

SECTION 2.0 – SUMMARY OF SAFETY AND EFFECTIVENESS

K060454

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This summary is being included in the Premarket Notification submission in lieu of a statement of availability.

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Device Trade Name/Proprietary Name:

Titan™ Guidewire (Soft Support, Assert, Super Support)

Device Common Names/Usual Names and Classification Names:

These devices are commonly known as guides, guidewires, or spring guidewires. The current classification names, and product codes are Angiographic Guidewire (74HAP), Catheter Guidewire (74DQX), and Radiological Catheter Guidewire (74JAJ).

Classification of Devices:

The classification names listed above were originally classified as Class II devices by the Neurology (84HAD), Cardiovascular (74DQX), and Radiology (90JAJ) Review Panels, respectively.

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Applicability of Performance Standards:

LRM has determined that no mandatory performance standards have been established for these devices under Section 514 of the Medical Amendments to Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act or by any subsequent regulatory action. LRM has also determined that there are no applicable voluntary standards.

Device Description:

The Titan™ steerable guidewires have a nominal diameter of 0.014" and nominal lengths of 185 cm and 300cm. The wire is configured with a radiopaque distal tip and an embedded magnet used with a navigation system to navigate the wire through vasculature. The distal tip can either be straight or angled. A hydrophilic coating covers the distal portion of the wire and a PTFE coating covers the proximal end of the wire.

The guidewires will be packaged in the standard Lake Region single pack packaging configuration (one wire in a dispenser, placed in a pouch, labeled and then placed in individual cartons). There will be no changes to the sterilization process for these guidewires.

Technological Characteristics:

The design specifications are the same for these Titan™ iterations as they are for the Titan™ Soft Support predicate device with the exception of tip flexibility variations.

Quality System Controls:

Design Control:

LRM is in conformance with the design control procedure requirements as specified in 21 CFR 820.30. Risk analysis was completed by means of a Failure Mode and Effect Analysis (FMEA) and all verification and validation activities resulted in the ability to demonstrate that the predetermined acceptance criteria were met.

Material/Supplier/Product/Process Controls:

LRM has formal quality systems in place to assure that each product manufactured remains equivalent to the predicate products, and that the changes will not have an adverse affect on the safe and effective use of the product. The quality systems include Engineering Change Order Review, Material Qualification, Supplier Qualification, Product Qualification, and Process Qualification. These controls are applied to each product size/group.

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Qualification Testing:

Non-Clinical Tests:

In order to demonstrate equivalence of the Titan™ iterations, LRM and Stereotaxis performed testing to established requirements. Test pieces were tested and inspected according to established specific inspection criteria requirements for visual/tactile, dimensional and mechanical attributes. The results of these tests demonstrated the functionality and performance characteristics of these guidewires are comparable to the currently marketed devices.

Biocompatibility Testing:

Biocompatibility testing has been performed on the predicate device and has been found to be applicable to the modified device.

Substantial Equivalence Data:

Lake Region believes these Titan™ iterations are substantially equivalent to the Titan™ Soft Support predicate device cleared under 510(k) K052347. Performance specification changes to the Titan™ iterations are directly related to the varying tip flexibilities of the distal end. All non-clinical test results support the claim of substantial equivalence to the predicate devices.

Intended Use Statement:

Titan™ steerable guidewires are intended for use in angiographic procedures to introduce and position catheters and interventional devices within the coronary and peripheral vasculature.

NOTE: The modification of this device does not alter its intended use.



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Food and Drug Administration
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Lake Region Manufacturing, Inc.
c/o Ms. Karen Mortensen
Manager, Regulatory Affairs
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Re: K060454
Titan™ Steerable Guidewire
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 870.1330
Regulation Name: Catheter guide wire
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: DQX
Dated: February 20, 2006
Received: February 22, 2006

Dear Ms. Mortensen:

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.

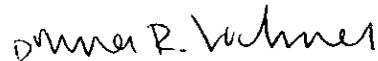
If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

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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) 276-0120. 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,



 Bram D. Zuckerman, M.D.
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Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and
Radiological Health

Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known):

K060454

Device Name: Steerable Guidewire (Trade Name: Titan™)

Indications For Use:

For use in angiographic procedures to introduce and position catheters and interventional devices within the coronary and peripheral vasculature.

Prescription Use X
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

AND/OR

Over-The-Counter Use _____
(21 CFR 807 Subpart C)

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

Sam R. Vachon
(Division Sign-Off)
Division of Cardiovascular Devices
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