



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

Food and Drug Administration
Rockville MD 20857

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February 26, 2001

Jonathan S. Kahan
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555 Thirteenth Street, NW
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Dear Mr. Kahan:

Your petition to the Food and Drug Administration to change classification of Automatic Class III Designation for Life Technologies, Inc. Dulbecco's Modified Eagle Medium for Human Ex Vivo Tissue and Cell Culture Applications, was received by this office on 02/26/01. It was assigned docket number 01P-0087/CCP 1 and it was filed on 02/26/01. 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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gloria Ortega".

Gloria Ortega
Dockets Management Branch

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