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Buffalo Filter to Showcase Complete Line of Laparoscopic Visibility Products at AAGL 2015 Global Congress of Minimally Invasive Gynecology

Lancaster, NY (November 12, 2015) – Buffalo Filter will be exhibiting its extensive portfolio of laparoscopic visibility and smoke evacuation products at the AAGL 2015 Global Congress of Minimally Invasive Gynecology, Las Vegas, Nevada, November 16 through November 18, Booth 353 at the MGM Grand Hotel.

Stepping up to the laparoscopic visibility challenge, Buffalo Filter will showcase the recently released LaparoVue™ Visibility System. During laparoscopy, surgeons often face visibility loss as a result of fogging, bleeding, tissue smearing, and surgical smoke residue. This results in cameras having to be removed and cleaned several times over the course of a surgery.

Awarded third place in the Minimally Invasive Surgery (MIS) category at the 2015 Excellence in Surgical Products Awards (ESP Awards), LaparoVue is an all-in-one solution designed to take the complexity out of achieving optimal visualization. Distinctive by design, LaparoVue features two ports, one for warming and white balancing, and one for cleaning and defogging. Both ports can be used simultaneously during surgery providing greater efficiency and reducing surgery delays. The ergonomically designed unit warms the scope in five minutes to prevent fogging and operates for up to five hours. LaparoVue also features a scope cradle that safely and securely supports the scope reducing tension on the lens and potential for damage. Additionally, two radiopaque VueTipTM Trocar Swabs are provided to remove debris and excess liquid from trocar cannulas.

The following Buffalo Filter products will also be displayed at this year's AAGL 2015 Global Congress:

PlumePort® ActiV[™] is the first line of defense designed for safe, effective removal of surgical smoke during laparoscopic procedures. ActiV[™] easily attaches to standard trocars and utilizes readily available suction systems providing noiseless operation.

VisiClear[®] is our most advanced acute care offering for surgical smoke evacuation. Combining Safeport Technology[™], an occlusion warning, filter life tracking, and one-touch programmable procedure modes for open tubing, electrosurgical pencil, and laparoscopic procedures, VisiClear effectively captures and filters surgical smoke, removes odors, particulates and other potentially hazardous by-products.

PlumePen® Elite, pushing the boundaries through design innovation, this surgical smoke pencil features a compact, ultra slim, ergonomic design that is significantly smaller than competitive electrosurgical smoke pencils.

About Buffalo Filter

Buffalo Filter is a world leading medical device manufacturer and supplier of surgical smoke plume evacuation equipment. Our products are used to evacuate and filter hazardous smoke plume and/or aerosols created during over 95% of all surgical procedures. Proven to contain toxic gases, live cellular material (including blood fragments) and viruses, this plume may also cause respiratory and eye irritation or nausea in healthcare professionals and may create visual problems for the surgeon.

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