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Information of a recall

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

we want to inform you of a recall of specific vessel cannulae (Ref. no. GK...).

MAQUET Cardiopulmonary AG has received information from our supplier that there could be a possibility of leaks in specific lot numbers in the vessel cannulae. If the vessel cannulae is not inserted over the second ring of the vessel cannulae there could leak fluid from a potential small defect near the second ring. There is no information from the market that any patient or user is affected.

According to our company guidelines we have the responsibility to avoid any possible risk and guarantee the highest level of quality. We traced the lot numbers and informed all our customers (All lot numbers are included in the list of page 3)

All other competent authorities will be informed.

Furthermore we will inform you of the completion of the recall after we received the information from the market.

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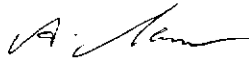
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Please feel free to contact us if there are any questions.

Best regards

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Attachment
List of concerned products

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Recall Vessel Cannulae

List of concerned products

Lot	Art. No. New	Art. No. Old	Amount
Lot	Art. Nr. Neu	Art. Nr. Alt	Menge
229848	1020426	S 1184	40
231171	1003662	GK 03	598
231917	1017876	GK 03 S	200
231918	1003662	GK 03	500
232080	1029930	HQV 41402	30
233757	1029930	HQV 41402	30
234019	1020426	S 1184	40
234296	1003662	GK 03	1000
234336	1017876	GK 03 S	200
235128	1017876	GK 03 S	200
235330	1020426	S 1184	40
235458	1029930	HQV 41402	90
238623	1003662	GK 03	1000
238967	1029930	HQV 41402	30
239894	1003662	GK 03	420
240271	1023179	GK 03 UB 100	200
240803	1020426	S 1184	60
241188	1017876	GK 03 S	300
241662	1003662	GK 03	500
242529	1029930	HQV 41402	50
242908	1029895	S 1619	40
243325	1029930	HQV 41402	30
244447	1020426	S 1184	60
245719	1003662	GK 03	500
245981	1029930	HQV 41402	45
246340	1017876	GK 03 S	40
247053	1026459	S 1451	50
249022	1003662	GK 03	420
249524	1035714	H 56102	50
249583	1035592	S 1811	50
250646	1003662	GK 03	40