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COPY OF PROPOSAL: A copy of this proposal may be obtained from the Information Collection Management Branch (CAIR), Room 7102, GSA Building, 18th & F Streets, NW, Washington, DC 20405, or by telephoning (202) 501-2691, or by faxing your request to (202) 501-2727.

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Kenneth S. Stacey,

Acting Director, Information Management Division (CAI).

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Findings of Scientific Misconduct

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Office of Research Integrity (ORI) has made final findings of scientific misconduct in the following case:

Catherine Kerr, St. Mary's Hospital: The Office of Research Integrity (ORI) conducted an investigation into possible scientific misconduct on the part of Ms. Catherine Kerr while she was a data coordinator at St. Mary's Hospital, Montreal, Quebec. ORI concluded that Ms. Kerr committed scientific misconduct by falsifying and fabricating the dates of tests or examinations required prior to study entry for one woman entered on the Breast Cancer Prevention Trial (BCPT). She also fabricated laboratory results and falsified dates of laboratory tests used to follow the progress of another woman entered on the trial. The BCPT is coordinated by the National Surgical Adjuvant Breast and Bowel Project (NSABP) and supported by the National Cancer Institute and the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute. Because the BCPT is still in progress, no conclusions or results have been published and no clinical recommendations have been based on the results of the study.

Ms. Kerr originally appealed but later withdrew her request for a hearing on the ORI findings and administrative actions, which require that, for a period of three years, any institution that proposes Ms. Kerr's participation in PHS-supported research must submit a

supervisory plan designed to ensure the scientific integrity of her contribution. Ms. Kerr is also prohibited from serving in any advisory capacity to PHS for a period of three years.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Director, Division of Research Investigations, Office of Research Integrity, 5515 Security Lane, Suite 700, Rockville, MD 20852.

Lyle W. Bivens,

Director, Office of Research Integrity.

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Administration for Children and Families

New and Pending Demonstration Project Proposals Submitted Pursuant to Section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act: August 1995

AGENCY: Administration for Children and Families, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice lists new proposals for welfare reform and combined welfare reform/Medicaid demonstration projects submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services for the month of August, 1995. It includes both those proposals being considered under the standard waiver process and those being considered under the 30 day process. Federal approval for the proposals has been requested pursuant to section 1115 of the Social Security Act. This notice also lists proposals that were previously submitted and are still pending a decision and projects that have been approved since August 1, 1995. The Health Care Financing Administration is publishing a separate notice for Medicaid only demonstration projects.

Comments: We will accept written comments on these proposals. We will, if feasible, acknowledge receipt of all comments, but we will not provide written responses to comments. We will, however, neither approve nor disapprove any new proposals under the standard application process for at least 30 days after the date of this notice to allow time to receive and consider comments. Direct comments as indicated below.

ADDRESSES: For specific information or questions on the content of a project contact the State contact listed for that project.

Comments on a proposal or requests for copies of a proposal should be addressed to: Howard Rolston, Administration for Children and Families, 370 L'Enfant Promenade SW.,

Aerospace Building, 7th Floor West, Washington DC 20447. FAX: (202) 205-3598 PHONE: (202) 401-9220.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

Under section 1115 of the Social Security Act (the Act), the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) may approve research and demonstration project proposals with a broad range of policy objectives.

In exercising her discretionary authority, the Secretary has developed a number of policies and procedures for reviewing proposals. On September 27, 1994, we published a notice in the **Federal Register** (59 FR 49249) that specified (1) the principles that we ordinarily will consider when approving or disapproving demonstration projects under the authority in section 1115(a) of the Act; (2) the procedures we expect States to use in involving the public in the development of proposed demonstration projects under section 1115; and (3) the procedures we ordinarily will follow in reviewing demonstration proposals. We are committed to a thorough and expeditious review of State requests to conduct such demonstrations.

On August 16, 1995, the Secretary published a notice in the **Federal Register** (60 FR 158) exercising her discretion to request proposals testing welfare reform strategies in five areas. Since such projects can only incorporate provisions included in that announcement, they are not subject to the Federal notice procedures. The Secretary proposed a 30 day approval process for those provisions. As previously noted, this notice lists all new or pending welfare reform demonstration proposals under section 1115. Where possible, we have identified the proposals being considered under the 30 day process. However, the Secretary reserves the right to exercise her discretion to consider any proposal under the 30 day process if it meets those criteria in the five specified areas and the State requests it or concurs.

II. Listing of New and Pending Proposals for the Month of August, 1995

As part of our procedures, we are publishing a monthly notice in the **Federal Register** of all new and pending proposals. This notice contains proposals for the month of August, 1995.

Project Title: California - Work Pays Demonstration Project (Amendment).

Description: Would amend Work Pays Demonstration Project by adding