

Food and Drug Administration Rockville MD 20857

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John D. Stephens, M.D. 104 PMB 717 1050 Larrabee Ave. Bellingham, Washington 98225-7367

Dear Dr. Stephens:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to ban the Acu-Gender Blood Test, was received by this office on 09/11/2006. It was assigned docket number 2006P-0376/CP 1 and it was filed on 09/11/2006. 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,

Gloria Ortega

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