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Re: Proposition 65 Warning Amendment- Distributor Action Needed

Dear Valued Distributor:

In November 1986, California passed Proposition 65, The Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 ("Proposition 65") which requires businesses to inform individuals of potential exposure to certain chemicals identified by the State that may cause cancer, birth defects or reproductive effects. The Article 6, Clear and Reasonable Warnings section, of Proposition 65 was recently amended, ("Amendment") and requires businesses to provide more specific warning language and chemical information for products starting on the effective date, **August 30, 2018**.

Medtronic has identified its products that are in scope of Proposition 65 disclosure requirements ("Affected Products") and listed these Affected Products with applicable warning language as required under the Amendment on Medtronic's website at www.medtronic.com/caprop65.

Medtronic, a medical device manufacturer, does not have direct communication with persons exposed to its Affected Products. Therefore, in compliance with Proposition 65, Medtronic is requesting that Distributors shipping Medtronic products to customers in the state of California add the following link to its website: www.medtronic.com/caprop65. This will re-direct customers to the Medtronic website for a list the Affected Products. The Medtronic link will be active by **August 30, 2018**. Additional information concerning Proposition 65 can be found at <http://www.oehha.org/prop65.html>.

Medtronic considers patient safety and customer satisfaction its top priorities. Thank you for your attention in this important notification. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Peter Venditto at 800-328-2518 or peter.g.venditto@medtronic.com.

Sincerely,


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