

nicotine and carbon monoxide yields using both the current testing parameters and more intensive smoking conditions, thus producing a range of potential yields for each cigarette. The Commission also requested comment on: (1) the feasibility of generating the upper tier of ratings through mathematical formulas, rather than actual testing on a smoking machine; and (2) the usefulness and feasibility of two different legends that could be used in advertising to disclose the ratings. Comments are due by February 4, 1998.

By direction of the Commission, Commissioner Thompson and Commissioner Swindle not participating.

**Donald S. Clark,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Office of the Secretary

#### Office of Consumer Affairs; Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority

Introduction. Part A, Chapter AW, U.S. Office of Consumer Affairs (USOCA), of the Statement of Organization, Functions and Delegations of Authority of the Department of Health and Human Services, as last amended at 62 FR 29349, May 30, 1997 is being amended to reflect the elimination of the USOCA. This is a Notice of the abolishment of the U.S. Office of Consumer Affairs. The change is as follows:

Part A, Chapter AW, "U.S. Office of Consumers Affairs" is deleted in its entirety.

This reorganization is effective January 9, 1998.

Dated: January 2, 1998.

**Donna E. Shalala,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 97N-0385]

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; Announcement of OMB Approval

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that a collection of information entitled "Premarket Approval of Medical Devices" has been approved by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (the PRA).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Margaret R. Schlosburg, Office of Information Resources Management (HFA-250), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-1223.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In the **Federal Register** of September 30, 1997 (62 FR 51112), the agency announced that the proposed information collection had been submitted to OMB for review and clearance under section 3507 of the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3507). An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. OMB has now approved the information collection and has assigned OMB control number 0910-0231. The approval expires on September 30, 1998.

Dated: January 14, 1998.

**William K. Hubbard,**  
Associate Commissioner for Policy Coordination.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Health Resources and Services Administration

#### Advisory Council; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), announcement is made of the following National Advisory body scheduled to meet during the month of February 1998.

**Name:** National Advisory Council on the National Health Service Corps.

**Date and Time:** February 5-8, 1998.

**Place:** Arkansas Excelsior Hotel, 3 State House Plaza, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201, Telephone: (501) 375-5000.

The meeting is open to the public.

**Agenda:** Agenda items include updates on the NHSC program; reports from the State Primary Care Organization, State Primary Care Association, and the Area Health Education Center programs and meetings of NHSC workgroups on scholarship taxation issues pertaining to the NHSC of the 21st century.

The opening meeting will be held on Thursday, February 5 from 6:00 p.m. to

9:00 p.m. On Friday and Saturday, meetings will begin at 8:00 a.m. and conclude around 5:30 p.m. Site visits will be made on Friday.

Anyone requiring information regarding the subject Council should contact Ms. Eve Morrow, National Advisory Council on the National Health Service Corps, Health Resources and Services Administration, 8th floor, 4350 East-West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland 20814, Telephone (301) 594-4144.

Agenda Items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Dated: January 16, 1998.

**Jane M. Harrison,**

Acting Director, Division of Policy Review and Coordination.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Case-Control Study of Cancer and Related Disorders Among Benzene-Exposed Workers in China

**SUMMARY:** Under the provisions of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the National Cancer Institute (NCI), the National Institutes of Health (NIH), has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve the information collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on January 24, 1997, page 3705, and allowed 60 days for public comment. No public comments were received. The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comment. The National Institutes of Health may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection that has been extended, revised, or implemented on or after October 1, 1995, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

#### Proposed collection

**Title:** Case-Control study of Cancer and Related Disorders Among Benzene-Exposed Workers in China. **Type of Information Collection Request:** New. **Need and Use of Information Collection:** A case-control study will examine the relationship between exposure to benzene and the risk of

lymphohematopoietic malignancies and related disorders and lung cancer in Chinese workers. Cases and controls will be selected from participants in a recent cohort study of benzene-exposed workers in China. The data will be used by the NCI to examine risk among workers exposed to low levels of benzene, and to characterize the dose and time-specific relationship between benzene exposure and disease risk.

*Frequency of Response:* One-time study.  
*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.  
*Type of Respondents:* Workers. The annual reporting burden is as follows: *Estimated Number of Respondents:* 515; *Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* One; *Average Burden Hours per Response:* 0.425; and *Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours Request:* 219.

There are no Capital Costs, Operating Costs, and/or Maintenance Costs to report.

#### Request for comments

Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies are invited on one or more of the following points: (1) Whether the proposed collection or information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriated automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

#### Direct comments to OMB

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the: Office of Management and Budget, Office of Regulatory Affairs, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, D.C. 20503, Attention: Desk Officer for NIH. To request more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, contact: Dr. Richard Hayes, Project Officer, National Cancer Institute, Executive Plaza North, Room 418, Rockville, Maryland 20892-7364, or call non-toll-free number (301) 496-9093, or FAX your request to (301) 402-1819, or E-mail your request,

including your address to HayesR@epndce.nci.nih.gov.

*Comments Due Date:* Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received on or before February 23, 1998.

Dated: December 13, 1998.

**Reesa L. Nichols,**

*OMB Project Clearance Liaison.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Institute of Dental Research; Notice of a Meeting of the National Advisory Dental Research Council

Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given of a meeting of the National Advisory Dental Research Council, National Institute of Dental Research, on January 20-21, 1998, Conference Rooms E1-E2, Building 45, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland. This meeting will be open to the public from 8:30 a.m. until adjournment on January 21, 1998, for general discussion and program presentations. Attendance by the public will be limited to space available.

In accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. and sec. 10(d) of Public Law 92-463, the meeting of the Council will be closed to the public on January 20, 1:00 p.m. to recess for the review, discussion and evaluation of individual grant applications. These applications and information concerning individuals associated with the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal applications and reports, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

This notice is being published less than fifteen days prior to the meeting due to the urgent need to meet timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

Dr. Dushanka V. Kleinman, Executive Secretary, National Advisory Dental Research Council, and Deputy Director, National Institute of Dental Research, National Institutes of Health, Building 31, Room 2C39, Bethesda, Maryland 20891 (telephone (301) 496-9469) will furnish a roster of committee members, a summary of the meeting, and other information pertaining to the meeting upon request. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other

reasonable accommodations, should contact the Executive Secretary listed above in advance of the meeting.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 93.121, Oral Diseases and Disorders Research)

Dated: January 15, 1998.

**LaVerne Stringfield,**

*Committee Management Officer, NIH.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following meeting of the Merit Review Ad Hoc Subcommittee of the National Advisory Council on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Name of Committee:* Merit Review Ad Hoc Subcommittee of the National Advisory Council on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism.

*Date of Meeting:* February 11, 1998.

*Time:* 7:00 p.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* Hyatt Regency Bethesda, One Bethesda Metro Center, Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* Mark Green, Ph.D., 6000 Executive Blvd, Suite 409, Bethesda, MD 20892-7003, 301-443-2860.

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 93.271, Alcohol Research Career Development Awards for Scientists and Clinicians; 93.272, Alcohol National Research Service Awards for Research Training; 93.273, Alcohol Research Programs; National Institutes of Health)

Dated: January 8, 1998.

**LaVerne Y. Stringfield,**

*Committee Management Officer, NIH.*

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