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Class 2 Device Recall EMPOWR Porous Knee System TIBIAL

PUNCH, LARGÉ

Date Initiated by Firm

December 12, 2017

**Create Date** 

January 10, 2018

Recall Status<sup>1</sup>

Completed

**Recall Number** 

Z-0329-2018

Recall Event ID

78727<sup>23</sup>

510(K)Number

K100900<sup>24</sup>

**Product Classification** 

Prosthesis, knee, patellofemorotibial, semi-constrained, cemented,

polymer/metal/polymer<sup>25</sup> - Product Code JWH<sup>26</sup>

**Product** 

EMPOWR Porous Knee System TIBIAL PUNCH, LARGE, REF 801-05-204, NON

STERILE, Qty 1 For use in orthopedic surgery.

**Code Information** 

Lot 252564

Recalling Firm/ Manufacturer

Encore Medical, Lp 9800 Metric Blvd Austin TX 78758-5445

For Additional

Information Contact

512-832-9500

Manufacturer Reason

for Recall

The Locking Punch Guide was not sufficiently guiding the large press fit punch, causing the implant to be placed 2-3mm more posterior than intended.

**FDA Determined** 

Cause 2

Device Design

Action

The field safety notice was disseminated by email on 12/12/2017. The notice stated the following: "DJO Sales Agents Action: Please review the bulletin that is provided with this notice. This bulletin contains new instructions on the use of the Locking Punch Guide and Punch. Please ensure your surgeons are familiar with this information. DJO Surgical then

requires that you complete the attached acknowledgment and email it to

teffany.hutto@djoglobal.com. Please have this form returned by December 15, 2017 Once redesigned guides are available, they will be exchanged through a separate field action."

Quantity in Commerce

2 units

Distribution

One medical device distributor in California.

**Total Product Life Cycle** 

TPLC Device Report<sup>27</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A record in this database is created when a firm initiates a correction or removal action. The record is updated if the FDA identifies a violation and classifies the action as a recall, and it is updated for a final time when the recall is terminated. Learn more about medical device recalls<sup>28</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Per FDA policy, recall cause determinations are subject to modification up to the point of termination of the recall.