SUMMARY FOR NOMINATIONS TO BE REVIEWED IN 2000 FOR CONSIDERATION OF LISTING IN OR DELISTING FROM THE TENTH REPORT ON CARCINOGENS—Continued

| Nomination/CAS No. | Primary uses or exposures | To be reviewed for | Basis of nomination |
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| Estrogens, steroidal | Estrogens are widely used in oral contraceptives and in post-menopausal therapy for women. | Listing in the 10th Report. | Nominated by RG1¹ based on IARC² identification of Estrogens, Steroidal as a Group 1–Known Human Carcinogen (Vol. 72, 1999) IARC listing based on a consistent, strongly positive association between exposure to a number of estrogenic substances and risk of endometrial and breast cancer in women. |
| Talc (14807–96–6) (Non-Asbestiform). | Talc (non-asbestiform) occurs in various geological settings around the world. Occupational exposure occurs during mining, milling and processing. Exposure to general population occurs through use of products such as cosmetics. | Listing in the 10th Report. | Nominated by RG1¹ based on NTP Technical Report (TR 421, 1993) which reported clear evidence of carcinogenic activity of talc (non-asbestiform) based on increased incidences of alveolar/bronchiolar adenomas and carcinomas of the lung in female rats and also recently published epidemiology studies that suggests that talc exposure among pottery workers has been associated with lung cancer, and ovarian neoplasms in women. |
| Talc (14807–96–6) (Containing Asbestiform Fibers). | Talc (containing asbestiform fi- bers) occurs in various geo- logical settings around the world. Occupational exposure occurs during mining, milling and processing. | Listing in the 10th Report. | Nominated by RG1¹ based on IARC² identification of talc (containing asbestiform fibers) as a Group 1–Known Human Carcinogen (Sup 7, 1987). IARC listing based on the observed association between exposure to talc containing asbestiform fibers and mesothelioma in humans. |
| Trichloroethylene (TCE) (79–01–6). | Trichloroethylene is widely used as a solvent with 80–90% used worldwide for degreasing metals. | Upgrade to Known | Recommended by RG1 ¹ to be upgraded to a known human carcinogen based on recent published data that indicate an excess of kidney cancers in workers exposed to trichloroethylene. |
| Broad Spectrum UV Radiation | Solar and artificial sources of ultraviolet radiation. | Listing in the 10th Report. | Review of UVA, UVB and UVC recommended by RG2 ³ based on earlier Report on Carcino- gens review of solar UV radiation. |
| Wood Dust | It is estimated that at least two million people are routinely exposed occupationally to wood dust worldwide. Non-occupational exposure also occurs. The highest exposures have generally been reported in wood furniture and cabinet manufacture, especially during machine sanding and similar operations. | Listing in the 10th Report. | Nominated by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration based on IARC ² identification of wood dust as a Group 1–Known Human Carcinogen (Vol. 62, 1995). IARC listing based on increases in cancer, particularly cancer of the nasal cavities and paranasal sinuses, associated with exposure to wood dust. |

¹ The NIEHS Review Committee for the Report on Carcinogens (RG1).

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND **HUMAN SERVICES**

Public Health Service

National Toxicology Program; Call for **Public Comments on 9 Substances** Proposed for Listing in or Delisting from the Report on Carcinogens, Tenth **Edition**

Background

The National Toxicology Program (NTP) solicits final public comments on additional agents, substances, mixtures and exposure circumstances for listing

in or delisting from the Report on Carcinogens, Tenth Edition. This Report (previously known as the Annual Report on Carcinogens) is a Congressionally mandated listing of known human carcinogens and reasonably anticipated human carcinogens and its preparation is delegated to the National Toxicology Program by the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS). Section 301 (b) (4) of the Public Health Service Act, as amended, provides that the Secretary, (HHS), shall publish a biennial report which contains a list of all substances (1) which either are

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² International Agency For Research On Cancer (IARC).
³ The NTP Executive Committee* Interagency Working Group for the Report on Carcinogens (RG2).
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known to be human carcinogens or may reasonably be anticipated to be human carcinogens; and (2) to which a significant number of persons residing in the United States (US) are exposed. The law also states that the reports should provide available information on the nature of exposures, the estimated number of persons exposed and the extent to which the implementation of Federal regulations decreases the risk to public health from exposure to these chemicals.

In 1999 and early 2000, nine substances were reviewed for listing in the Tenth Report. This review included two Federal and one non-government, scientific peer reviews and public comment and review. The three scientific review committees evaluated all available data relevant to the criteria for inclusion of candidate substances in the Report. The criteria used in the review process and the detailed description of the review procedures, including the steps in the current formal

review process, can be obtained from the NTP Home Page web site at http://ntp-server.niehs.nih.gov/ or by contacting: Dr. C. W. Jameson, National Toxicology Program, Report on Carcinogens, 79 Alexander Drive, Room 3217, P.O. Box 12233, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709; phone: (919) 541–4096, fax: (919) 541–2242, email: jameson@niehs.nih.gov.

Public Comment Requested

The nominated substances reviewed in 1999 and early 2000 are provided in the following table with their Chemical Abstracts Services (CAS) Registry numbers (where available) and the recommendations from the three scientific peer reviews of the nominations. The NTP will be making a final recommendation in 2001 for these nine substances for listing in, or changing the current listing from reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen to the known to be a human carcinogen category in the Tenth Report.

Background documents provided to the review committees and the public are available on the web in pdf version at the address above. Hard copies of these documents are also available upon request. The NTP will review the recommendations of each of the review committees and consider the public comments received throughout the process in making decisions regarding the NTP recommendations to the Secretary, DHHS, for listing of the nominated substances in the Tenth Edition of the Report on Carcinogens. The NTP solicits final public comment to supplement any previously submitted comments or to provide comments for the first time on any substance in the following table. Comments will be accepted through June 5, 2000. Comments or questions should be directed to Dr. C. W. Jameson at the address listed above.

Dated: March 28, 2000.

Kenneth Olden,

Director, National Toxicology Program.

SUMMARY OF RG1¹, RG2² AND NTP BOARD SUBCOMMITTEE³ AGENTS, SUBSTANCES, MIXTURES OR EXPOSURE CIR-CUMSTANCES REVIEWED IN 1999–2000 FOR LISTING INOR DELISTING FROM THE REPORT ON CARCINOGENS⁴, 10TH EDITION

| Nomination/CAS No. | Primary uses or exposures | RG1 action | RG2 action | NTP board subcommittee action |
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| Beryllium and Beryllium compounds/7440–41–7. | Used in fiber optics and cellular network communications systems, aerospace, defense and other industry applications. | RG1 unanimously recommended (8/0) listing as known to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 recommended (5 yes votes to 4 no votes) listing as known to be a human carcinogen. | The Subcommittee unanimously recommended (7/0) listing as known to be a human carcinogen. |
| 2,2-bis-(bromomethyl)-1,3- propanediol (Technical Grade) 3296–90–9. | Used as a fire retardant in unsaturated polyester resins, in molded products, and in rigid polyurethane foam. | RG1 unanimously recommended (9/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 unanimously recommended (8/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | The Subcommittee unanimously recommended (7/0) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. |
| 2,3-Dibromo-1-Propanol/96– 13–9. | Used as a flame retardant, as an intermediate in the preparation of the flame retardant tris(2,3-dibromopropyl) phosphate, and as an intermediate in the manufacture of pesticides and pharmaceutical preparations. | RG1 unanimously recommended (9/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 unanimously recommended (9/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | The Subcommittee unanimously recommended (7/0) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. |
| Dyes metabolized to 3,3'- Dimethylbenzidine. | Dyes mainly used for tex- tile industries with other applications in paper, plastics, and rubber in- dustries. | RG1 recommended (5 yes votes to 1 no vote with 1 abstention) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 unanimously recommended (9/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | The Subcommittee unanimously recommended (7/0) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. |
| Dyes metabolized to 3,3'- Dimethoxybenzidine. | Dyes mainly used for tex- tile industries with other applications in paper, plastics, and rubber in- dustries. | RG1 unanimously rec- ommended (9/0) listing as reasonably antici- pated to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 recommended (8 yes votes to 0 no vote with 1 abstention) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | The Subcommittee unanimously recommended (7/0) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. |
| IQ (2-Amino-3- methylimidazo[4,5- f]quinoline)/76180–96–6. | Found in cooked meat and fish and in cigarette smoke. | RG1 unanimously recommended (7/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 unanimously recommended (8/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | The Subcommittee unanimously recommended (7/0 to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. |

SUMMARY OF RG11, RG22 AND NTP BOARD SUBCOMMITTEE3 AGENTS, SUBSTANCES, MIXTURES OR EXPOSURE CIR-CUMSTANCES REVIEWED IN 1999-2000 FOR LISTING INOR DELISTING FROM THE REPORT ON CARCINOGENS 4, 10TH EDITION—Continued

| Nomination/CAS No. | Primary uses or exposures | RG1 action | RG2 action | NTP board subcommittee action |
|---------------------------|--|---|---|---|
| Styrene 7,8-oxide/96-09-3 | Used mainly in the preparation of fragrances and in some epoxy resin formulations. | RG1 recommended (7 yes votes to 1 no votes) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 recommended (6 yes votes to 3 no votes) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | The Subcommittee recommended (6 yes votes to 0 no votes with 1 abstention) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. The Subcommittee recommended (4 yes votes to 3 no votes) listing as known to be a human carcinogen. |
| Vinyl Bromide/593–60–2 | Used primarily in the manufacture of flame retardant synthetic fibers. | RG1 unanimously recommended (10/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 unanimously recommended (9/0) listing as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | |
| Vinyl Fluoride/75–02–5 | Used in the production of polyvinylfluoride which is used for plastics. | RG1 recommended (7 yes votes to 2 no votes) to list as reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. | RG2 unanimously rec- ommended (9/0) listing as reasonably antici- pated to be a human carcinogen. | The Subcommittee recommended (4 yes votes to 3 no votes) listing as known to be a human carcinogen. |

³The NTP Board of Scientific Counselors Report on Carcinogens Subcommittee (the External Peer Review Group).

⁴RoC—Report on Carcinogens.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Colusa Indian Community Council Liquor Ordinance, Resolution No. 08-02-99-01

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs,

Interior

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This Notice is published in accordance with the authority delegated by the Secretary of the Interior to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs by 209 DM 8, and in accordance with the Act of August 15, 1953, 67 Stat. 586, 18 U.S.C. 1161, as interpreted by the Supreme Court in Rice v. Rehner, 463 U.S. 713 (1983). I certify that by Resolution No. 08-02-99-01, the Colusa Indian Community Council Liquor Ordinance, was duly adopted by the Colusa Indian Community Council on August 5, 1999. The Ordinance regulates the control of, the possession of, and the sale of liquor on Colusa Indian Community Council trust lands, and is in conformity with the State of California.

DATES: This Ordinance is effective as of April 5, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jim D. James, Office of Tribal Services, 1849 C Street NW, MS 4631-MIB, Washington, D.C. 20240-4001; telephone (202) 208-4400.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Colusa Indian Community Council Liquor Ordinance, Resolution No. 08-02-99-01, is to read as follows:

Colusa Indian Community Council Liquor Ordinance, Resolution No. 08-02-99-01

Article I—Declaration of Public Policy and Purpose

Section 1. The introduction, possession, and sale of liquor on the lands of the Colusa Indian Community (Community) of the Colusa Indian Reservation is a matter of special concern to the Colusa Indian Community Council (Community Council).

Section 2. Federal law (18 U.S.C. §§ 1154, 1161) currently prohibits the introduction of liquor into Indian Country except as provided therein and in accordance with State law as interpreted by the Supreme Court in Rice v. Rehner, 463 U.S. 713 (1983), and expressly delegates to each tribe the decision regarding when and to what extent the introduction, possession and sale of liquor shall be permitted.

Section 3. It is in the best interests of the Community, acting pursuant to Article V, Section 1(f) of the

Constitution of the Cachil Dehe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community, to enact a tribal ordinance governing the introduction, possession and sale of liquor on the Colusa Indian Reservation, and which also provides for exclusive purchase, distribution, and sale of liquor only on tribal lands within the exterior boundaries of the reservation. Further, the Community has determined that said purchase, distribution and sale shall take place only at tribally-owned enterprises and/ or at tribally-licensed establishments operating on land leased from or otherwise owned by the Community as a whole.

Section 4. The Community Council further finds that violations of this Ordinance would damage the Community in an amount of five hundred dollars (\$500) per violation because of the costs of enforcement, investigation, adjudication and disposition of such violations, and that to defray the costs of enforcing this Ordinance the Community will impose a tax on the sale of liquor on the reservation.

Based upon the foregoing findings and determinations, the Community Council hereby ordains as follows.

Article II—Definitions

As used in this title, the following words shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

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³The NTP Board of Scientific Counselors Report on Carcinogens Subcommittee (the External Peer Review Group)