monitoring. It is expected that this contract will receive continuation funding in FY 1999.

III. Proposed Research and Demonstration Activities in FY 1999

Section 315 of the Act authorizes the Department to award funds to States, localities, and private entities to carry out research, demonstration, and service projects designed to increase knowledge concerning, and to improve services for, runaway and homeless youth. These activities identify emerging issues and develop and test models which address such issues.

During FY 1999, the Family and Youth Services Bureau will continue to:

Support the nine Youth Development State Collaboration grants which were awarded in FY 1998 to facilitate the use of a youth development approach by States as they address the needs of adolescents at the State and local levels;

Support a youth development approach to the provision of services, both from theoretical and practical perspectives;

Pursue the development of youth development performance based indicators and outcome measures as a method of evaluating the effectiveness of youth services; and

Collaborate with Federal government agencies, State governments and local community based youth services organizations.

References

(*Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance* Number 93.623, Runaway and Homeless Youth Program; Number 93.550, Transitional Living Program for Homeless Youth; and Number 93.623, Training and Technical Assistance Grants)

Dated: January 25, 1999.

Patricia Montoya,

Commissioner, Administration on Children, Youth and Families.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Medical Child Support Working Group

AGENCY: Administration for Children and Families, DHHS.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is given of the first meeting of the Medical Child Support Working Group (MCSWG). The agenda for this first meeting includes swearing-in and orientation of members, program briefings, discussions, and business related to the operation of the MCSWG.

DATES AND TIME: March 3, 1999, 3:00 PM—6:00 PM, the Opening and Swearing-in Ceremony; March 4, 9:00 AM—3:00 PM, and March 5, 1999, 9:00 AM—Noon, for introductions and orientation for this new work group, program briefings, discussions, and business related to the operation of the MCSWG.

PLACE: Snow Room, room 5051, fifth floor, Wilbur Cohen Bldg., 300 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC for 3/3/99; room 800, eighth floor, Hubert H. Humphrey Bldg., 200 Independence Ave, SW, Washington, DC, for 3/4/99 and 3/5/99.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this first of several meetings of the MCSWG will be orientation of members regarding their roles and duties, program briefings, and initial discussion of key issues. In addition, the members will discuss business related to the operation of the MCSWG.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The MCSWG was authorized under section 401 of the Child Support Performance and Incentive Act of 1998 (PL 105–200).

The purpose of the MCSWG is to identify the impediments to the effective enforcement of medical support by State Child Support Enforcement agencies. The membership of the MCSWG was jointly appointed by the Secretaries of the Department of Labor (DOL) and the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS). The membership includes representatives of: (1) DOL; (2) DHHS; (3) State Child Support Enforcement Directors; (4) State Medicaid Directors; (5) employers, including owners of small businesses, and their trade and industry representatives and certified human resource and payroll professionals; (6) plan administrators and plan sponsors of group health plans (as defined in section 607(1) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (29 U.S.C. 1167(1)); (7) children potentially eligible for medical support, such as child advocacy organizations; (8) State medical child support organizations; and (9) organizations representing State child support programs.

The MCSWG is to submit to the Secretaries of DOL and DHHS a report containing recommendations for appropriate measures to address the impediments identified by the MCSWG, including: (1) recommendations based upon assessments of the form and content of the National Medical Support Notice, as issued under interim regulations; (2) appropriate measures that establish the priority of withholding of child support obligations, medical support obligations, arrearages in such obligations, and in the case of a medical support obligation, the employee's portion of any health care coverage premium, by such State agencies in light of the restrictions on garnishment provided under title III of the Consumer Credit Protection Act (15 U.S.C. 1671–1677; (3) appropriate procedures for coordinating the provision, enforcement, and transition of health care coverage under the State programs for child support, Medicaid and the Child Health Insurance Program (CHIP); (4) appropriate measures to improve the availability of alternate types of medical support that are aside from health care coverage offered through the noncustodial parent's employer, including measures that establish a noncustodial parent's responsibility to share the cost of premiums, co-payments, deductibles, or payments for service not covered under a child's existing health coverage; (5) recommendations as to whether reasonable cost should remain a consideration under section 452(f) of the Social Security Act; and (6) appropriate measures for eliminating any other impediments to the effective enforcement of medical support orders that the MCSWG deems necessary.

Public Participation

The meeting is open to the public with attendance limited by the availability of space on a first come, first served basis. Over the course of the MCSWG's tenure, future meetings will be dedicated to public input. Members of the public who wish to present oral statements should contact Samara Weinstein by telephone, fax machine, or mail as shown below and as soon as possible, at least four days before the meeting. The Chair of the MCSWG will reserve time for presentations by persons requesting to speak. Oral statements will be limited to five minutes. The order of persons wanting to make a statement will be assigned in the order in which the requests are received. Individuals unable to make oral presentations can mail or fax their written comments to the MCSWG staff office at least five business days before the meeting for distribution to the MCSWG membership and inclusion in the public record. Persons needing special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other special accommodations, should contact

MCSWG staff at the address below as soon as possible.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Samara Weinstein, Executive Director, Medical Child Support Working Group, Office of Child Support Enforcement, Fourth Floor East, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW, Washington, DC 20447; telephone 202–401–6953; fax number 202–401–5559; email sweinstein@acf.dhhs.gov

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David Gray Ross,

Commissioner, Office of Child Support Enforcement.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 99N–0123]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Food Labeling; Notification Procedures for Statements on Dietary Supplements

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (the PRA), Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of an existing collection of information, and to allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice solicits comments on the regulation requiring manufacturers, packers, and distributors of dietary supplements to notify FDA that they are marketing a dietary supplement product that bears on its label or in its labeling a statement provided for in the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (the act).

DATES: Submit written comments on the collection of information by April 5, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA–305), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852. All comments should be identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document.

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

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501–3520), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. ''Collection of information'' is defined in 44 U.S.C. 3502(3) and 5 CFR 1320.3(c) and includes agency requests or requirements that members of the public submit reports, keep records, or provide information to a third party. Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)) requires Federal agencies to provide a 60-day notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of an existing collection of information, before submitting the collection to OMB for approval. To comply with this requirement, FDA is publishing notice of the proposed collection of information set forth below.

With respect to the following collection of information, FDA invites comments on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of FDA's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of FDA'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 respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques, when appropriate, and other forms of information technology.

Food Labeling; Notification Procedures for Statements on Dietary Supplements—21 CFR 101.93 (OMB Control Number 0910–0331—Extension)

Description: Section 403(r)(6) of the act (21 U.S.C. 343(r)(6)) requires that the agency be notified by manufacturers, packers, and distributors of dietary supplements that they are marketing a dietary supplement product that bears on its label or in its labeling a statement provided for in section 403(r)(6) of the act. Section 403(r)(6) of the act requires that the agency be notified, with a submission about such statements, no later than 30 days after the first marketing of the dietary supplement. Information that is required in the submission includes: (1) The name and address of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor of the dietary supplement product; (2) the text of the statement that is being made; (3) the name of the dietary ingredient or supplement that is the subject of the statement; (4) the name of the dietary supplement (including the brand name); and (5) a signature of a responsible individual who can certify the accuracy of the information presented.

The agency established § 101.93 (21 CFR 101.93) as the procedural regulation for this program. Section 101.93 provides details of the procedures associated with the submission and identifies the information that must be included in order to meet the requirements of section 403 of the act.

Description of Respondents: Businesses or other for-profit organizations.

FDA estimates the burden of this collection of information as follows:

TABLE 1.—ESTIMATED ANNUAL REPORTING BURDEN[1]

21 CFR Section	No. of Respondents	Annual Frequency per Response	Total Annual Responses	Hours per Response	Total Hours
101.93	700	1	700	0.5 to 1	350 to 700

[1] There are no capital costs or operating and maintenance costs associated with this collection of information.

The agency believes that there will be minimal burden on the industry to generate information to meet the requirements of section 403 of the act in submitting information regarding section 403(r)(6) of the act statements on