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**510(k) Summary**

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Proprietary Name: NBX<sup>TM</sup> Non-Bridging External Fixator – Shoulder

Common Name: External Fixation Devices – Bone Fixation  
Fasteners

Classification: Class II per 21 CFR 888.3030;  
Multiple component metallic bone fixation  
Appliances and accessories

Device Product Code: KTT – LXT

Substantially Equivalent Devices: KMedic – K070561 – Smooth or Threaded metallic  
bone fixation fastener  
GexFix – K052605 – Smooth or Threaded metallic  
bone fixation fastener

Non-Clinical performance data: Equivalence to accepted methods of treatment for  
this products indication of use is covered in other  
sections of this application.

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## Device Description

The NBX™ Non-Bridging Fixator – Shoulder is provided sterile. The fixator consists of the body and with its proprietary locking mechanism and a multiple of threaded pins.

## Intended Use:

The NBX™ Non-Bridging External Fixator – Shoulder, is used for external fixation, until healing, of open or closed fractures, mal-union, and non-unions of the proximal end of the humerus, to include sub-capital and/or fractures of the humeral head.

## Material:

316LVM Stainless Steel (per ASTM F 138). Lexan HPS1R – complies with FDA Reg 21 CFR 177.1580



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% Mr. Peter Mincielli  
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Re: K082833  
Trade/Device Name: NBX™ Non-Bridging External Fixator - Shoulder  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3030  
Regulation Name: Single/multiple component metallic bone fixation  
appliance and accessories  
Regulatory Class: Class II  
Product Code: KTT, LXT  
Dated: January 23, 2009  
Received: January 28, 2009

Dear Mr. Mincielli:

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) 276-0120. 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 toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (240) 276-3150 or the Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/industry/support/index.html>.

Sincerely yours,



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and Neurological Devices  
Office of Device Evaluation  
Center for Devices and  
Radiological Health

Enclosure

### Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known): K082833

Device Name: The NBX™ Non-Bridging External Fixator – Shoulder

**Indications For Use:**

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Prescription Use  (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

AND/OR

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

Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

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*[Signature]*  
**(Division Sign-Off)**  
**Division of General, Restorative,  
and Neurological Devices**

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