

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
National Institutes of Health
Center for Scientific Review; Amended Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given of a change in the meeting of the Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, September 26, 2000, 12:30 p.m. to September 26, 2000 2:30 p.m., NIH, Rockledge 2, Bethesda, MD 20892 which was published in the **Federal Register** on September 21, 2000, 65 FR 57201-57202.

The meeting will be held October 24, 2000, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The location remains the same. The meeting is closed to the public.

Dated: October 6, 2000.

LaVerne Y. Stringfield,

Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
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Center for Scientific Review; Amended Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given of a change in the meeting of the Diagnostic Radiology Study Section, October 16, 2000, 8 am to October 17, 2000, 5 pm, Georgetown Holiday Inn, 2101 Wisconsin Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20007 which was published in the **Federal Register** on October 5, 2000, 65 FR 59454-59456.

The meeting will be held at the Georgetown Suites, 1111 30th Street, NW, Washington, DC. The dates and time remain the same. The meeting is closed to the public.

Dated: October 6, 2000.

LaVerne Y. Stringfield,

Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
Prospective Grant of Exclusive License: Insulin Producing Cells Differentiated from Non-Insulin Producing Cells by GLP-1 and Exendin-4 and Use Thereof

AGENCY: National Institutes of Health, Public Health Service, DHHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is notice, in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 209(c)(1) and 37 CFR 404.7(a)(1)(i), that the National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services, is contemplating the grant of an exclusive license worldwide to practice the invention embodied in: PCT Patent Application Serial Number PCT/US99/180899 (PHS Ref. E-151-97/1) entitled "Insulin Producing Cells Differentiated from Non-Insulin Producing Cells by GLP-1 and Exendin-4 and Use Thereof" filed on August 18, 1999, claiming priority of August 10, 1998, to Amylin Pharmaceuticals, Inc., having a place of business in San Diego, CA. The patent rights in this invention have been assigned to the United States America.

DATES: Only written comments and/or application for a license which are received by the NIH Office of Technology Transfer on or before December 18, 2000 will be considered.

ADDRESSES: Requests for a copy of the patent applications, inquiries, comments and other materials relating to the contemplated license should be directed to: John Rambosek, Ph.D., Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health, 6011 Executive Boulevard, Suite 325, Rockville, MD 20852-3804; Email: jr312d@nih.gov; Telephone: (301) 496-7056, ext. 270; Facsimile: (301) 402-0220.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The patent application relates to a population of insulin producing cells differentiated from non-insulin producing cells by contacting the non-insulin producing cells with Glucagon-like peptide-1 (GLP-1), Exendin-4, or related peptides. The application also relates to the methods for obtaining the insulin producing cells and therapeutic uses in the treatment of diabetes mellitus.

The prospective exclusive license will be royalty bearing and will comply with the terms and conditions of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. The prospective exclusive license may be limited to the field of use for development of products and methods for treatment of diabetes.

The field for use would include development, use, manufacture, distribution, import, export, marketing and sale of the licensed invention, throughout the world. The prospective exclusive license may be granted unless, within 60 days from the date of this published Notice, NIH receives written evidence and argument that establishes that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7.

Properly filed competing applications for a license filed in response to this notice will be treated as objections to the contemplated license. Comments and objections submitted in response to this notice will not be made available for public inspection, and, to the extent permitted by law, will not be released under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552.

Dated: October 5, 2000.

Jack Spiegel,

Director, Division of Technology Development and Transfer, Office of Technology Transfer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
Public Health Service
National Toxicology Program; National Toxicology Program (NTP) Board of Scientific Counselors' Meeting; Review of Nominations for Listing in the 10th Report on Carcinogens

Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given of the next meeting of the NTP Board of Scientific Counselors' Report on Carcinogens (RoC) Subcommittee to be held on December 13, 14, and 15, 2000, at the Wyndham City Center, 1143 New Hampshire Ave., Washington, DC 20037. On December 13, registration will begin at 9 a.m. and the meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. On December 14 and 15, the meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. Pre-registration is not required; however, persons requesting time to make oral, public comments are asked to notify Dr. Mary S. Wolfe, Executive Secretary, prior to the meeting (contact information given below). The agenda covers the peer review of agents, substances, mixtures, or exposure circumstances nominated for listing in the 10th Report on Carcinogens, and includes an opportunity for public input.

Background

The Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Report on Carcinogens