



Food and Drug Administration
9200 Corporate Boulevard
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Ms Linda Andre
Director
Committee for Truth in Psychiatry
P O Box 1214
New York, New York 10003

Dear Ms Andre:

Re Docket No 2003P-0555

This is an interim response to the petition you filed with the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) on December 10, 2003, requesting that FDA maintain the electroconvulsive therapy device in Class III for all indications.

Because of competing priorities, we have not yet completed our review of your petition and are unable to give you a final response at this time. We expect to issue a final response in the near future.

If you have any questions about this interim response, please call Myrna Hanna at (301) 827-2971

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda S. Kahan".

Linda S Kahan
Deputy Director
Center for Devices
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