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May 19, 2016

Re: K160342  
Trade/Device Name: EMPOWR PS Knee System  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3560  
Regulation Name: Knee joint patellofemorotibial polymer/metal/polymer semi-  
constrained cemented prosthesis  
Regulatory Class: Class II  
Product Code: JWH, OIY  
Dated: May 2, 2016  
Received: May 3, 2016

Dear Ms. Hutto:

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. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you, however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to 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 Parts 801); medical device reporting (reporting of medical device-related adverse events) (21 CFR 803); 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.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Division of Industry and Consumer Education at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address

<http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/ReportaProblem/default.htm> for the CDRH's Office of Surveillance and Biometrics/Division of Postmarket Surveillance.

You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Industry and Consumer Education at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address

<http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
Food and Drug Administration

**Indications for Use**

Form Approved: OMB No. 0910-0120  
Expiration Date: January 31, 2017  
See PRA Statement below.

510(K) Number (if known)  
K160342

Device Name  
EMPOWR PS Knee System

Indications for Use (Describe)

Joint replacement is indicated for patients suffering from disability due to:

- degenerative, post-traumatic or rheumatoid arthritis;
- avascular necrosis of the femoral condyle;
- post-traumatic loss of joint configuration, particularly when there is patellofemoral erosion, dysfunction or prior patellectomy;
- moderate valgus, varus or flexion deformities;
- treatment of fractures that are unmanageable using other techniques.

This device may also be indicated in the salvage of previously failed surgical attempts. All devices are intended for cemented applications except for the 3DKNEE™ Porous Coated Femur which is intended for cementless applications.

While knee replacements are not intended to withstand activity levels and loads of normal healthy bone, they are a means of restoring mobility and reducing pain for many patients.

Type of Use (Select one or both, as applicable)

Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

Over-The-Counter Use (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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## 510(k) Summary

Date: May 6, 2016

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Product	Classification	Product Codes
EMPOWR PS Knee System	Class II	JWH, OIY

Product Code	Regulation and Classification Name
JWH	Knee joint patellofemoral polymer/metal/polymer semi-constrained cemented prosthesis per 888.3560
OIY	Knee joint patellofemoral polymer/metal/polymer semi-constrained cemented prosthesis per 888.3560

### Description:

The EMPOWR PS Knee System is a line extension to the current EMPOWR system (previously cleared as Rebel 3DKNEE System). It is a total knee system that includes non-porous distal femoral implants made from cast CoCr alloy per ASTM F75 and tibial insert implants made from Highly Cross-Linked with Vitamin E (HXL VE) UHMWPE.

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### Predicate Devices:

EMPOWR Knee System – K143242  
Foundation PS Knee System - K933539  
Movation Knee System - K100900 & K121727

**Comparable Features to Predicate Device(s):** This device is comparable to the predicate devices in indications, material, dimensions, surgical implantation technique, and intended use. This device has the same implant packaging and sterilization as the EMPOWR Knee System and there are no different technological characteristics from the predicate device.

**Key Differences in Subject Device to Predicate:** Anterior Cam Position within Intercondylar Housing, Values of Coronal Condylar Radii and Bearing Spacing, Femoral Component PS Housing Profile, Posterior Cam Engagement with Tibial Insert, Post Jump Height, Shape of Tibial Insert Post Section, Tibial Insert Post Coronal Profile, Tibial Insert Articular Geometry Conformity Ratio, and Values of Tibial Post Width.

**Non-Clinical Testing:** FEA assessments for PS femur condyle closing loads, PS femur flange closing loads, and PS femur wedge loading. CAD analysis was completed for range of motion, and testing was completed for post fatigue, contact area, constraint, and lateral subluxation. All testing has determined that the device is substantially equivalent to the predicate devices.

**Clinical Testing:** None provided.