SECTION 5, 510(k) Summary

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Summary Prepared: April 27, 2006

Product Name:

Trade Name: Portex® Needle-Pro® EDGE™ Safety Device with Syringe
Common Name: Syringe with attached needle and needle protection.
Classification Name: Syringe, Piston (21 CFR 880.5860, Product Code iW)

Predicate Device(s):

K041399 (Smiths Medical ASD, Inc.) Hypodermic Needle-Pro® EDGE™ Needle Protection Device
K030683 (Nipro Corporation) Nipro® Disposable Syringes

Device Description:

This device consists of the two predicate devices preattached, packaged and sterilized. This device is intended for use to inject fluids into or withdraw fluids from the body. The needle protection device covers the needle after use to help prevent needle sticks. The device features a “one-piece” design of needle hub and protective sheath with a living hinge. The needle cannula is permanently affixed into the hub. The sheath has an “arrow” indicating the bevel orientation, i.e., when the sheath is oriented to the right, the bevel is in the “up position”. After the procedure is completed, the needle is pressed into the sheath using a one-handed technique. As the needle enters the protective sheath, the needle is engaged under the hook and contained within the sheath. The device is then discarded into a sharps container.
Indications for Use:
This device is intended for use to inject fluids into or withdraw fluids from the body. The needle protection device covers the needle after use to help prevent needle sticks.

Technological Characteristics:
The proposed and predicate devices are made of the EXACT same materials and employ the same hinged style protective sheath that is manually activated after use.

Non-Clinical Data:
This abbreviated 510(k) submission declares conformance to the following standards:

ISO 594-1:1986(E), International Standard, Conical fittings with a 6% taper for syringes, needles and certain other medical equipment-Part 1: General requirements

ISO 594-2:1998(E), International Standard, Conical fittings with a 6% taper for syringes, needles and certain other medical equipment-Part 2: Lock Fittings

ISO 7864:1993(E), International Standard, Sterile hypodermic needles for single use


Clinical Data:
Not required

Conclusion:
The standards compliance demonstrates that the proposed device is safe and effective and is substantially equivalent to the predicate device.

Very truly yours,

SMITHS MEDICAL ASD, INC.

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Mr. Brian D. Farias,
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Re: K061194
Trade/Device Name: Portex Needle-Pro Edge Safety Device with syringe
  22 g 1 inch needle with 3 ml syringe
  23 g 1 inch needle with 3 ml syringe
  25 g 1 inch needle with 3 ml syringe
  25 g 5/8 inch needle with 3 ml syringe

Regulation Number: 880.5860
Regulation Name: Syringe, Antistick
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: MEG
Dated: August 18, 2006
Received: August 21, 2006

Dear Mr. Farias:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the devices referenced above and have determined the devices are 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 devices, 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 devices are 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 devices can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your devices 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 devices comply 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 devices as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your devices to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your devices and thus, permits your devices to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your devices 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" (21 CFR 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,

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Enclosure
SECTION 4, Indications for Use Statement

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known): K061194
Device Name: Portex® Needle-Pro® EDGE™ Safety Device with Syringe

Indications for Use:
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Prescription Use X AND/OR Over-The-Counter Use
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D) (21 CFR 807 Subpart C)
(PLEASE DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE-CONTINUE ON ANOTHER PAGE IF NEEDED)

Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

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