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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences; Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following meeting.

The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The contract proposals and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the contract proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Name of Committee: National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences Special Emphasis Panel Support Services for Epidemiology.

Date: January 11, 2005.

Time: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate contract proposals.

Place: NIEHS/National Institute of Health, Building 4401, East Campus, 79 T.W. Alexander Drive, 3162, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: RoseAnne M. McGee, Associate Scientific Review Administrator, Scientific Review Branch, Office of Program Operations, Division of Extramural Research and Training, Nat. Inst. of Environmental Health Sciences, P.O. Box 12233, MD ED-30, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709, 919/541-0752.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.115, Biometry and Risk Estimation—Health Risks from Environmental Exposures; 93.142, NIEHS Hazardous Waste Worker Health and Safety Training; 93.143, NIEHS Superfund Hazardous Substances—Basic Research and Education; 93.894, Resources and Manpower Development in the Environmental Health Sciences; 93.113, Biological Response to Environmental Health Hazards; 93.114, Applied Toxicological Research and Testing, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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Name of Committee: National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences Special Emphasis Panel Studies to Evaluate Toxicologic and Carcinogenic Potential of Test Articles in Laboratory Animals for NTP.

Date: December 9, 2004.

Time: 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate contract proposals.

Place: NIEHS/National Institutes of Health, Building 4401, East Campus, 79 T.W. Alexander Drive, 122, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: RoseAnne M McGee, Associate Scientific Review Administrator, Scientific Review Branch, Office of Program Operations, Division of Extramural Research and Training, Nat. Inst. of Environmental Health Sciences, P.O. Box 12233, MD EC-30, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709, 919/541-0752.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke; Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Muscular Dystrophy Coordinating Committee.

The meeting will be open to the public, with attendance limited to space available. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should inform the Contact Person listed below in advance of the meeting.

Name of Committee: Muscular Dystrophy Coordinating Committee.

Date: December 1, 2004.

Time: 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Agenda: The Muscular Dystrophy Coordinating Committee (MDCC) will hold a meeting to learn about activities and recent initiatives at various federal agencies and within the muscular dystrophy scientific community. The Committee will also discuss strategies to begin to implement the "Muscular Dystrophy Research and Education Plan for the National Institutes of Health," which the Committee developed in accordance with the MD-CARE Act. Future directions for the MDCC will also be discussed. An agenda will be posted prior to the meeting on the MDCC Web site: http://www.ninds.nih.gov/research/muscular_dystrophy/coordinating_committee

The "Muscular Dystrophy Research and Education Plan for the National Institutes of Health" may be accessed at: http://www.ninds.nih.gov/research/muscular_dystrophy/coordinating_committee/MD_Plan_submitted.pdf

Place: Holiday Inn, Silver Spring, MD, 8777 Georgia Avenue, Silver Spring, MD 20910, 301-589-0800.

Contact Person: Heather Rieff, PhD, Executive Secretary, Muscular Dystrophy Coordinating Committee, Office of Science Policy and Planning, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, NIH, 31 Center Drive, Room 8A03, MSC 2540, Bethesda, MD 20892, E-mail: rieffh@ninds.nih.gov, Phone: (301) 496-9271.

Any interested person may file written comments with the committee by forwarding their statement to the Contact Person listed on this notice. The statement should include