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I am confident the implementation of these provisions will provide a sound basis on which to develop further cooperative arrangements between us on orphan drug products and to work toward a reciprocal arrangement in the future.

I look forward to your official confirmation these arrangements can be agreed.

Yours sincerely

Terry Slater  
National Manager  
Therapeutic Goods Administration  
12 August 1997

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 97F-0450]

### Nalco Chemical Co.; Filing of Food Additive Petition

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that Nalco Chemical Co. has filed a petition proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of an emulsifier blend containing sorbitan monostearate, polyoxyethylene (20) sorbitan monostearate, and polyoxyethylene (20) sorbitan monolaurate as an anti-corrosive agent in boilers where steam may contact food.

**DATES:** Written comments on the petitioner's environmental assessment by December 15, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit written comments to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 12420 Parklawn Dr., rm. 1-23, Rockville, MD 20857.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Martha D. Peiperl, Center for Food

Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS-215), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-418-3077.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5) (21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5))), notice is given that a food additive petition (FAP 7A4540) has been filed by Nalco Chemical Co., One Nalco Center, Naperville, IL 60568-1198. The petition proposes to amend the food additive regulations in § 173.310 *Boiler water additives* (21 CFR 173.310) to provide for the safe use of an emulsifier blend containing sorbitan monostearate, polyoxyethylene (20) sorbitan monostearate, and polyoxyethylene (20) sorbitan monolaurate as an anti-corrosive agent in boilers where steam may contact food.

The potential environmental impact of this action is being reviewed. To encourage public participation consistent with regulations promulgated under the National Environmental Policy Act (40 CFR 1501.4(b)), the agency is placing the environmental assessment submitted with the petition that is the subject of this notice on public display at the Dockets Management Branch (address above) for public review and comment. Interested persons may, on or before December 15, 1997, submit to the Dockets Management Branch (address above) written comments. Two copies of any comments are to be submitted, except that individuals may submit one copy. Comments are to be identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document. Received comments may be seen in the office above between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. FDA will also place on public display any amendments to, or comments on, the petitioner's environmental assessment without further announcement in the **Federal Register**. If, based on its review, the agency finds that an environmental impact statement is not required and this petition results in a regulation, the

notice of availability of the agency's finding of no significant impact and the evidence supporting that finding will be published with the regulation in the **Federal Register** in accordance with 21 CFR 25.40(c).

Dated: October 28, 1997.

**Alan M. Rulis,**

*Director, Office of Premarket Approval,  
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Office of Inspector General

### Program Exclusions: October 1997

**AGENCY:** Office of Inspector General, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice of program exclusions.

During the month of October 1997, the HHS Office of Inspector General imposed exclusions in the cases set forth below. When an exclusion is imposed, no program payment is made to anyone for any items or services (other than an emergency item or service not provided in a hospital emergency room) furnished, ordered or prescribed by an excluded party under the Medicare, Medicaid, Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant and Block Grants to States for Social Services programs. In addition, no program payment is made to any business or facility, e.g., a hospital, that submits bills for payment for items or services provided by an excluded party. Program beneficiaries remain free to decide for themselves whether they will continue to use the services of an excluded party even though no program payments will be made for items and services provided by that excluded party. The exclusions have national effect and also apply to all Executive Branch procurement and non-procurement programs and activities.

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| <b>Program-Related Convictions</b>              |                   |
| ADEFIHAN, TITILAYO O, MILWAUKEE, WI .....       | 11/20/97          |
| ALEXANDER, EDNA DENISE, DEVINE, TX .....        | 11/20/97          |
| ALLEN, ANDREW JACKSON, WINSLOW, AZ .....        | 11/20/97          |
| AMICUCCI, DIANE CAROL, CARMEL, NY .....         | 11/20/97          |
| BANDY, BRIAN DWAYNE, ASHLAND, KY .....          | 11/20/97          |
| BARNES, DAVID L, HAMMOND, LA .....              | 11/20/97          |
| BATRA, KRISHAN KUMAR, ODESSA, FL .....          | 11/20/97          |
| BEAUDOIN, GERARD MARCEL JR, EGLIN AFB, FL ..... | 11/20/97          |
| BROWN, YVONNE, ROCKVILLE CENTRE, NY .....       | 11/20/97          |
| BROYLES, STEPHEN R, TAMPA, FL .....             | 11/20/97          |
| BUDDE, MICHAEL J, COLUMBIA, IL .....            | 11/20/97          |

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| CASTILLO, JESUS N, ASHLAND, KY .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| CATO, DEBORAH ANN, ATLANTA, GA .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| CHAMPION, DAVID, DECATUR, GA .....                      | 11/20/97          |
| CHAN, SOPHEATEVY, COACHELLA, CA .....                   | 11/20/97          |
| CHERKAS, LEONARD A, HUNTINGDON VALLEY, PA .....         | 11/20/97          |
| CHERKAS DENTAL ASSOCIATES, HUNTINGDON VALLEY, PA .....  | 11/20/97          |
| CHRISTIAN, KELLY WAYNE, BEAVER, WV .....                | 11/20/97          |
| CIGGS, JIMMY D, LAKE WORTH, FL .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| CONORMAN, GEORGE JAMES, BEAVER, WV .....                | 11/20/97          |
| CONTE, JOANNE, NEW YORK CITY, NY .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| COTO'S PHARMACY, HIALEAH, FL .....                      | 11/20/97          |
| DANLEY, MELANIE REBECCA, ARLINGTON, TX .....            | 11/20/97          |
| FEINISTEIN, DAVID S, CROSS RIVER, NY .....              | 11/20/97          |
| FERRIS, SAM, W PALM BEACH, FL .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| GAMEZ, JORGE, MIAMI, FL .....                           | 11/20/97          |
| GELLER, STANLEY J, SAN DIEGO, CA .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| GIBSON, ROGER L, ASHLAND, KY .....                      | 11/20/97          |
| GOLD COAST TAXI, INC, LAKE PARK, FL .....               | 11/20/97          |
| GONZALEZ, YOHANKA, MIAMI, FL .....                      | 11/20/97          |
| GONZALEZ, RAFAEL, TEANECK, NY .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| GREEN, TONY GERALD, LAKELAND, FL .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| GUZMAN, CARMEN, BRONX, NY .....                         | 11/20/97          |
| HALL, CHARLIEMAE, ATLANTA, GA .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| HALL, WAYNE, ATLANTA, GA .....                          | 11/20/97          |
| HARKLESS, WILLIE EARL, ATLANTA, GA .....                | 11/20/97          |
| HATCHER, KRISTIE, JUPITER, FL .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| HATHCOCK, KITTY ARMEDIA, FORT WORTH, TX .....           | 11/20/97          |
| HATHCOCK, BOBBY EUGENE, BEAVER, WV .....                | 11/20/97          |
| HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS INC, CHESTERFIELD, MO .....       | 08/04/97          |
| HERNANDEZ, EDGAR, MIAMI, FL .....                       | 11/20/97          |
| HICKMAN, MICHAEL, CHATTANOOGA, TN .....                 | 11/20/97          |
| HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT, INC., FALSTON, MD .....         | 08/11/97          |
| HYSON, BRADFORD A., STREET, MD .....                    | 06/12/97          |
| HYSON, MARY, BEL AIR, MD .....                          | 06/12/97          |
| HYSON, RODNEY F., FALSTON, MD .....                     | 06/12/97          |
| INNOVATIVE MEDICAL PRODUCTS INC, CHESTERFIELD, MO ..... | 08/04/97          |
| JOHNSON, EARL, STONE MOUNTAIN, GA .....                 | 11/20/97          |
| JOHNSON, SHARON, MARIETTA, GA .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| JOHNSON, CHARLENE L, EAST POINT, GA .....               | 11/20/97          |
| JONES, HENRY LEE, PINE BLUFF, AR .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| JONES, BRENDA GAIL, ATLANTA, GA .....                   | 11/20/97          |
| KNIGHT, FAY DENISE, ORLANDO, FL .....                   | 11/20/97          |
| KNIGHT, LEONARD ISAIAH, ORLANDO, FL .....               | 11/20/97          |
| LAWRENCE, TERI TYLER, PINE GROVE, LA .....              | 11/20/97          |
| LEONE, JOSEPH J, MANALAPAN, NJ .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| LIM, MILLIAN K, PALM BCH GARDENS, FL .....              | 11/20/97          |
| MALONE, HELEN, DECATUR, GA .....                        | 11/20/97          |
| MARIN, PHILIP G, ELK GROVE, CA .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| MARRERO, MARIA DEL CARMAN, MIAMI, FL .....              | 11/20/97          |
| MARSHALL, GARY SCOTT, PEEKSKILL, NY .....               | 11/20/97          |
| MCBROOM, WILLIAM DAVID, GOLDSBORO, NC .....             | 11/20/97          |
| MCCORMICK, MELINDA, SIKESTON, MO .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| MCKISIC, BELINDA, ATLANTA, GA .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| MILLBURG, LAURA HART, AUBURN, IL .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| MORALES, IRIS, BRONX, NY .....                          | 11/20/97          |
| MORRISON, WYVETTE J, LEXINGTON, KY .....                | 11/20/97          |
| MOSCH, PAUL G, COUDERSPORT, PA .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| MOSS, CHARLES C, PORTLAND, OR .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| MUKHTAR, JUNAID, ORLANDO, FL .....                      | 11/20/97          |
| MURRAY, LINDA SUE PIERCE, BOWIE, TX .....               | 11/20/97          |
| NAWROCKI, RAYMOND, JUPITER, FL .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| OREM MEDICAL CORPORATION, FALSTON, MD .....             | 06/12/97          |
| OTT, KENNETH J, BORON, CA .....                         | 11/20/97          |
| PALMA, NITA ALMUETE PADDIT, WHITTIER, CA .....          | 11/20/97          |
| PAPPALARDO, JOSEPH F, STATEN ISLAND, NY .....           | 11/20/97          |
| PAUL, FITZPATRICK, BROOKLYN, NY .....                   | 11/20/97          |
| PONDER, KATHY ANN, W PALM BEACH, FL .....               | 11/20/97          |
| PROHIAS, MARIA LOURDES, MARIANNA, FL .....              | 11/20/97          |
| QUALITY AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC, ASHLAND, KY .....       | 11/20/97          |
| RAY, EARL F, LENEXA, KS .....                           | 08/04/97          |
| RODRIGUEZ, AMERICA, HIALEAH GARDENS, FL .....           | 11/20/97          |
| ROGOVE, JAY H, DIX HILLS, NY .....                      | 11/20/97          |
| ROS, VANNARA, WHITTIER, CA .....                        | 11/20/97          |

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| SACASAS, ROBERTO, MIAMI, FL .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| SKJONSBURG, DOLLIE, SEATTLE, WA .....              | 11/20/97          |
| SLOMAN, ERIC, WALTHAM, MA .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| SLOMAN, ROGER H, LAKE PARK, FL .....               | 11/20/97          |
| STECKELBERG, JUDITH A, LONE ROCK, WI .....         | 11/20/97          |
| STRAND, STEVEN D, DINUBA, CA .....                 | 11/20/97          |
| SUMP, CAROLYN ANN, CLARINDA, IA .....              | 11/20/97          |
| SWAN, ROBERT N, HIALEAH, FL .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| TANG, SARETH, LONG BEACH, CA .....                 | 11/20/97          |
| THOMPSON, JACK JR, W PALM BEACH, FL .....          | 11/20/97          |
| TORRES, PEDRO, NEW ROCHELLE, NY .....              | 11/20/97          |
| UY, SIENG, LONG BEACH, CA .....                    | 11/20/97          |
| VALLE, BLANCA, MIAMI, FL .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| VASQUEZ, HUMBERTO, MIAMI, FL .....                 | 11/20/97          |
| VERGEL, JAIME, MIAMI, FL .....                     | 11/20/97          |
| WALKER, JOYCE OLA, HOUSTON, TX .....               | 11/20/97          |
| WALLACE, WILLIAM W, JACKSONVILLE, FL .....         | 11/20/97          |
| WARD, WOODROW W, BUTNER, NC .....                  | 11/20/97          |
| WHITE, MARGARET E, BLAIRS, VA .....                | 11/20/97          |
| WILLIAMS, DAVID L, BAY SHORE, NY .....             | 11/20/97          |
| WORCESTER UNIVERSITY PHARMACY, WORCESTER, MA ..... | 11/20/97          |

## Patient Abuse/Neglect Convictions

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|--------------------------------------------------|----------|
| AROJO, VANILZA, MARLBORO, MA .....               | 11/20/97 |
| BENNETT, KEVIN W, BUFFALO, NY .....              | 11/20/97 |
| BRUSO, LAUREEN, CHICOPEE, MA .....               | 11/20/97 |
| BUTLER, LISA RUTH, TWIN GROVES, AR .....         | 11/20/97 |
| CARSON, RODNEY D, JOPLIN, MO .....               | 11/20/97 |
| CRAGG, JOSEPH, ROCHESTER, NY .....               | 11/20/97 |
| DANTZLER, DEBORAH, HEIDELBERG, MS .....          | 11/20/97 |
| DAVIS, LATISHA, LAUREL, MS .....                 | 11/20/97 |
| DUBE, CALVIN E, LEWISTON, ME .....               | 11/20/97 |
| ESLINGER, BERTA C, SIOUX CITY, IA .....          | 11/20/97 |
| FIRESTONE, MOREY HARVEY, W BLOOMFIELD, MI .....  | 11/20/97 |
| FONTANEZ, LINDA, E PATCHOGUE, NY .....           | 11/20/97 |
| FOREMAN, ROBIN LYNN CHASTAIN, DURANT, OK .....   | 11/20/97 |
| FOSS, CATHERINE E, FREDERICA, DE .....           | 11/20/97 |
| FOX, BETTY, DERMA, MS .....                      | 11/20/97 |
| GAITER, SHANDRA NICOLE, SAGINAW, MI .....        | 11/20/97 |
| GRIFFIN, PATRICK H, NEW YORK CITY, NY .....      | 11/20/97 |
| GROCE, MICHELLE, WILMINGTON, DE .....            | 11/20/97 |
| HARTE, BRIAN K, PENSACOLA, FL .....              | 11/20/97 |
| HEROD, HAROLD J, MILWAUKEE, WI .....             | 11/20/97 |
| HOYLE, JACQUELINE D, JACKSON, TN .....           | 11/20/97 |
| JOHNSON, RICHARD H, AIRWAY HEIGHTS, WA .....     | 11/20/97 |
| JOHNSON, BRENDA CHRISTINE, PHOENIX, AZ .....     | 11/20/97 |
| JORDAN, ROBERT, CLEVELAND, OH .....              | 11/20/97 |
| JORDAN, JOY F, HILLSBORO, TX .....               | 11/20/97 |
| KEISTER, JERRY, JACKSONVILLE, AR .....           | 11/20/97 |
| LOWE, LINDA K, BESSEMER CITY, NC .....           | 11/20/97 |
| MARTINEZ, MARTHA O, BIG LAKE, TX .....           | 11/20/97 |
| MARTINEZ, JAY, ALTUS, OK .....                   | 11/20/97 |
| MCCLOUD, ANNA SUE, NEWPORT, AR .....             | 11/20/97 |
| MCNEAR, REBECCA, CAWLING, IL .....               | 11/20/97 |
| MIDDLETON, TONJA G, FAYETTESVILLE, NC .....      | 11/20/97 |
| PAIGE, LAKISHA K, SWEENEY, TX .....              | 11/20/97 |
| PURDOM, BERTHA L PRITCHETT, BIRMINGHAM, AL ..... | 11/20/97 |
| RAY, HENRY C, SEATTLE, WA .....                  | 11/20/97 |
| ROBERTS, DONALD, STARKVILLE, MS .....            | 11/20/97 |
| SILVA, RAY, HURLEY, NM .....                     | 11/20/97 |
| STEWART, SUSIE MAE, SHREVEPORT, LA .....         | 11/20/97 |
| THOMPSON, GENE A, SIDNEY, OH .....               | 11/20/97 |
| TUTOR, ROBERT LEE, TEMPLE, TX .....              | 11/20/97 |
| VON SEE, GERALDINE, SOMERSET, MA .....           | 11/20/97 |
| WATSON, MARY ANN, PORTLAND, OR .....             | 11/20/97 |
| WILLIS, VIDA MARIE, BALTIMORE, MD .....          | 11/20/97 |
| YOUNG, LATONYA, COMO, MS .....                   | 11/20/97 |

## Conviction For Health Care Fraud

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|-------------------------------------------|----------|
| ALEXANDER, BRENDA, INDIANAPOLIS, IN ..... | 11/20/97 |
| ATKINS, VANESSA, CHICAGO, IL .....        | 11/20/97 |

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| BIANCHI, MARIA, STATEN ISLAND, NY .....    | 11/20/97          |
| CHRONIS, KIM, CLINTON TOWNSHIP, MI .....   | 11/20/97          |
| HARRIS, STEFFENY T, CLINTON, SC .....      | 11/20/97          |
| JOHNSON, MICHAEL D, JACKSON, TN .....      | 11/20/97          |
| LEVIN, CHAIA, PHILADELPHIA, PA .....       | 11/20/97          |
| LYERLA, JON R, GREENVILLE, IL .....        | 11/20/97          |
| MARTIN, STELLA, CLINTON TOWNSHIP, MI ..... | 11/20/97          |
| MCDONALD, ROBIN, PORT BYRON, NY .....      | 11/20/97          |
| NAVARRA, ELIZABETH, DOBBS FERRY, NY .....  | 11/20/97          |
| NOE, ALBERT D, JACKSON, TN .....           | 11/20/97          |
| PROVENCIO, MICHELLE, ALBUQUERQUE, NM ..... | 11/20/97          |
| SARTIANO, FRANCIS A, MADISON, CT .....     | 11/20/97          |
| SHAFIR, RITA, PHILADELPHIA, PA .....       | 11/20/97          |
| STONE, MARY S, COLLINSVILLE, VA .....      | 11/20/97          |

**Conviction-Obstruction Of An Investig.**

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| AZAN, MOHAMMAD, NEW YORK, NY ..... | 11/20/97 |
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**Controlled Substance Convictions**

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| ABDUL, DURRANI, STERLING HEIGHTS, MI ..... | 11/20/97 |
| BRADFIELD, SHARON L, WALLED LAKE, MI ..... | 11/20/97 |
| MUNSON, ERIC G, BIRMINGHAM, MI .....       | 11/20/97 |

**License Revocation/Suspension/Surrender**

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|---------------------------------------------------|----------|
| ANFENSON, DOROTHEA MAE, GLENDALE, CA .....        | 11/20/97 |
| ARMSTRONG, DIANA L, MURRAY, KY .....              | 11/20/97 |
| ATWOOD, RONALD DWIGHT, BRISBANE, CA .....         | 11/20/97 |
| BASCOM, DELLA M, VERGENNES, VT .....              | 11/20/97 |
| BHARMOTA, HARJIT S, MARION, OH .....              | 11/20/97 |
| BORISUK, LYNN MARIE, AKRON, OH .....              | 11/20/97 |
| BOROWEC, LAWRENCE W, NEWFIELD, NJ .....           | 11/20/97 |
| BOZZO, LAURA, NORTH CANAAN, CT .....              | 11/20/97 |
| BRAYSHAW, NORA, WOODSIDE, CA .....                | 11/20/97 |
| BROWN, IAN STEVEN, LOS ANGELES, CA .....          | 11/20/97 |
| BROWN, JIMMIE RUSSELL, SANGER, CA .....           | 11/20/97 |
| BRYANT, MARY M, PUYALLUP, WA .....                | 11/20/97 |
| BURKETT, ROX C, MODESTO, CA .....                 | 11/20/97 |
| BUSER, MARCIA CYN, MAGALIA, CA .....              | 11/20/97 |
| CAHALL, JOSEPH WILLIAM, CINCINNATI, OH .....      | 11/20/97 |
| CAMPBELL, ALICE MARIE, ROANOKE, VA .....          | 11/20/97 |
| CHICKOS, PATRICK J, FELTON, CA .....              | 11/20/97 |
| CIELO, PATRIA CORDERO, FOSTER CITY, CA .....      | 11/20/97 |
| CLEGG, CHARLES T, ANAHEIM, CA .....               | 11/20/97 |
| CODERRE, JOHN DAVID, BAYSIDE, NY .....            | 11/20/97 |
| COLLING, SANDRA FAYE, LAPEER, MI .....            | 11/20/97 |
| DELACOSTE, MARGARET J, ANDOVER, MA .....          | 11/20/97 |
| DRYER, RICGINDA LYNN, AHWAHEE, CA .....           | 11/20/97 |
| EDDLEMAN-JOHNSON, PATRICIA ANN, VISALIA, CA ..... | 11/20/97 |
| EWERS, CYNTHIA, EAST HADDAM, CT .....             | 11/20/97 |
| FEENEY, JAY L, PLYMOUTH, MA .....                 | 11/20/97 |
| FELDMAN, BENJAMIN J, RANCHO MIRAGE, CA .....      | 11/20/97 |
| FOSTER, LEBARON A, MOBILE, AL .....               | 11/20/97 |
| FREEMAN, TERRY MITCHELL, LOS ANGELES, CA .....    | 11/20/97 |
| GAITAN, ISABEL M, SAN FRANCISCO, CA .....         | 11/20/97 |
| GELLINGS, BRIAN, QUINTON, VA .....                | 11/20/97 |
| GREEN, MARK D, BOSTON, MA .....                   | 11/20/97 |
| GREENE, MARIA A, WEST WARWICK, RI .....           | 11/20/97 |
| HAHS, GARY L, HESPERIA, CA .....                  | 11/20/97 |
| HARNEDY, NOREEN THERESA, SAN FRANCISCO, CA .....  | 11/20/97 |
| HASSARD, ALEXANDER DANIEL, YOUNGSTOWN, OH .....   | 11/20/97 |
| HAZELTINE, LAURIE KYLE, CAMBRIDGE, VT .....       | 11/20/97 |
| HOLLOWAY, LAWRENCE M JR, FLINT, MI .....          | 11/20/97 |
| HRABARCHUK, EUGENE, CEDAR GROVE, NJ .....         | 11/20/97 |
| ISERMAN, BARBARA, ROCKFORD, MN .....              | 11/20/97 |
| JUAREZ, JESUS R, FRESNO, CA .....                 | 11/20/97 |
| KATZ, GERALD S, LYNN, MA .....                    | 11/20/97 |
| KAZALLA, SCOTT M, TAMARAC, FL .....               | 11/20/97 |
| KEENAN-FRIDAY, GERALDINE L, MINNEAPOLIS, MN ..... | 11/20/97 |
| KUTZNER, ROBERT RUSSELL, SANTA MARIA, CA .....    | 11/20/97 |
| LAFRANCE, MELODY R, ST LOUIS PARK, MN .....       | 11/20/97 |

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| LANDAU, ALLYN BETH, SAN FRANCISCO, CA    | 11/20/97          |
| LANO, PAUL MICHAEL, ALAMEDA, CA          | 11/20/97          |
| LASKY, KELLYE JO KING, SAN JOSE, CA      | 11/20/97          |
| LEE, MUN FA, CLEARLAKE, CA               | 11/20/97          |
| LEE, ROBERT, EVERGREEN PARK, IL          | 11/20/97          |
| LEWIS, CHARLES M, BROOKLYN, NY           | 11/20/97          |
| LEWIS, DANNY MICHAEL, FREMAN, VA         | 11/20/97          |
| LILLO, JOSE ALBERTO, SANTA ANA, CA       | 11/20/97          |
| LLOYD, DONALD B, WENTACHEE, WA           | 11/20/97          |
| MACCANI, JAMES E, MINNEAPOLIS, MN        | 11/20/97          |
| MANSMANN, PATRICIA A, EXTON, PA          | 11/20/97          |
| MARQUIS, BETTY, ELLINGTON, CT            | 11/20/97          |
| MCCARTHY, BRIAN ALAN, RICHMOND, VA       | 11/20/97          |
| MCFADDEN, MICHAEL J, SAN FRANCISCO, CA   | 11/20/97          |
| MCPARTLAND, SHAWN D, ROCKY POINT, NY     | 11/20/97          |
| MEREDITH, CATHERINE M, RICHMOND, VA      | 11/20/97          |
| MILLER, JANE E, STOCKTON, CA             | 11/20/97          |
| MILLER-LUNDAHL, MARIANNE, FULLERTON, CA  | 11/20/97          |
| MISTO, RALPH L, CRANSTON, RI             | 11/20/97          |
| NEGRON, ROSALINDA, PHILADELPHIA, PA      | 11/20/97          |
| NIGL, ALFRED JAMES, LA MESA, CA          | 11/20/97          |
| NODAL, RAUL FROILAN, TAMPA, FL           | 11/20/97          |
| NOSAL, JULIE A, BIRCHDALE, MN            | 11/20/97          |
| OKUN, JAMES D, BAKERSFIELD, CA           | 11/20/97          |
| PATHAK, RAMESHWAR, SHIRLEY, NY           | 11/20/97          |
| PAWLISZ, TADEUSZ, CHICAGO, IL            | 11/20/97          |
| POLITO, MATTHEW A, WILLOWICK, OH         | 11/20/97          |
| RAMIREZ, CARLOS, HARWICH, MA             | 11/20/97          |
| RANDALL, EDWARD A, LA QUINTA, CA         | 11/20/97          |
| REDFIELD, JOHN T, EUGENE, OR             | 11/20/97          |
| REED, JUDI, EUREKA, CA                   | 11/20/97          |
| REIMAN, JOHN KARL, COLUMBIA, CA          | 11/20/97          |
| REITMAN, TONI JEAN, RIVERSIDE, CA        | 11/20/97          |
| RIVER, ELLIOT, SAN FRANCISCO, CA         | 11/20/97          |
| ROBERTS, MARY HOLLAND A, SANTA ANA, CA   | 11/20/97          |
| ROBERTS, IFOR JOHN, DURHAM, NC           | 11/20/97          |
| ROSENSTEIN, MELVYN, SANTA MONICA, CA     | 11/20/97          |
| ROTRAMEL, JAMES D, CASTAIC, CA           | 11/20/97          |
| RUSSELL, IDA MAY, NORTH POWNAL, VT       | 11/20/97          |
| SALEM, NYMPHA Y, TULARE, CA              | 11/20/97          |
| SANDERS, RAYMOND, CITRUS HEIGHTS, CA     | 11/20/97          |
| SANDLIN, CARROLL MILTON, ESCONDIDO, CA   | 11/20/97          |
| SANTIAGO, REYNALDO, PHILADELPHIA, PA     | 11/20/97          |
| SBORDONE, GARY N, MELROSE, MA            | 11/20/97          |
| SCHMUCKER-KARPOW, CELESTE, MONTVILLE, NJ | 11/20/97          |
| SCHROETER, DAVID B, JENISON, MI          | 11/20/97          |
| SIETSEMA, GERALDINE, SACRED HEART, MN    | 11/20/97          |
| SMITH, KENNETH C, HUBBARD, OH            | 11/20/97          |
| SZYFERBLATT, LEO BERNARD, MONTICELLO, NY | 11/20/97          |
| TANG, BING HUEI, FLUSHING, NY            | 11/20/97          |
| TAYLOR, DAVID L, REDONDA, AZ             | 11/20/97          |
| TAYLOR, KATHARINE, CONCORD, NH           | 11/20/97          |
| THUROW, JEAN, EVANSTON, IL               | 11/20/97          |
| TOWLES, WILLIAM J, SAN CLEMENTE, CA      | 11/20/97          |
| TUKEY, JAMES H, POWNAL, ME               | 11/20/97          |
| VAN VLIET, BRADLEY RUSSELL, CONCORD, CA  | 11/20/97          |
| WALDROP, RICHARD MORRIS, SOLEDAD, CA     | 11/20/97          |
| WALKER, DEANA L, CHICO, CA               | 11/20/97          |
| WALTON, JOYCE LEE, CARMICHAEL, CA        | 11/20/97          |
| WENTWORTH, THOMAS, MINNEAPOLIS, MN       | 11/20/97          |
| WILLIAMSON, WILLIAM T, REDLANDS, CA      | 11/20/97          |
| WONG, GEORGE S, WALNUT CREEK, CA         | 11/20/97          |
| WORLEY, RONALD D, OAKLAND, CA            | 11/20/97          |
| WYMAN, ROSEMARY A, SANTA ANA, CA         | 11/20/97          |
| YAGOOBIAN, EDWARD, DIAMOND BAR, CA       | 11/20/97          |
| YOUNG, YAVARACE, ALTON, IL               | 11/20/97          |

## Federal/State Exclusion/Suspension

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| BECKER, JON, LEWISTON, ME              | 11/20/97 |
| CAMPBELL, MARJORIE, NEW YORK, NY       | 11/20/97 |
| CUTLER-OROSI FAMILY MEDICAL, OROSI, CA | 11/20/97 |
| DELUCA, VINCENT M, BEECHURST, NY       | 11/20/97 |

| Subject<br>City, State                            | Effective<br>date |
|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| GIBBONS, WAYNE L, WILLINGBORO, NJ .....           | 11/20/97          |
| JENAMED INC, E NORTHPORT, NY .....                | 11/20/97          |
| KANG, PETER, ELMHURST, NY .....                   | 11/20/97          |
| LAWRENCE, ELSA L, MOSCOW, ID .....                | 11/20/97          |
| PEYKAR, EZZAT O, GREAT NECK, NY .....             | 11/20/97          |
| SCHWARTZ, JEFFREY SCOTT, ATLANTIC BEACH, NY ..... | 11/20/97          |
| SEARS, MARY JEAN, CALDWELL, ID .....              | 11/20/97          |
| TAMES, STEVEN M, HAWTHORNE, NY .....              | 11/20/97          |
| WOODLAKE RURAL HEALTH CLINIC, WOODLAKE, CA .....  | 11/20/97          |

**Fraud/Kickbacks And Other Prohibited Activities**

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|----------------------------------------------|----------|
| EGOZI, MAURICE, NORTH MIAMI BEACH, FL .....  | 07/29/97 |
| EGOZI, ANOUCHKA, NORTH MIAMI BEACH, FL ..... | 07/29/97 |
| MEDEL, RAQUEL, MIAMI BEACH, FL .....         | 07/29/97 |
| MEDEL, ROGELIO, MIAMI BEACH, FL .....        | 07/29/97 |
| R & M LABORATORY, MIAMI, FL .....            | 07/29/97 |

**Owned/Controlled By Convicted Excluded**

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| AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC, JACKSONVILLE, FL .....          | 11/20/97 |
| B & V MEDICAL SUPPLY, MIAMI, FL .....                   | 11/20/97 |
| BBC MEDICAL CENTER, MIAMI, FL .....                     | 11/20/97 |
| C & S LABORATORY, INC, MIAMI, FL .....                  | 11/20/97 |
| CARIBMED CARE CENTER, INC, MARIANNA, FL .....           | 11/20/97 |
| CPC MEDICAL CENTER, HIALEAH, FL .....                   | 11/20/97 |
| DADE DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES, INC, ASHLAND, KY .....        | 11/20/97 |
| DADE HEALTH CARE CENTER, INC, ASHLAND, KY .....         | 11/20/97 |
| FAR SOUTH SIDE HEALTH ASSOC, CHICAGO, IL .....          | 11/20/97 |
| FIRST COAST TRANS SVC, INC, JACKSONVILLE, FL .....      | 11/20/97 |
| FLORIDA NATIONAL HEALTH CORP, ALTAMONTE SPRGS, FL ..... | 11/20/97 |
| GREAT MIAMI PATIENT CARE, MIAMI, FL .....               | 11/20/97 |
| INSTITUTO LATINO AMER DE IMPOT, MIAMI, FL .....         | 11/13/97 |
| MEDIX PHYSICIAN INC, HIALEAH, FL .....                  | 11/20/97 |
| MIRAMAR MEDICAL TRAUMA CENTER, ASHLAND, KY .....        | 11/20/97 |
| NEW HORIZONS OF PINELLAS, INC, TAMPA, FL .....          | 11/20/97 |
| ORLANDO RECOVERY CENTER, ORLANDO, FL .....              | 11/20/97 |
| P R MEDICAL SERVICES, MIAMI, FL .....                   | 11/20/97 |
| PARADISE TAXI CAB, INC., DADE CITY, FL .....            | 11/20/97 |
| SMILE BRITE FAMILY DENTISTRY, ATLANTA, GA .....         | 11/20/97 |
| SUPREME MEDICAL SERVICES, MIAMI, FL .....               | 11/20/97 |
| WILLIAMS CLINICAL LABORATORY, BIRMINGHAM, AL .....      | 11/20/97 |

**Default On Heal Loan**

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|-----------------------------------------------|----------|
| ALTER, DON E, LUBBOCK, TX .....               | 11/20/97 |
| AYBAR, RANDALL, LOS ANGELES, CA .....         | 11/20/97 |
| BRITT, WILLIAM R, COLLEYVILLE, TX .....       | 11/20/97 |
| CARTER, KENNETH O, PIKESVILLE, MD .....       | 11/20/97 |
| CENTOLA, ROBERT L, RICHARDSON, TX .....       | 11/20/97 |
| COHEN, DOROTHY A, SAN JOSE, CA .....          | 11/20/97 |
| COLLYER, GEORGE H, SAN FRANCISCO, CA .....    | 11/20/97 |
| DODSON, MASON D, LINDALE, TX .....            | 11/20/97 |
| DREW, GARY WILLIAM, CARROLLTON, TX .....      | 11/20/97 |
| ELY, STEPHEN ROBERT, FRESNO, CA .....         | 11/20/97 |
| HENTHON, WILLIAM H II, MCALLEN, TX .....      | 11/20/97 |
| HOEHN, FRANK G, MIDLAND, TX .....             | 11/20/97 |
| ITO, STEPHEN M, MURRIETA, CA .....            | 11/20/97 |
| LINDSEY-WRIGHT, KAREN N, LONG BEACH, CA ..... | 11/20/97 |
| MORONEY, WILLIAM P JR, SAN MATEO, CA .....    | 11/20/97 |
| PALLADINO, JENNIFER M, WHITTIER, CA .....     | 11/20/97 |
| WILLIAMS, LAURA ANN, LANHAM, MD .....         | 11/20/97 |

Dated: October 30, 1997.

**Joanne Lanahan,**

*Director, Health Care Administrative  
Sanctions, Office of Investigations, OI.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
HUMAN SERVICES**

**National Institutes of Health**

**Proposed Collection; Comment  
Request; 'Test-Retest Study of the  
Alcohol Use Disorder and Associated  
Disabilities Interview Schedule  
(AUDADIS-IV) in a General Population  
Sample'**

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with Section  
3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork

Reduction Act of 1995, which provides  
for an opportunity for public comment  
on proposed data collection projects, the  
National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and  
Alcoholism (NIAAA), National  
Institutes of Health (NIH) will publish  
periodic summaries of proposed  
projects to be submitted to the Office of  
Management and Budget (OMB) for  
review and approval.

**Proposed Collection**

The Biometry Branch (BB), Division  
of Biometry and Epidemiology (DBE),  
NIAAA, intends to conduct the 'Test-  
Retest Study of the Alcohol Use  
Disorder and Associated Disabilities  
Interview Schedule (AUDADIS-IV) in a  
General Population Sample' to assess  
the test-retest reliability of new sections  
of the AUDADIS-IV in a general  
population sample. The AUDADIS-IV is

a fully-structured interview designed to  
collect information on alcohol and drug  
use disorders and their associated  
psychiatric and medical conditions. The  
NIAAA is authorized by Section 464H  
of Title IV of the Public Health Act (42  
U.S.C. 285n).

The information proposed for  
collection in this study will be used by  
the NIAAA to develop and finalize  
psychometrically sound measures of  
alcohol and drug-related disabilities for  
use in major epidemiologic surveys  
conducted in the United States.  
Currently, there is a great need for more  
reliable measurement of alcohol and  
drug use disorders and their associated  
disabilities in all fields of substance use  
research.

The annual burden estimates are as  
follows:

| Type and number of respondents             | Responses<br>per<br>respondent | Total<br>responses | Hours | Total hours |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|-------|-------------|
| (First (Test Interviews) 500 .....         | 1                              | 500                | 1     | 500         |
| (Second (Retest) Interviews) 500 .....     | 1                              | 500                | 1     | 500         |
| Total Number of Respondents—500 (per year) |                                |                    |       |             |
| Total Number of Responses—1000 (per year)  |                                |                    |       |             |
| Total hours—1000 (per year)                |                                |                    |       |             |

**Request for Comments**

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether  
the proposed collection is necessary,  
including whether the information has  
practical use; (b) ways to enhance the  
clarity, quality, and use of the  
information to be collected; (c) the  
accuracy of the agency estimate of  
burden of the proposed collection; and  
(d) ways to minimize the collection  
burden of the respondents. Send written  
comments to Dr. Bridget Grant,  
Biometry Branch, Division of Biometry  
and Epidemiology (DBE), NIAAA, NIH,  
Willco Bldg., Suite 514, 6000 Executive  
Boulevard, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-  
7003.

**For Further Information**

To request more information on the  
proposed project or to obtain a copy of  
the data collection plans, contact Dr.  
Bridget Grant, Biometry Branch,  
Division of Biometry and Epidemiology,  
NIAAA, Willco Bldg., 6000 Executive  
Boulevard, Suite 514, Bethesda,  
Maryland 20892-7003, or call non-toll-  
free number (301) 443-7370.

**Comments Due Date**

Comments regarding this information  
collection are best assured of having  
their full effect if received on or before  
January 12, 1998.

Dated: November 5, 1997.

**Martin K. Trusty,**

*Executive Officer, NIAAA.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
HUMAN SERVICES**

**National Institutes of Health**

**Government-Owned Inventions;  
Availability for Licensing**

**AGENCY:** National Institutes of Health,  
HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The inventions listed below  
are owned by agencies of the U.S.  
Government and are available for  
licensing in the U.S. in accordance with  
35 U.S.C. 207 to achieve expeditious  
commercialization of results of  
federally-funded research and  
development. Foreign patent  
applications are filed on selected  
inventions to extend market coverage  
for U.S. companies and may also be  
available for licensing.

**ADDRESSES:** Licensing information and  
copies of the U.S. patent applications  
listed below may be obtained by writing  
to the indicated licensing contact at the  
Office of Technology Transfer, National

Institutes of Health, 6011 Executive  
Boulevard, Suite 325, Rockville,  
Maryland 20852-3804; telephone: 301/  
496-7057; fax: 301/402-0220. A signed  
Confidential Disclosure Agreement will  
be required to receive copies of the  
patent applications.

**Identification of the Gene Causing  
Familial Mediterranean Fever**

D Kastner (NIAMS) et al.  
Serial No. 60/056,217 filed 21 Aug. 97  
*Licensing Contact:* Stephen Finley, 301/  
496-7056 ext. 215

The invention identifies the gene  
(MEFV) encoding the protein (pyrin)  
that is associated with familial  
Mediterranean fever (FMF). FMF, a  
recessive inherited disorder, is  
characterized by episodes of fever,  
inflammation, and unexplained  
arthritis, pleurisy, or abdominal pain.  
Pyrin is thought to play a role in  
keeping inflammation under control,  
whereas mutated forms lead to a  
malfunctioning protein and  
uncontrolled inflammation. Mutated  
forms of MEFV were isolated and  
correlated to FMF disease. It is  
anticipated that the immediate use of  
the pyrin gene and its mutations will be  
to aid in the diagnosis of FMF. It may  
also prove useful for evaluating FMF as  
a possible cause of currently  
unexplained fevers or abdominal pain.