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510(K) Summary**1. Submitter Name, Address, and Date of Submission.**

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Contact: Same as above.

2. Name of the Device, Common, Proprietary (if known), and Classification.

Classification Name: Esophageal Dilator
Common Name: Esophageal Dilator
Proprietary Name: Jackson Esophageal Dilator
Class I Device

3. Identification of the legally marketed device to which the submitter claims equivalence.

Jackson Esophageal Dilator made with Cyanoacrylate.

4. Description of the Device.

Device consists of silicone tip, stainless steel rod and nylon sleeve.

5. Intended Use of the Device.

To be used for exploratory and dilation of strictures of the esophagus.

6. Summary of Technological Characteristics.

The technological characteristics are the same as, or equivalent to the Jackson Esophageal Dilator.



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Food and Drug Administration
9200 Corporate Boulevard
Rockville MD 20850Ms. Elizabeth Lazaro
Pilling Weck Surgical
420 Delaware Drive
Fort Washington, Pennsylvania 19034Re: K990935
Jackson Esophageal Dilator
Dated: March 17, 1999
Received: March 19, 1999
Regulatory Class: II
21 CFR 876.5365/Procode: 78 KNQ

Dear Ms. Lazaro:

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 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). 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 Current Good Manufacturing Practice requirements, as set forth in the Quality System Regulation (QS) for Medical Devices: General regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic QS 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) 594-4613. 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/dsma/dsmamain.html>".

Sincerely yours,

CAPT Daniel G. Schultz, M.D.
Acting Director, Division of Reproductive,
Abdominal, Ear, Nose and Throat,
and Radiological Devices
Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and
Radiological Health

Enclosure

510(K) Number (if known): K990935

Device Name: Jackson Esophageal Dilators

Indications for Use:

To be used for exploration and dilation of strictures of the esophagus. Designed to be used in conjunction with an appropriate size rigid esophagoscope.

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

Prescription Use or Over-
The-Counter Use

(Per 21 CFR 801.1 09)

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