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[Docket No. 90F-0443]

Hoechst Celanese Corp.; Filing of Food Additive Petition

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that Hoechst Celanese Corp. has filed a petition proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of acesulfame potassium as a nonnutritive sweetener in baked goods and baking mixes.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Laura M. Tarantino, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFF-330), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-472-5740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5) (21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5))), notice is given that Hoechst Celanese Corp., Route 202-206 North, Somerville, NJ 08876, has filed a petition (FAP OA4225) proposing that the food additive regulations in § 172.800 *Acesulfame potassium* (21 CFR 172.800) be amended to provide for the safe use of acesulfame potassium as a nonnutritive sweetener in baked goods and baking mixes.

The potential environmental impact of this action is being reviewed. If the agency finds that an environmental impact statement is not required and this petition results in a regulation, the notice of availability of the agency's finding of no significant impact and the evidence supporting that finding will be published with the regulation in the **Federal Register** in accordance with 21 CFR 25.40(c).

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Office of Human Development Services

Federal Council on the Aging; Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Federal Council on the Aging, HHS.

TIME AND DATE: Meeting begins at 9 a.m. and ends at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, November 14, 1990, and begins at 9 a.m. and ends at 5 p.m., on Thursday, November 15, 1990.

PLACE: On Wednesday, November 14 and Thursday, November 15, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., in (Conference room to be announced) of the Holiday Inn-Capitol, 550 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20024.

STATUS: Meeting is open to the public.

CONTACT PERSON: Kevin W. Parks, room 4280, Wilbur Cohen Federal Building, 330 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20201, (202) 619-2451.

The Federal Council on the Aging was established by the 1973 Amendments to the Older Americans Act of 1965 (Pub. L. 93-29, 42 U.S.C. 3015) for the purpose of advising the President, the Secretary of Health and Human Services, the Commissioner on Aging and the Congress on matters relating to the special needs of older Americans.

Notice is hereby given to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-453, 5 U.S.C. App. 1, Sec. 10, 1970) that the Council will hold its first quarterly meeting for FY 91 on November 14 and 15, 1990, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. respectively at the Holiday Inn-Capitol, 550 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20024.

The agenda will include: The Council's regular business meeting during the morning session on November 14 from 9 to 10:30 a.m. and a presentation by the Nutritionist from the Texas Department on Aging and others about the Older Americans Act Nutrition program from 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon. The afternoon session will begin at 1:30 p.m. and end at 5 p.m. and will be devoted to background information about the evolution of the Older Americans Act and the 1991 Amendment issues. Congressional Aging Committee staff and representatives from various national aging organizations will make presentations about current issues and concerns.

On Thursday, November 15, the day long session will be devoted to a discussion about model mental health programs and methods for assisting

older persons and their caregivers in accessing community based mental health services.

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Ingrid C. Azvedo,

Chairperson, Federal Council on the Aging.

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National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; AIDS Research Advisory Committee; Meeting

Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, notice is hereby given of the meeting of the Clinical Research Subcommittee of the AIDS Research Advisory Committee, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, on December 3-4, 1990, in the Regency Room at the Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

The entire meeting will be open to the public from 9 a.m. on December 3 to adjournment at 5 p.m. on December 4. The committee will discuss the status of parallel track, review the AIDS Clinical Trials Group Recompetition plan, examine the role of the committee in the evaluation of unproven therapies, and plan for the next meeting. Attendance by the public will be limited to space available.

Ms. Patricia Randall, Office of Reporting and Public Response, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, Building 31, Room 7A32, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, telephone (301-496-5717) will provide a summary of the meeting and a roster of the committee members upon request.

John S. Noe, Executive Secretary, AIDS Research Advisory Committee, Division of Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome, NIAID, NIH, Control Data Building Room 201N, telephone (301-496-0545) will provide substantive program information.

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John J. Beveridge,

Committee Management Officer, NIAID

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