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(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with this collection:* 60,000 hours annually.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: October 27, 1997.

Robert B. Briggs,

Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Inter Company Collaboration for Aids Drug Development

Notice is hereby given that, on September 15, 1997, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Inter Company Collaboration for Aids Drug Development (The Collaboration) filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances.

As indicated in its previous filings, the Collaboration is intended to facilitate more efficient concomitant and/or comparative research on HIV antiviral compounds through the sharing of scientific information among its members, the sharing of compounds to conduct appropriate investigations for clinical research, and the coordination of certain clinical trials conducted independently by certain of its members. A purpose of this filing is to confirm that these activities of the Collaboration encompass gene therapy related to the treatment of HIV infection and AIDS.

The Collaboration may also engage in the collection, analysis and exchange of research information, including information on statistical techniques applicable to AIDS research with other groups or entities engaged in research

on HIV and AIDS, as well as within the Collaboration.

In addition, the Collaboration may, as an organization, engage in scientific and policy discussions with governmental agencies (including FDA and NIH). This activity may involve development, exchange and analysis of scientific information within the Collaboration, and presentation, analysis and discussion by the Collaboration with government agencies. Such discussions may include consideration of the appropriate surrogate markers for approval of AIDS anti-viral drugs and innovative statistical techniques to address issues presented by AIDS drug clinical trials. This activity may also involve the development and presentation of regulatory positions by the Collaboration to governmental agencies.

Although no changes have been made in the membership of the Collaboration, Collaboration member AJI PHARMA USA, Inc. has merged with its parent, Ajinomoto Co., Inc.; Collaboration member Triangle Pharmaceuticals Inc. has acquired Avid Corporation by merger with a subsidiary; and Collaboration member Ciba-Geigy AG has merged with Sandoz AG to form Novartis AG. As a part of the merger process, the Ciba-Geigy pharmaceutical operations, including its membership in the Collaboration, became part of Novartis Pharma AG, Novartis, pharmaceutical operating subsidiary. Membership in the Collaboration remains open.

On May 27, 1993, the Collaboration filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on July 6, 1993 (58 FR 36223). The last notification was filed with the Department on August 23, 1996. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** on September 17, 1996 (61 FR 48982).

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993; National Information Infrastructure Testbed

Notice is hereby given that, on August 11, 1997, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and

Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), National Information Infrastructure Testbed, Inc., d/b/a InfoTEST International ("InfoTEST") has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Agility Forum-Lehigh University, and Network & Systems Consulting are no longer members of InfoTEST.

No other changes have been made in the membership, nature, or objectives of the consortium. Membership in InfoTEST remains open, and the consortium intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On December 7, 1993, InfoTEST filed its original notification (as the National Information Infrastructure Testbed) pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on May 18, 1994 (60 FR 25,960).

The last notification was filed with the Department of Justice on June 10, 1997. A notice for this filing has not yet been published in the **Federal Register**.

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Director of Operations Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993; Portland Cement Association

Notice is hereby given that, on September 15, 1997, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), the Portland Cement Association ("PCA") filed notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) a change in membership and (2) changes in the names of certain participants. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, effective November 1, 1997, Texas Industries, Dallas, TX will become a

PCA member. Additionally, St. Marys Cement Company, Detroit, MI should now be listed as Blue Circle/St. Marys Cement Company; St. Marys Cement Corporation, Toronto, CANADA has been changed to Blue Circle Canada Inc.; ESSROC Corp, Nazareth, PA should be listed as Essroc Cement Corp.; ESSROC Canada, Downsview, Ontario, CANADA has been changed to Essroc Canada Inc.; ESSROC Materials Inc., Nazareth, PA should be dropped from the list; and the Southeast Cement Shippers Association, Salt Lake City, UT, an Affiliate Member, should be listed as the Southeastern Cement Shippers Association.

No other changes have been made in either the membership, corporate name, or planned activities of the venture.

On January 7, 1985, PCA filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on February 5, 1985 (50 FR 5015). The last notification was filed with the Department on June 2, 1997. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** on July 16, 1997 (62 FR 38121).

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993; Project Deeplook

Notice is hereby given that, on September 18, 1997, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Project DeepLook has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the venture. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are: BP Exploration & Oil Inc., Houston, TX; Chevron Petroleum Technology Co., Houston, TX; Conoco Inc., Houston, TX; Mobil Technology Co., Dallas, TX; Shell Oil Co., Houston, TX; Texaco Group Inc., Houston, TX; Union Oil Co. of California, Sugar Land, TX; Landmark Graphics Corp., Austin, TX;

Schlumberger-Doll Research, Ridgefield, CT; Western Atlas International, Inc., Houston, TX; and CGG American Services, Inc., Houston, TX. The objectives of the venture are to accelerate the development of fluid imaging tools intended to increase the recovery factors of hydrocarbon reservoirs. The venture will strive to develop technical advances of broad applicability across a wide segment of the producing community, drawing on the resources of both producing companies and service suppliers.

Participation is open to all interested parties who execute a participation agreement and make required contributions. Information regarding participation in the Group may be obtained from Edward T. Stoessel, BP Exploration & Oil Co., 200 Westlake Park Blvd., Houston, TX 77079 and Richard J. Goetsch, Esq., BP America Inc., 200 Public Sq., 11-C, Cleveland, OH 44114.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993 Semiconductor Research Corporation

Notice is hereby given that, on September 16, 1997, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. § 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), the Semiconductor Research Corporation ("SRC") filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, FLIPCHIP Technologies, L.L.C., Phoenix, AZ has become an Affiliate Member and Dawn Technology, Mountain View, CA; Ibis Technology, Danvers, MA; Hestia Technology, Sunnyvale, CA; OEA International, Santa Clara, CA; and Tyecin Systems, Los Altos, CA are no longer members.

No other changes have been made in either the membership, corporate name, or planned activities of this group research project. Membership in the project remains open, and

Semiconductor Research Corporation intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On January 7, 1985, the Semiconductor Research Corporation filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on January 30, 1985 (50 FR 4281). The last notification was filed with the Department on June 11, 1997. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on August 4, 1997 (62 FR 41976).

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA95) [44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)]. This program helps to ensure that requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements on respondents can be properly assessed. Currently, the Employment and Training Administration is soliciting comments concerning the proposed extension of the Dislocated Worker Special Project Report, ETA 9038. A copy of the proposed information collection request (ICR) can be obtained by contacting the office listed below in the addressee section of this notice.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the addressee section below on or before December 30, 1997.

The Department of Labor is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary