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Security advice for POL YSTAN p02-Polytrode

Dear Sverre

MAQUET Cardiopulmonary has received further information from the market, that a calibration of the POLYSTAN p02-Polytrode (Art. No. 951616, 951414, 953838 and 951212) regarding various lot no.'s was not possible. Furthermore a drift was seen in isolated cases.

These remarks from the market are more extensive than seen at the time of our first letter in May 2005.

We therefore ask you to stop using the PO2-Polytrodes with the references 951616, 951414, 953838 and 951212!

Enclosed please find a list with all Polytrodes concerned which have been delivered to you after the last product replacement. Please fill in already used and still remaining quantities and send the list back.

Together with our supplier we currently work on a technical solution and qualification of the PO2-Polytrodes with the references 951616, 951414, 953838 and 951212 in order to be in a position again to sell perfectly working products.

Results are expected beginning of September 2005.

Please return concerned Polytrodes latest by 19.08.2005. Products received later than that cannot be credited any more.

Please also return the enclosed confirmation letter untl August 5, 2005.

We extremely regret being obliged to undertake a further action regarding the Polytrodes and apologize for any inconveniences caused.

Hoping for your understanding and support we remain

Yours Sincerely

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Chief Operating Officer

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