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Attachment 4

Summary of Safety and Effectiveness

General Provisions	Trade Name: Introducing Catheters Common/Classification Name: Diagnostic Catheter
Name of Predicate Devices	• Cordis Corporation 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters
Classification	Class II
Performance Standards	The FDA under section 514 of the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act has not established performance standards.
Intended Use and Device Description	The Cordis 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters are intended to facilitate introduction and positioning of guiding catheters within the vasculature. The device description of the 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters is as follows. • 6 & 7 French • Single lumen catheter featuring a reinforced body with a tightly wound stainless steel braid wire and a polycarbonate hub.
Biocompatibility	All materials used in the 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters are biocompatible.
Summary of Substantial Equivalence	The Cordis 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters are substantially equivalent to the previously cleared Cordis 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters.

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Re: K001135
Cordis 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters
Regulatory Class: II (two)
Product Code: 74 DYB
Dated: June 15, 2000
Received: June 16, 2000

Dear Mr. Griffin:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we 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). 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 (Premarket Approval), 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 895. A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the Current Good Manufacturing Practice requirements, as set forth in the Quality System Regulation (QS) for Medical Devices: General regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic QS inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 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 and additionally 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4648. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its internet address "http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html".

Sincerely yours,

for Mark N. Melkerson

James E. Dillard III
Director
Division of Cardiovascular and
Respiratory Devices
Office of Device Evaluation
Center for Devices and
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Enclosure

Attachment 2

Indications for Use Statement

510(k) Number (if known)	The 510(k) number has not yet been assigned.
Device Name	Cordis 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters
Indications for Use	The Cordis 6F & 7F Introducing Catheters are intended to facilitate introduction and positioning of guiding catheters within the vasculature.

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

for Mark N Melkerson

(Division Sign-Off)
Division of Cardiovascular, Respiratory, and Neurological Devices
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Prescription Use ✓ OR Over-The-Counter Use_____
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)