



November 30, 2018

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Re: K181286
Trade/Device Name: Ambu aScope RLS Slim
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 874.4760
Regulation Name: Nasopharyngoscope (Flexible or Rigid) And Accessories
Regulatory Class: Class II
Product Code: EOB
Dated: October 26, 2018
Received: October 29, 2018

Dear Sanjay Parikh:

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. Although this letter refers to your product as a device, please be aware that some cleared products may instead be combination products. The 510(k) Premarket Notification Database located at <https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/cfdocs/cfpmn/pmn.cfm> identifies combination product submissions. 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 Part 801); medical device reporting (reporting of medical device-related adverse events) (21 CFR 803) for devices or postmarketing safety reporting (21 CFR 4, Subpart B) for combination products (see <https://www.fda.gov/CombinationProducts/GuidanceRegulatoryInformation/ucm597488.htm>); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820) for devices or current good manufacturing practices (21 CFR 4, Subpart A) for combination products; and, if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

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For comprehensive regulatory information about medical devices and radiation-emitting products, including information about labeling regulations, please see Device Advice (<https://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/DeviceRegulationandGuidance/>) and CDRH Learn (<http://www.fda.gov/Training/CDRHLearn>). Additionally, you may contact the Division of Industry and Consumer Education (DICE) to ask a question about a specific regulatory topic. See the DICE website (<http://www.fda.gov/DICE>) for more information or contact DICE by email (DICE@fda.hhs.gov) or phone (1-800-638-2041 or 301-796-7100).

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

Device Name

Ambu aScope RLS Slim

Indications for Use (Describe)

The endoscope is a sterile, single-use, flexible endoscope intended for endoscopic procedures and examination within the nasal lumens and upper airway anatomy. The endoscope is intended to provide visualization via a monitor.

The endoscope is intended for use in a hospital environment. It is designed for use in adults.

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

This 510(k) summary has been prepared in accordance with 21 CFR 807.87(h) and the content and format of the 510(k) summary has been prepared in accordance with 21 CFR 807.92.

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Date Summary Prepared	May 14, 2018
Device Trade Name	Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim
Device Common Name	Rhino-Laryngoscope
Device Classification	Nasopharyngoscopes (Flexible or Rigid) Product Codes: EOB 21 CFR 874.4760 Class II
Legally Marketed devices to which the device is substantially equivalent	<u>Predicate Device:</u> Rhino-Laryngofiberscope Olympus ENF-GP (K011869), Olympus Medical Systems Corporation <u>Reference Device:</u> Ambu® aScope™ 4 Broncho Slim (K173727), Ambu A/S

Description of the Device

The Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim is a sterile single use flexible endoscope for examination of the nasal lumens and upper airway anatomy.

Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim has the following physical and performance characteristics:

- Maneuverable tip controlled by the user
- Flexible insertion cord
- Camera and LED light source at the distal tip
- Sterilized by Ethylene Oxide
- For single use

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Summary of the technological characteristics in comparison to the predicate devices

Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim is similar to the predicate device A and reference device B in the following areas:

- They are all flexible endoscopes with a maneuverable tip.
- They all have a handle with a control lever giving the operator ability to steer the tip of the scope up and down.
- They all provide illumination from the distal tip.
- They all have the same “field of view” and “direction of view”
- They all have insertion cord diameters within the same range.
- They are all portable endoscopes.
- Technological characteristics of Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim that differs from predicate A in the following areas: Type of product (applicant device is a Videoscope, whereas predicate device A is a Fiberscope, which can be used together with a camera and monitor)
- Bending angles
- Length of insertion cord
- Disposable after use (applicant device is Single Use, whereas predicate device A is Reusable)

Validation from non-clinical testing demonstrated that these technological features do not raise any new issues of safety and effectiveness of the applicant device.

**Performance
Data – Bench**

The following data have been submitted in the premarket notification:

Declaration of conformity to the following recognized consensus standards applicable for Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim:

- ISO 8600-1, ISO 8600-3 and ISO 8600-4 Optics and optical instruments – Medical endoscopes and certain accessories.

Result: All tests were passed.

Performance test reports to document the following properties of the Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim:

- Length and diameters of insertion cord
- Bending angle, endurance and radius
- Manipulator bending force
- Image Sharpness

Result: All tests were passed.

Performance test report to document shelf life of Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim. Tests were performed on finished, sterilized and aged products:

- Performance test of Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim
- Sterile Packaging Integrity

Result: All tests were passed.

Biocompatibility tests reports to document that Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim complies with the requirements of ISO 10993-1:

- Cytotoxicity (ISO 10993-5)
- Sensitization (ISO 10993-10)
- Intracutaneous reactivity test (ISO 10993-10)

Result: All tests were passed.

Test reports that verify the Electromagnetic Compatibility and Electrical Safety:

- Electromagnetic Compatibility in compliance with IEC 60601-1-2.
- Electrical Safety in compliance with IEC 60601-1 and IEC 60601-2-18.

Result: All tests were passed.

**Performance
Data – Clinical**

Not applicable.

Conclusion

Based on the indication for use, technological characteristics, performance data and comparison to predicate and reference devices it has been concluded that the functionality and intended use of Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim is equivalent to the predicate and reference devices.

It is concluded that Ambu® aScope™ RLS Slim is as safe and as effective and perform as well as the predicate and reference devices.