FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION

Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

Joint Meeting of the Anesthetic and Life Support Drugs Advisory Committee and

Drug Safety & Risk Management Advisory Committee

TENTATIVE AGENDA

November 14, 2008

The committees will discuss new drug application (NDA) 22-321, EMBEDA (morphine sulfate extended-release with sequestered naltrexone hydrochloride) Capsules, Alpharma Pharmaceuticals L.L.C., and its safety for the proposed indication of management of moderate to severe chronic pain. The naltrexone component of this formulation is intended to mitigate abuse of the product when attempts are made to defeat the controlled-release properties of the formulation.

9:15 a.m. Call to Order John T. Farrar, M.D.

Introduction of Committee Chair, ALSDAC

Conflict of Interest Statement Kalyani Bhatt

Designated Federal Officer, ALSDAC/DSaRM

9:25 a.m. Opening Remarks

9:30 a.m. Sponsor Presentations Alpharma Pharmaceuticals, LLC

10:15 a.m. FDA Presentations

11:00 a.m. Questions to the Presenters

12:00 noon Lunch

1:00 Open Public Hearing

2:00 p.m. Discussion and Questions to the Committee

4:30 p.m. Adjourn