

**Summary of Safety and Effectiveness
Catheter Introducer for the StealthStation® System**

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II. Contact:

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III. Product Name/ Classification Name:

Product Name: **Catheter Introducer for the StealthStation® System**
Classification Name: **Stereotaxic Instrument (21 CFR 882.4560)**
Classification Panel: **84 HAW**

IV. Date Summary Submitted

June 28, 2002

V. Description of Device Modification:

This submission allows a surgeon an image guided instrument to place catheter shunts. The Catheter Introducer for the StealthStation® System is technically equivalent to the StealthStation® System. All systems use either active(LED's), passive reflective markers or electromagnetic coils to track surgical instruments in relation to an image guided reference frame. This information is correlated to the patient's CT, MR or fluoroscopic images of the anatomy.

This submission provides new indications that are substantially equivalent to the named predicate devices' indications statement.

VI. Substantial Equivalence:

The Catheter Introducer for the StealthStation® System was substantially equivalent to the StealthStation® System cleared in previous 510(k)'s. Additionally, the Catheter Introducer was determined to be substantially equivalent to the Radionics Optical Tracking System. As required by risk analysis, all verification and validation activities were performed by designated individual(s) and the results demonstrated substantial equivalence.

VII. Indications For Use:

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Example procedures include, but are not limited to:

Cranial Procedures:

Cranial Biopsies
Placement
Tumor Resections
Craniotomies/ Craniectomies
Skull Base procedures
Thalamotomies/Pallidotomies
Pituitary Tumor Removal
CSF Leak Repair
Pediatric Catheter Shunt Placement
General Catheter Shunt Placement

Orthopedic Procedures:

Total Knee Arthroplasty (Primary and Revision)
Unicompartmental Knee Arthroplasty
Minimally Invasive Orthopedic Procedures
Pediatric Orthopedics
Total Hip Replacement (Primary and Revision)
Periacetabular Osteotomies
Tumor Resection and Bone/Joint Reconstruction
Femoral Revision
Stabilization and Repair of Pelvic Fractures
(Including but not Limited to Acetabular Fractures)

Spinal Procedures:

Spinal Implant Procedures, such as Pedicle Screw

ENT Procedures:

Transphenoidal Procedures
Intranasal Procedures
Orbital Nerve Decompression Procedures
Optic Nerve Decompression Procedures
Polyposis Procedures
Endoscopic Dacryocystorhinostomy
Encephalocele Procedures
Sinus procedures, such as Maxillary Anrostomies,
Ethmoidectomies, Sphenoidotomies/Sphenoid
Explorations, Turbinate Resections, and Frontal
Sinusotomies



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Re: K022126

Trade/Device Name: Catheter Introducer for the StealthStation® System
Regulation Number: 882.4560
Regulation Name: Stereotactic system and accessories
Regulatory Class: Class II
Product Code: HAW
Dated: October 4, 2002
Received: October 7, 2002

Dear Ms. Rendon:

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.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), 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 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

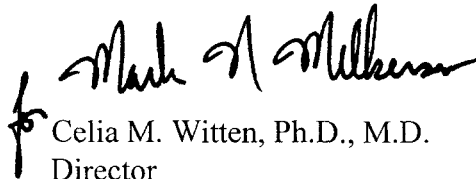
Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); 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.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 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), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4659. 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" (21CFR Part 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer 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,



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Enclosure

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for Mark A. McLeary

(Division Sign-Off)

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_____ Concurrence of CDRH, Office Of Device Evaluation (ODE)

Prescription Use _____
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

OR

Over-The-Counter Use _____

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