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II 510(k) Summary of Safety and Effectiveness in Accordance with SMDA'90

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Contact: Mark S. Alsberge, Regulatory Affairs Director

Product Name: Introcan Safety I.V. Catheter

Trade Name: **Catheter, Intravascular, Short Term**

Classification name:

Hospital
Class II, 80FOZ
21 CFR 880.5200

SUBSTANTIAL EQUIVALENCE[1] TO:

510(k) number	Name	Applicant
K801941	" Microcath" ™ Intravenous Catheter Placement Unit and Catheter	Burron Medical Inc.

Device Description:

In accordance with section 510(k) for the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, B. Braun Medical, Inc. intends to introduce into interstate commerce the Introcan Safety I.V. Catheter which is a passive anti-needle stick device. The device is to be placed in a peripheral vein for the infusion of fluids, drugs and/or blood components.

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[1] The term "substantially equivalent" as use herein is intended to be a determination of substantial equivalence from an FDA -regulatory point of view under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and relates to the fact that the product can be marketed without premarket approval or reclassification. These products may be considered distinct from a patent point of view. The term "substantially equivalent" is not applicable to and does not diminish any patent claims related to this product or the technology used to manufacture the product.

Material:

The Introcan Safety I.V Catheter is composed of materials that have been tested in accordance with the ISO Standard 10993 and have been determined to be suitable for the intended use of this product.

Substantial equivalence:

The Safety I. V. Catheter is similar in materials, form and intended use to the Microcath™ cleared by B. Braun Medical Inc. formally known as Burron Medical. There are no new issues of safety or effectiveness raised by The Safety I.V. Catheter.

Safety And Effectiveness:

All finished products are tested and must meet all required release specifications before distribution. The array of testing required for release include, but are not limited to; physical testing, visual examination (in process and finished product).

The physical testing is defined by Quality Control Test Procedure documents. These tests are established testing procedures and parameters which conform to the product design specifications.

The testing instruction records for each of the individually required procedures are approved, released, distributed and revised in accordance with document control cGMP"s.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

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Mr. Mark S. Alsberge
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Re: K982805
Trade Name: Introcan Safety I.V. Catheter
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: FOZ
Dated: November 9, 1998
Received: November 12, 1998

Dear Mr. Alsberge:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to 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). 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 (Premarket Approval), 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 895. A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the Good Manufacturing Practice for Medical Devices: General (GMP) regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic GMP inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of

the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 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 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (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" (21 CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its internet address "http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsmamain.html".

Sincerely yours,

Timothy A. Ulatowski
Director
Division of Dental, Infection Control,
and General Hospital Devices
Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and
Radiological Health

Enclosure

510(k) Number (if known): _____

Device Name: Introcan Safety I.V. Catheter

Indications For Use:

A passive anti-needle stick device to be placed in a peripheral vein for the infusion of fluids, drugs, and/or blood components

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

Rebecca Cruciata

(Division Sign-Off)
Division of Dental, Infection Control,
and General Hospital Devices
510(k) Number K982805

Prescription Use ✓ OR Over-The-Counter Use _____
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

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