



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration
Rockville MD 20857

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August 08, 2001

Mr. Craig Patnode
SterilMed, Inc.
11400 73rd Avenue North
Minneapolis, MN 55369

Dear Mr. Patnode:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to modify the August 8, 2001 deadline for submission and approval of a PMA, was received by this office on 08/08/01. It was assigned docket number 01P-0346/CP 1 and it was filed on 08/08/01. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

Lyle D. Jaffe
Dockets Management Branch

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