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## 510(k) Summary

VAPR Electrodes (end effect, side effect, wedge, angled, hook, flex, side effect short and wedge short), VAPR TC Electrode and VAPR Suction Electrodes (S<sup>90</sup> and S<sup>50</sup>) with Integrated Handpiece

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**Name of Medical Device**

Classification Name: Electrosurgical cutting and coagulating device and accessories

Common/Usual Name: Electrosurgical System and Electrodes

Proprietary Name: VAPR S<sup>90</sup> Electrode

VAPR 3.5 mm Side effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece

VAPR 3.5 mm Hook Electrode with Integrated Handpiece

VAPR 3.5 mm Angled Side Effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece

VAPR 2.3 mm Wedge Electrode with Integrated Handpiece

VAPR 2.3 mm Wedge Electrode (Short) with Integrated Handpiece

VAPR S<sup>50</sup> Electrode

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VAPR Electrode with Integrated Handpiece

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VAPR 3.5 mm Flex Side Effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece

VAPR 2.3 Side Effect Electrode (Short) with Integrated Handpiece, 85 mm

VAPR 2.3 End Effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece, 140 mm

VAPR Temperature Control (TC) End Effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece, 2.3 mm x 140 mm

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**Substantial Equivalence**

The VAPR S<sup>90</sup> Electrode is substantially equivalent to the VAPR LPS (Low Profile Suction) Electrode (K041135, 05/10/2004).

The VAPR 3.5 mm Side effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece is substantially equivalent to the Side Effect Electrode (K963783, 09/19/1996 & K974022, 01/12/1998).

The VAPR 3.5 mm Hook Electrode with Integrated Handpiece is substantially equivalent to the 90° Hook Electrode (K963783, 09/19/1996 & K974022, 01/12/1998).

The VAPR 3.5 mm Angled Side Effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece is substantially equivalent to the Angled Side Effect Electrode (K963783, 09/19/1996 & K974022, 01/12/1998).

The VAPR 2.3 mm Wedge Electrode with Integrated Handpiece is substantially equivalent to the 2.3mm Wedge Electrode (K000936, 04/19/2000).

The VAPR 2.3 mm Wedge Electrode (Short) with Integrated Handpiece is substantially equivalent to the 2.3mm Wedge Electrode Short (K000936, 04/19/2000).

The VAPR S<sup>50</sup> Electrode is substantially equivalent to the VAPR LPS (Low Profile Suction) Electrode (K041135, 05/10/2004).

The VAPR 3.5 mm Flex Side Effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece is substantially equivalent to the Flex Side Effect Electrode (K963783, 09/19/1996 & K974022, 01/12/1998).

The VAPR 2.3 Side Effect Electrode (Short) with Integrated Handpiece, 85 mm is substantially equivalent to the 2.3 VAPR Side Effect Electrode (Short) (K992876, 09/24/1999).

The VAPR 2.3 End Effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece, 140 mm is substantially equivalent to the 2.3 VAPR End Effect

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Electrode (K992406, 08/06/1999).

The VAPR Temperature Control (TC) End Effect Electrode with Integrated Handpiece, 2.3 mm x 140 mm is the VAPR TC Electrode (K002402, 08/31/2000).

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**Device Classification**

Electrosurgical cutting and coagulating device and accessories have been classified as Class II, GEI (21 CFR 878.4400).

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**Device Description**

The device description of the VAPR 3.5 mm and 2.3 mm Electrodes (end effect, side effect, wedge, angled, hook, flex, side effect short and wedge short) with Integrated Handpiece is as follows.

The DePuy Mitek VAPR System is designed for arthroscopic surgical procedures. The System consists of a high frequency Electrosurgical Generator, disposable Electrodes with integrated Handpiece, and a Footswitch. The components are designed and intended to be operated as a single unit.

The device description of the VAPR TC Electrode with Integrated Handpiece is as follows.

The VAPR Temperature Control Electrode is a soft tissue desiccation device intended for use with the VAPR Systems. Utilization with a VAPR System allows the tip temperature of the electrode to be indicated on the generator display.

The device description of the VAPR Suction Electrodes (S<sup>90</sup> and S<sup>50</sup>) is as follows.

The VAPR Suction Electrodes are soft tissue ablation and desiccation devices intended for use with the VAPR System. They extend the utility of the system by removing bubbles created during activation from the operating site.

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**Indications for Use**

The VAPR Electrodes (end effect, side effect, wedge, angled, hook, flex, side effect short and wedge short) and VAPR Suction Electrodes (S<sup>90</sup> and S<sup>50</sup>) with Integrated Handpiece with Integrated Handpiece, when used with the DePuy Mitek VAPR Electrosurgical System, are intended for resection, ablation, excision of soft tissue, hemostasis of blood vessels and coagulation of soft tissues in patients requiring arthroscopic surgery of the knee, shoulder, ankle, elbow and wrist.

The VAPR TC Electrode with Integrated Handpiece, when used with the DePuy Mitek VAPR Electrosurgical System, is intended for coagulation of soft tissues in patients requiring arthroscopic surgery of the knee, shoulder, ankle, elbow, and wrist.

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**Safety and Performance**

In support of the 510(k), Mitek has provided certification of compliance to 21 CFR 820.30 Design Control requirements, descriptions of Mitek's subcontractor Design Control and Risk Analysis procedures, and the results of validation testing (performance testing) for the device modification.

Based on the Indications for Use, technological characteristics and safety and performance testing, the **VAPR Electrodes (end effect, side effect, wedge, angled, hook, flex, side effect short and wedge short), VAPR TC Electrode and VAPR Suction Electrodes (S<sup>90</sup> and S<sup>50</sup>) with Integrated Handpiece** have been shown to be substantially equivalent to predicate devices under the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

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Re: K082643

Trade/Device Name: VAPR Electrodes with Integrated Handpiece  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 878.4400  
Regulation Name: Electrosurgical cutting and coagulation device and accessories  
Regulatory Class: II  
Product Code: GEI  
Dated: November 24, 2008  
Received: November 26, 2008

Dear Ms. Liu:

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.

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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 Center for Devices and Radiological Health's (CDRH's) Office of Compliance at (240) 276-0115. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding postmarket surveillance, please contact CDRH's Office of Surveillance and Biometric's (OSB's) Division of Postmarket Surveillance at (240) 276-3474. For questions regarding the reporting of device adverse events (Medical Device Reporting (MDR)), please contact the Division of Surveillance Systems at (240) 276-3464. 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 (240) 276-3150 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/industry/support/index.html>.

Sincerely yours,



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Enclosure

## Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known):

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Prescription Use    
 (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

AND/OR

Over-The-Counter Use \_\_\_\_\_   
 (Part 21 CFR 807 Subpart C)

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

  
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