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Asahi Denka Kogyo K. K.; Filing of Food Additive Petition

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that Asahi Denka Kogyo K. K. has filed a petition proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of tetradecanoic acid, lithium salt as a stabilizer in polypropylene and certain olefin copolymers intended for use in contact with food.

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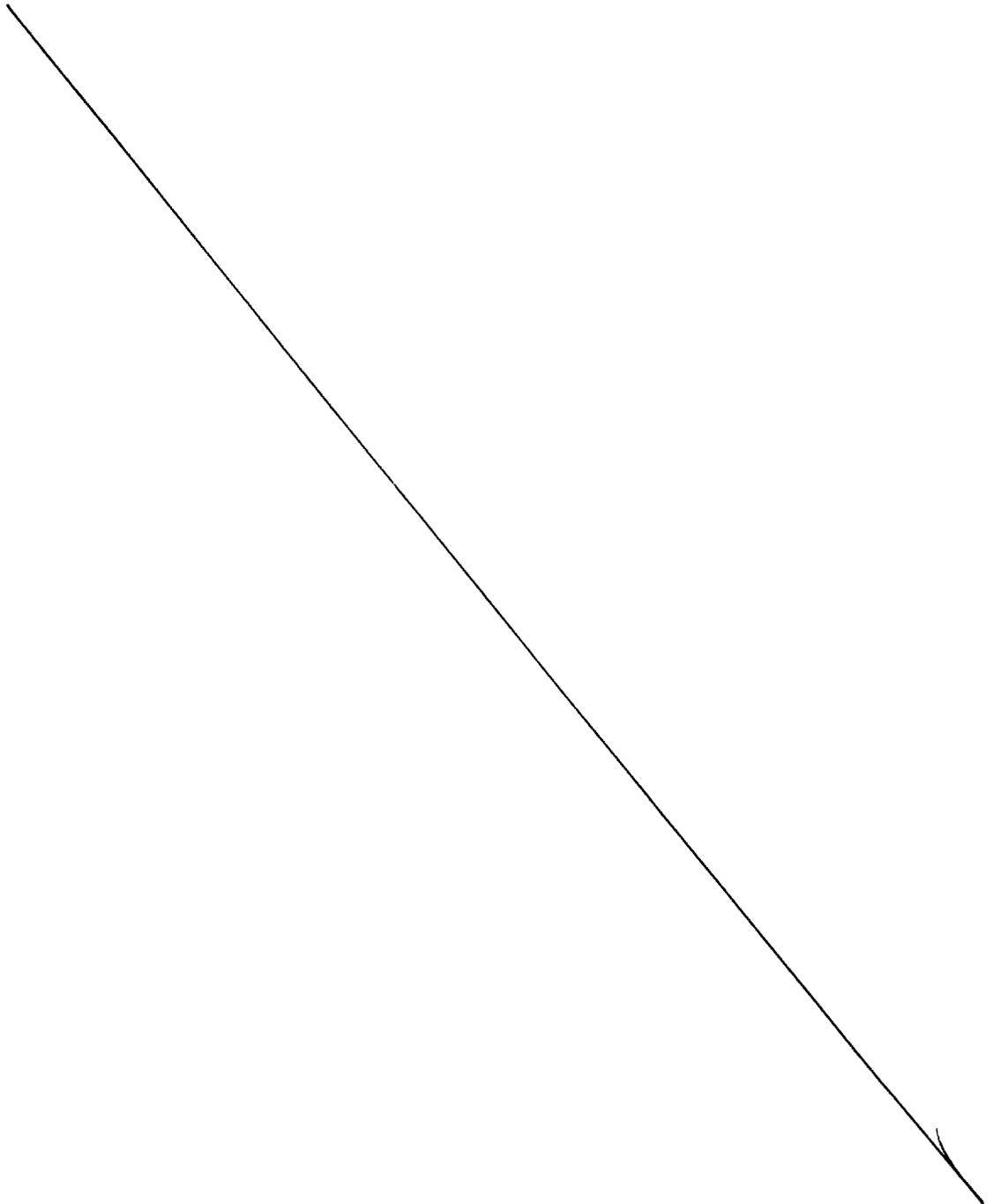
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5) (21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5))), notice is given that a food additive petition (FAP 9B4665) has been filed by Asahi Denka Kogyo K. K., 5-2-13, Shirahata, Urawa City, Saitama 336-0022, Japan. The petition proposes to amend the food additive regulations to provide for the safe use of tetradecanoic acid, lithium salt as a stabilizer in

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polypropylene and certain olefin copolymers intended for use in contact with food.

The agency has determined under 21 CFR 25.32(i) that this action is of the type that does not individually or



cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment. Therefore, neither an environmental assessment nor an environmental impact statement is required.

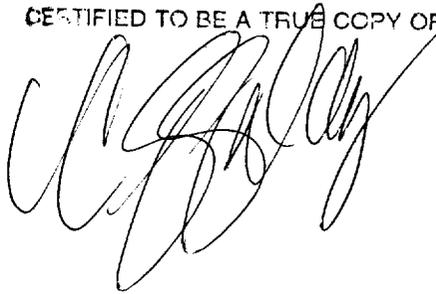
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Signed: Alan M. Rulis

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