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**EXHIBIT #5
(PREVIOUSLY EXHIBIT #6)**

SUMMARY OF SAFETY AND EFFECTIVENESS

Common/Usual Name: Resectoscope Sled™ Electrode

Proprietary Name: Vapor-Tech Sled™ Electrosurgical Electrode

Classification: CLASS II

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Materials:

All materials used to manufacture the Northgate Technologies Inc. Electrodes are non-toxic and have been previously used to manufacture other medical devices.

Description:

Northgate's Resectoscope Sled™ Electrode is designed to be used with most major brands of Resectoscopes. The electrodes are used for resection/coagulation of urinary tract soft tissue.

Substantial Equivalence:

Northgate's Resectoscope Sled™ Electrodes are substantially equivalent in design, materials, and intended use to numerous currently marketed devices. Other manufacturers of similar devices are Circon/ACMI and the Greenwald Surgical Company, Inc.

Intended Use:

Northgate Technologies Inc. Resectoscope Sled™ Electrodes are intended to be used for resection/coagulation of urinary tract soft tissue.