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**URGENT FIELD SAFETY NOTICE MEDICAL DEVICE  
REMOVAL**  
 FSCA Reference Number: 1124877  
**Acrobat-i Stabilizer Z  
 Acrobat SUV Vacuum Stabilizer System Z  
 Acrobat-i Positioner Z**

<b>UDI/Product Code/Part Number/UDI-DI:</b>	<b>C-OM-10000Z</b>	<b>UDI 00607567100008</b>
	<b>C-OM-9000Z</b>	<b>UDI 00607567900004</b>
	<b>C-XP-5000Z</b>	<b>UDI 00607567500006</b>
<b>Distributed Affected Lot Number:</b>	<b>See attached listing (Page 4) for all applicable lot numbers</b>	
<b>Manufacturing Dates:</b>	<b>September 29, 2022 to May 24, 2024</b>	
<b>Distribution Dates:</b>	<b>October 25, 2022 to August 29, 2024</b>	

Dear Hospital Contact,

Maquet Cardiovascular LLC, a subsidiary of Getinge (MCV/Getinge), is initiating a voluntary Medical Device Removal for the Acrobat product family (see product codes in above table) due to a potentially compromised sterile barrier.

**Identification of the issue:**

On 7 August 2024, the contract manufacturer (located in Suzhou, China) of the Acrobat product family (see product codes in above table) reported deviations in the manufacturing process that creates the sterile barrier. Specifically, in some instances, the tray sealing step was performed multiple times using the same package, which is outside of the validated process. Although testing suggests that product is sterile immediately after being sealed with this non-validated process, we cannot ensure that the product will remain sterile for the duration of its 2-year shelf life. Therefore, MCV/Getinge has determined that this issue potentially impacts all manufactured lots of the affected products and is removing affected product within its shelf life from the field.

**Risk To Health:**

The Acrobat-i Stabilizer and Positioner as well as the Acrobat SUV Stabilizer are used on the epicardial surface of the patient's heart during beating heart coronary artery bypass graft surgery that is performed via a sternotomy incision. Compromise of the sterile barrier of the device could place the patient at risk of exposure to a localized and/or systemic infectious pathogen, potentially resulting in fever, pain, abscess, mediastinitis, pericarditis, sepsis, and/or death.

**Actions to be taken by the customer:**

Our records indicate that you have received one or more of the affected products.

- 1. Please forward this information to all current and potential Acrobat-i and Acrobat SUV Product users within your hospital / facility.**
- 2. If you are a distributor who has shipped any affected products to customers, please forward this document to their attention for appropriate action.**
3. Please examine your inventory immediately to determine if you have any of the affected product with the product codes and lot numbers listed in this notice and remove these from use and follow the instructions below for returning affected devices.
4. Return any unused/unexpired affected product to MCV/Getinge. Please contact MCV/Getinge Customer Support at 888-880-2874 between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time to request a return authorization number (RMA) and shipping instructions. If you have affected product, you are entitled to a credit. You will receive credit upon your acknowledgement that you have affected product for return.
5. Whether or not you have affected product, please complete and sign the attached MEDICAL DEVICE REMOVAL - RESPONSE FORM (page 5) to acknowledge that you have received this notification. Return the completed form to MCV/Getinge by e-mailing a scanned copy to **[INSERT LOCAL SSU EMAIL HERE]** or by faxing the form to **[INSERT LOCAL SSU FAX NUMBER HERE]**.

**Actions to be taken by MCV/Getinge:**

The contract manufacturer has identified the root causes and implemented corrective measures at the manufacturing site. MCV/Getinge will facilitate the removal of affected products from your facility and provide credit for your return of these products.

This voluntary removal only affects the products listed on page 1; no other products are affected by this voluntary removal.

We apologize for any inconvenience this Medical Device Removal may cause. If you have any questions, please contact your Getinge representative or call Getinge Customer Service at **[INSERT SSU CONTACT INFO]**

Sincerely,

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**Recall Coordinator Name**  
**Recall Coordinator Title, Regulatory Affairs and Field Action Compliance**

**Listing of Affected Batches:**

***Acrobat-i Stabilizer Z (C-OM-1000Z):***

3000273547	3000273843	3000276109	3000277072	3000277309	3000278665	3000279303
3000280827	3000280868	3000282181	3000282794	3000283482	3000283754	3000284390
3000286549	3000295912	3000296552	3000303149	3000311956	3000316208	3000320077
3000320660	3000321414	3000321642	3000322538	3000323129	3000323627	3000324785
3000337396	3000337880	3000338107	3000339096	3000339447	3000342528	3000343553
3000344012	3000346330	3000346410	3000347694	3000348390	3000350599	3000351774
3000351996	3000352250	3000352899	3000353535	3000356740	3000357109	3000360894
3000361499	3000365741	3000366133	3000366729	3000369223	3000369738	3000387678
3000391146	3000393258					

***Acrobat Suv Vacuum Stabilizer System (C-OM-900Z)***

3000270477	3000274130	3000279333	3000279342	3000279839	3000280059	3000280563
3000284695	3000298982	3000314838	3000315179	3000317739	3000318197	3000325028
3000325362	3000340989	3000349055	3000349295	3000356063	3000356305	3000368568
3000376711						

***Acrobat-i Positioner Z (C-XP-500Z)***

3000272452	3000276339	3000278266	3000287205	3000290350	3000290368	3000293675
3000300092	3000306921	3000307458	3000308238	3000318694	3000334128	3000340401
3000343467	3000346421	3000347351	3000347358	3000352249	3000353846	3000355540
3000360175	3000360292	3000365139	3000397151			

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**RESPONSE FORM**  
**Acrobat-i Stabilizer Z (C-OM-1000Z)**  
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**Acrobat-i Positioner Z (C-XP-5000Z)**

**DISTRIBUTION DATES: October 25, 2022 to August 29, 2024**

**ADD ACCOUNT#**  
**[FACILITY NAME**  
**STREET ADDRESS**  
**CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE]**

Please acknowledge that you have read and understand this Medical Device Removal Letter for the Acrobat-i Positioner and Stabilizer as well as Acrobat SUV Stabilizer.

I confirm that all users of the Acrobat-i Positioner and Stabilizer as well as Acrobat SUV Stabilizer at this facility have been notified accordingly.

If you have any affected product for return, please complete the table below in its entirety.

Please contact Getinge Customer Service at **[INSERT SSU CONTACT INFO]** to request a return authorization (RMA) and shipping instructions to return any affected product.

I DO NOT HAVE ANY AFFECTED PRODUCT

I HAVE AFFECTED PRODUCT

Add Affected Lot Number(s): <i>Refer to page 4 for affected Lot Numbers:</i>	Quantity Being Returned:	Getinge Return RMA #:

Facility Representative Information:	
Name:	Title:
Department:	Phone:
Signature	Date:
Hospital Name:	
Address, City and State:	

**Return the completed form by EMAIL to **[Insert Local SSU email Here]** or by FAX to **[Insert Local SSU Fax Here]****