AGENDA

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ALLERGENIC PRODUCTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

March 5, 2001

Holiday Inn Bethesda Versailles I and II 8120 Wisconsin Avenue Bethesda, MD 20184

8:30 a.m. Opening remarks Dennis R. Ownby, M.D., Chairman 8:40 a.m. I. REPORTS 8:40 Laboratory of Immunobiochemistry Personnel Update Jay E. Slater, M.D., Division of Bacterial, Parasitic and Allergenic Products (DBPAP), OVRR, FDA Lot Release Statistics 8:45 New Guidance Documents 8:50 9:00 Research Update Cockroach Standardization 9:30 9:50 Compliance Report, Mary Anne Malarkey, Office of Compliance and Biologics Quality (OCBQ), FDA 10:15 a.m. **BREAK**

10:30 a.m. II. REGULATORY UPDATES

Discussion of whether master seed stocks of mold strains used for allergenic extracts should be rederived to reduce a theoretical risk of Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy (TSE) transmission.

10:30 TSE as it affects allergens, Jay E. Slater, M.D., DBPAP, FDA 11:00 Committee discussion

11:30 Open Public Hearing

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II. REGULATORY UPDATES (continued)

Discussion of the statistical power of clinical studies used to assess bioequivalence as it applies to allergen extract studies.

12:00 Statistical power of clinical studies comparing allergen extracts
Peter A. Lachenbruch, Ph.D., OBE, FDA
and Jay E. Slater, M.D., DBPAP, FDA

12:30 Committee discussion

12:50 p.m. Lunch

Discussion of the effect of particulates on allergen extracts.

1:50 Particulates in allergen extracts

Jennifer Bridgewater, MPH, DBPAP, FDA

2:10 Invited comments from the Allergenic Products Manufacturers Association Shirley Williamson, President, APMA,

2:30 Open Public Hearing

3:00 Committee Discussion

3:45 p.m. ADJOURN