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510(k) Summary of Safety and Effectiveness

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Gyrus General Purpose Electrosurgical System (Generator & Accessories)

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Name of the Device:

Proprietary Name: Gyrus General Purpose Electrosurgical System

Project Name: E07 General Purpose Electrosurgical Generator

Common/Usual Name: Electrosurgical Generator and Accessories

Classification Name: Electrosurgical Cutting & Coagulation Device and Accessories (per 21 CFR 878.4400)

Brand Name: Not yet assigned

Predicate Devices: K041285 (Gyrus ENT G3 System)
K031085 (Gyrus Superpulse® System)
K002906 (Harmonic Scalpel®)

Description:

The Gyrus General Purpose Electrosurgical Generator operates only in bipolar mode. It has controls for output waveform type and power. The unit has readouts for set power and waveform.

There are two custom 9-way connectors on the front panel for PlasmaCision instruments and PlasmaKinetic bipolar instruments. The foot pedal is connected on the back panel.

Accessories included with the generator are the disposable instruments, footswitch and a power cable.

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Statement of Intended Use:

The generator is indicated for ablation, resection and coagulation of soft tissue and hemostasis of blood vessels in surgery.

Classification:

The Gyrus General Purpose Electrosurgical Generator is a Class II medical device.

This device is intended for use by qualified medical personnel trained in the use of electrosurgery.

Comparison to Predicate Devices:

The Gyrus General Purpose Electrosurgical Generator has been carefully compared to legally marketed devices with respect to intended use and technological characteristics. Performance testing has been done to validate the performance of the device. The comparison and validation results presented in this 510(k) notification demonstrate that the device is substantially equivalent to predicate devices and is safe and effective in its intended use.



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Food and Drug Administration
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Re: K050550

Trade/Device Name: Gyrus General Purpose Electrosurgical Generator
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 878.4400
Regulation Name: Electrosurgical cutting and coagulation device and accessories
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: GEI
Dated: November 1, 2005
Received: November 1, 2005

Dear Mr. Jensen:

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 (240) 276-0115. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act 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/industry/support/index.html>

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark N. Melkerson" with a small "for" written below the name.

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Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known): K050550

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Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

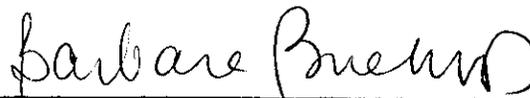
AND/OR

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

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

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