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Re: K170727

Trade/Device Name: VariAx 2 Compression Plating System

Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3030

Regulation Name: Single/Multiple Component Metallic Bone Fixation Appliances And
Accessories

Regulatory Class: Class II

Product Code: HRS

Dated: June 14, 2017

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Dear Ms. Mornak:

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.

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<http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/ReportaProblem/default.htm> for the CDRH's Office of Surveillance and Biometrics/Division of Postmarket Surveillance.

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

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

K170727

Device Name

VariAx 2 Compression Plating System

Indications for Use (Describe)

The Stryker VariAx 2 Compression Plating System is indicated for internal fixation of fractures in the Radius, Ulna, Humerus, Clavicle, Distal tibia and Fibula, in patients with normal bone density and osteopenic bone, for the following indications:

- osteotomies, mal-unions, and non-unions
- single, segmental, and comminuted fractures

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

Proprietary Name: VariAx 2 Compression Plating System

Common Name: Plate, Fixation, Bone

Regulation Description: Single/multiple component metallic bone fixation appliances and accessories

Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3030

Product Code: HRS

Device Class: Class II

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Primary Predicate: Stryker GmbH VariAx2 Compression Plating System, K140565

Reference Devices: Synthes Small Fragment DCL System, K000684

Description

This Traditional 510(k) submission is being supplied to the U.S. FDA to provide authorization to market additional components and expand the indications for use to the VariAx 2 Compression Plating System, previously cleared in K130009 and K140565. The VariAx 2 Compression Plating System is an internal fixation device that consists of various plates used with compatible screws to fit different types of fractures in the radius, ulna, humerus, clavicle, distal tibia and fibula. The subject components will be available sterile and non-sterile. The plates will be available in sizes ranging from 30-271mm in length.

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Summary of Technologies

A comparison of the systems demonstrated that the subject VariAx 2 Compression Plating System is substantially equivalent to the Stryker GmbH VariAx2 Compression Plating System, K140565 and Synthes Small Fragment DCL System, K000684 in regards to intended use, material, design, and operational principles.

Non-Clinical Testing

Non-clinical laboratory testing was performed for the VariAx 2 Compression Plating System. The following tests were performed:

- LAL testing has been performed to establish that the subject device meets the specified 20EU/device limit
- MR Compatibility:
 - o Magnetically Induced Displacement Force per ASTM F2052
 - o Magnetically Induced Torque per ASTM F2213
 - o Heating by RF Fields per ASTM F2182
 - o Image Artifacts per ASTM F2119

An engineering rationale has been provided to demonstrate equivalence of the subject device to the predicate with respect to static and dynamic bending strength.

Clinical Testing

Clinical testing was not required for this submission.

Conclusion

The subject VariAx 2 Compression Plating System is substantially equivalent to the Stryker GmbH VariAx2 Compression Plating System, K140565 and Synthes Small Fragment DCL System, K000684.