



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

Food and Drug Administration
Rockville, MD 20857

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Dear Dr. Habig:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to amend the practice of assessing the performance of medical devices for determining in vitro susceptibility of bacteria or fungi to included CLSI, was received by this office on 06/26/2006. It was assigned docket number 2006P-0271/CP1 and it was filed on 06/26/2006. 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,

Jennie C. Butler, Director
Division of Dockets Management
Office of Management Programs
Office of Management

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