acquisition of assets of Burlington Industries, Incorporated, August 9, 1984

(25) 84-0740—Joy Manufacturing Company's proposed acquisition of assets of Foster Cathead Company, and Thornhill Craver Company (Galveston-Houston Company, UPE), August 9, 1984

(26) 84-0741—United Merchants and Manufacturers, Incorporated's proposed acquisition of voting securities of Jonathan Logan, Incorporated, August 9, 1984

(27) 84-0746—Sheller-Globe Corporation's proposed acquisition of voting securities of Northern Fibre Products Company (Jere B. Ambrose, UPE), August 9, 1984

(28) 84-0747—Standard Oil Company's (Indiana) proposed acquisition of assets of Damson Oil Corporation, August 9, 1984

(29) 84-0748—VICORP Restaurants, Incorporated's proposed acquisition of assets of Sambo's Restaurants, Incorporated, August 9, 1984

(30) 84-0749—Sambo's Restaurants, Incorporated's proposed acquisition of voting securities of VICORP Restuarants, Incorporated, August 9, 1984

(31) 84-0751—Sun Alliance and London Insurance plc's proposed acquisition of voting securities of Phoenix Assurance plc, August 9, 1984

(32) 84-0753—Damson Oil Corporation's proposed acquisition of assets of Diamond Shamrock Corporation, August 9, 1984

(33) 84-0763—Peck-Lynn Group, Ltd's (Howard P. Hoeper, UPE) proposed acquisition of assets of Universal Packaging Corporation (Dart & Kraft) Incorporated, UPE), August 9, 1984

(34) 84-0702—Republic Health Corporation's proposed acquisition of assets of Humana, Incorporated, August 10, 1984

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Patricia A. Foster, Compliance Specialist, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau of Competition, Room 301, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580, (202) 523-3894.

By direction of the Commission.

**Benjamin I. Berman,**
*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration

### Meetings

In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. Appendix I), announcement is made of the following national advisory bodies scheduled to assemble during the month of September 1984.

**Rape Prevention and Control Advisory Committee**

September 10-11; 9:00 a.m.
Parklawn Building, Conference Room H, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857
Open
*Contact:* Mary Lystad, Ph.D., Executive Secretary, Rape Prevention and Control Advisory Committee, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, (301) 443-1910

*Purpose:* The Committee advises the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, the Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, and the Director, National Institute of Mental Health, through the National Center for the Prevention and Control of Rape (NCPCR), on matters regarding the needs and concerns associated with rape in the United States and makes recommendations pertaining to activities to be undertaken by the Department to address the problems of rape.

*Agenda:* The entire meeting will be open to the public. It will include discussions of research development in the NCPCR, child sexual assault service programs and prevention programs in sexual assault.

**National Advisory Council on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism**

September 13-14; 10:30 a.m.
National Institutes of Health, Wilson Hall, Building 1, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, Maryland 20205
*Open*—September 13; 10:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
*Closed*—Otherwise
*Contact:* Mr. James Vaughan, Parklawn Building, Room 16 C-20, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, (301) 443-4375

*Purpose:* The Council advises the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services regarding policy direction and program issues of national significance in the area of alcohol abuse and alcoholism. Reviews all grant applications submitted, evaluates these applications in terms of scientific merit and adherence to Department policies, and makes recommendations to the Secretary with respect to approval and amount of award.

*Agenda:* From 10:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m., September 13, (open session) the meeting will be devoted to general business of the Council and a discussion of current budget, legislative and program activities. From 9:00 a.m. to adjournment, September 14, (closed session) the Council will conduct a final review of grant applications for Federal assistance and this session will not be open to the public in accordance with the determination by the Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, pursuant to the provisions set forth in section 552b(c)(6), and section 10(d) of Pub. L. 92-463 (5 U.S.C. Appendix I).

**Mental Health Small Grant Review Committee**

September 13-15; 1:30 p.m.
The Georgetown Hotel, 2121 P Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037
*Open*—September 13; 1:30-2:30 p.m.
*Closed*—Otherwise
*Contact:* Ms. Virginia Harter, Parklawn Building, Room 9-95, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, (301) 443-4843

*Purpose:* The Committee is charged with the initial review of applications for research in all disciplines pertaining to alcohol, drug abuse, and mental health for support of research in the areas of psychology, psychiatry, and the behavioral and biological sciences, with recommendations to the National Advisory Mental Health Council, the National Advisory Council on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, and the National Advisory Council on Drug Abuse.

*Agenda:* From 1:20-2:30 p.m., September 13, the meeting will be open for discussion of administrative announcements and program developments. Otherwise, the Committee will be performing initial review of applications for Federal assistance and will not be open to the public in accordance with the determination by the Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, pursuant to the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6), and section 10(d) of Pub. L. 92-463 (5 U.S.C. Appendix I).

**National Advisory Mental Health Council**

September 17-19; 9:00 a.m.
September 17—National Institutes of Health, Building 31 C, Conference

Room 6, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, Maryland 20205
September 18–19—Parklawn Building, Conference Room M, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857
*Open*—September 17; 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
*Closed*—Otherwise
*Contact:* Ms. Helen W. Garrett, Committee Management Officer, Parklawn Building, Room 17C26, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, (301) 443–4333

*Purpose:* The Council advises the Secretary of Health and Human Services, the Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, and the Director, National Institute of Mental Health regarding policies and programs of the Department in the field of mental health. The Council reviews applications for grants-in-aid relating to research and training in the field of mental health and makes recommendations to the Secretary with respect to approval of applications for, and amount of, these grants.

*Agenda:* On September 17, the meeting will be open for discussion of NIMH policy issues and will include current administrative, legislative, and program developments. Attendance by the public for the open session will be limited to space available. Otherwise, the Council will conduct a final review of applications for Federal assistance and will not be open to the public in accordance with the determination by the Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, pursuant to the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6), and section 10(d) of Pub. L. 92–463 (5 U.S.C. Appendix I).

**Board of Scientific Counselors, National Institute on Drug Abuse**

September 17–18; 9:30 a.m.
Addiction Research Center, Conference Room, Baltimore, Maryland 21224
*Open*—September 17; 9:30–10:00 a.m.
*Closed*—Otherwise
*Contact:* Mr. Francis C. Johnson, c/o Francis Scott Key Medical Center, Baltimore, Maryland 21224, (301) 955–7502

*Purpose:* The Board provides expert advice to the Director, NIDA, on the drug abuse intramural research program through periodic visits to the laboratories for asessment of the research in progress and evaluation of productivity and performance of staff scientists.

*Agenda:* From 9:30–10:00 a.m., September 17, the meeting will open for administrative announcements and program developments. Otherwise, the Board will be performing a review of the intramural research projects of the Addiction Research Center, including an evaluation of individual scientific programs, and will not be open to the public in accordance with the determination by the Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, pursuant to the provisions of section 552b(c)(6), and section 10(d) of Pub. L. 92–463 (5 U.S.C. Appendix I).

**National Advisory Council on Drug Abuse**

September 18–19; 9:00 a.m.
National Institutes of Health, Building 31C, Conference Room 7, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, Maryland 20205
*Open*—September 18; 9:00 a.m.–12 noon
September 19; 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
*Closed*—Otherwise
Contact: Ms. Sheila Gardner, Parklawn Building, Room 10A–53, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, (301) 443–6720

*Purpose:* The Council advises and makes recommendations to the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, the Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, and the Director, National Institute on Drug Abuse, on the development of new initiatives and priorities and the efficient administration of drug abuse research, including prevention and treatment research, and research training. Council also gives advice on policies and priorities for drug abuse grants and contracts, and reviews and makes final recommendations on grant applications.

*Agenda:* From 9:00 a.m.–12:00 noon, September 18, and from 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m., September 19, the meeting will be open for discussion of administrative announcements, program development and policy issues. Otherwise, the Council will be performing final review of applications for Federal assistance and will not be open to the public in accordance with the determination by the Administrator, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration, pursuant to the provisions of Pub. L. 92–463 (5 U.S.C. Appendix I).

From 3:30–5:00 p.m., September 19, as time permits, the Council will hear statements from interested organizations in the drug abuse field. Persons interested in appearing should contact the Executive Secretary to be scheduled. The oral presentation shall be no longer than 10 minues, although written statements may be submitted in supplement.

Substantive information may be obtained from the contact persons listed above. Summaries of the meetings and rosters of Committee members may be obtained as follows: NIAAA: Mrs. Diana Widner, Committee Management Officer, Room 16C20, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, (301) 443–4375. NIDA: Ms. Claudette Wright, Committee Management Officer, Room 10–22, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, (301) 443–1644. NIMH: Ms. Helen W. Garrett, Committee Management Officer, Room 17C26, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, (301) 443–4333.

Dated: August 23, 1984.

**Sue Simons,**

*Committee Management Officer, Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration.*

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## Food and Drug Administration

**[Docket No. 84G–0257]**

## Ad Hoc Enzyme Technical Committee; Amended Notice of Filing of Petition for Affirmation of GRAS Status

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that the Ad Hoc Enzyme Technical Committee has submitted an amendment to its petition (GRASP 3G0016) proposing affirmation that the enzymes ficin and pancreatin are generally recognized as safe (GRAS) for use in food.

**DATE:** Comments by October 29, 1984.

**ADDRESS:** Written comments to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA–305), Food and Drug Administration, Rm. 4–62, 5600 Fishers Land, Rockville, MD 20857.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Leo F. Mansor, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFF–335), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202–426–8950.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In the **Federal Register** of April 12, 1973 (38 FR 9256), FDA announced that the Ad Hoc Enzyme Technical Committee, Mr. R.B. Kocher, Chairman, c/o Miles Laboratories, Inc., 1127 Myrtle St., Elkhart, IN 46514, had filed a petition (GRASP 3G0016) proposing affirmation that the following plant, animal, and microbially derived enzymes are generally recognized as safe (GRAS) for use in food:

1. Animal-derived enzyme preparations: Catalase (bovine liver); lipase; pepsin; rennet; rennet, bovine; and trypsin.

2. Plant-derived enzyme preparations: Bromelain; malt; and papain.

3. Microbially-derived enzyme preparations: *Aspergillus niger*, var.—lipase; *Aspergillus niger*, var.—catalase; *Aspergillus niger*, var.—carbohydrase; *Aspergillus niger*, var.—glucose oxidase; *Bacillus subtilis*, var.—carbohydrase and protease mixtures; *Rhizopus oryzae*—carbohydrase; and *Saccharomyces* species—carbohydrase.

Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5), 72 Stat. 1786 (21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5))) and the regulations for affirmation of GRAS status in § 170.35 (21 CFR 170.35), notice is given that the Ad Hoc Enzyme Technical Committee has submitted an amendment to its petition (GRASP 3G0016) proposing affirmation that the enzymes ficin, obtained from Ficus species (fig tree), and pancreatin, obtained from bovine and porcine pancreas, are GRAS for use in food.

The amendment has been placed on display at the Dockets Management Branch (address above). Any petition that meets the format requirements outlined in § 170.35 is filed by the agency. There is no prefiling review of the adequacy of data to support a GRAS conclusion. Thus, the filing of a petition for GRAS affirmation should not be interpreted as preliminary indication of suitability for affirmation.

Interested persons may, on or before October 29, 1984, review the petition and/or file comments (two copies, identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document) with the Dockets Management Branch (address above). Comments should include any available information that would be helpful in determining whether the substance is, or is not, GRAS. A copy of the request to amend the petition and received comments may be seen in the Dockets Management Branch between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Dated: August 23, 1984.

**Taylor M. Quinn,**

*Acting Director, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition.*

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**[Docket No. 83F-0050]**

## Ciba-Geigy Corp.; Withdrawal of Petition for Food Additive

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing the withdrawal without prejudice of a petition proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of octadecyl 3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyhdrocinnamate as an antioxidant/stabilizer.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John L. Herrman, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFF-334), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-472-5690.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b), 72 Stat. 1786 (21 U.S.C. 348(b))), the following notice is issued:

In accordance with § 171.7 *Withdrawal of petition without prejudice* of the procedural food additive regulations (21 CFR 171.7), Ciba-Geigy Corp., Three Skyline Drive, Hawthorne, NY 10532, has withdrawn its petition (FAP 3B3697), notice of which published in the **Federal Register** of March 11, 1983 (48 FR 10476), proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of octadecyl 3,5-di-*tert*-butyl-4-hydroxyhydro-cinnamate as an antioxidant/stabilizer.

Dated: August 23, 1984.

**Taylor M. Quinn,**

*Acting Director, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition.*

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## Consumer Participation; Open Meetings

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing the following consumer exchange meetings:

### Baltimore District Office

Chaired by Thomas L. Hooker, District Director. The topics to be discussed are Toxic Shock Syndrome (TSS) and Irradiated Foods. The theme of the conference is "Public Health and the Law."

*Date:* Friday, September 7, 1984, 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

*Address:* West Virginia Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Oglebay, Wheeling, WV 26003.

*For further information contact:* Anne B. Lane, Consumer Affairs Officer, Food and Drug Administration, 900 Madison Ave., Baltimore, MD 21201, 301-962-3731.

### New Orleans District Office

Chaired by Robert O. Bartz, District Director. The topics to be discussed are Irradiated Foods and Prescription to Over-the-Counter Drugs Switch.

*Date:* Thursday, September 13, 1984, 1:30 p.m.

*Address:* 4298 Elysian Fields Ave., New Orleans, LA 70122.

*For further information contact:* Frances G. Brysson, Consumers Affairs Officer, Food and Drug Administration, 4298 Elysian Fields Ave., New Orleans, LA 70122, 504-589-2420.

### Newark District Office

Chaired by Matthew H. Lewis, District Director. The topics to be discussed are Sulfiting Agents and Foods and Drugs.

*Date:* Monday, September 17, 1984, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

*Address:* Cooperative Extension Service, 1200 West Harding Highway, Mays Landing, NJ 08330.

*For further information contact:* Lillie Dortch-Wright, Consumer Affairs Officer, Food and Drug Administration, 20 Evergreen Place, East Orange, NJ 07018, 201-645-3265.

### Newark District Office

Chaired by Matthew H. Lewis, District Director. The topics to be discussed are Sulfiting Agents and Foods and Drugs.

*Date:* Tuesday, September 18, 1984, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

*Address:* Cooperative Extension Service, 152 Ohio Ave., Clementon, NJ 08021.

*For further information contact:* Joan A. Godal, Consumer Affairs Officer, Food and Drug Administration, 20 Evergreen Place, East Orange, NJ 07018, 201-645-3265.

### Minneapolis District Office

Chaired by John Feldman, District Director. The topics to be discussed are Prescription to Over-the-Counter Drugs Switch, the Use of Caffeine as a Food Additive in FDA-regulated Products, and Health Fraud.

*Date:* Wednesday, September 19, 1984, 1:30 p.m.

*Address:* Senior Citizen Center, 121 North Broadway, Rochester, MN 55901.

*For further information contact:* Donald W. Aird, Jr., Consumer Affairs Officer, Food and Drug Administration, 240 Hennepin Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55401, 612-349-3906.

### New Orleans District Office

Chaired by Robert O. Bartz, District Director. The topics to be discussed are Irradiated Foods and Prescription to Over-the-Counter Drugs Switch.