594-4616
892.2xxx, 3xxx, 4xxx, 5xxx	(301) 594-4654
Other	(301) 594-4692

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" (21CFR Part 807.97) you may obtain. 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,



Nancy C. Brogdon
Director, Division of Reproductive,
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Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and Radiological Health

Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known): K032887

Device Name: Phenol Red Stock Solution

Indications For Use:

Phenol Red Stock Solution is intended for use at 1X (5mg/L) concentration in media without phenol red to serve as a visual aid to monitor the pH *in vitro* in a control dish (not intended for culture).

Prescription Use X

AND/OR

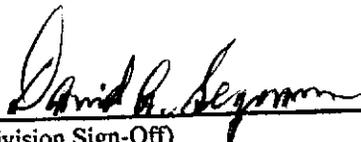
Over-The-Counter Use

(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

(21 CFR 807 Subpart C)

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)



(Division Sign-Off)
Division of Reproductive, Abdominal,
and Radiological Devices

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