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Ms. Kimberly Topper  
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (HFD-21)  
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5600 Fishers Lane  
Rockville, MD 20857

Re: Anesthetic and Life support Drugs Advisory Committee Meeting

Dear Ms. Topper:

Please find enclosed a letter to the editor of the Journal of Pain and Symptom Management that I wrote and that was just published in their most recent issue. I would like to request that this be read at the meeting and become a part of the office proceedings of the meeting. Also enclosed is my CV.

This information is a duplicate of an e-mail sent to you this morning by my administrative assistant, Pam Dickerson.

Sincerely,

*Steven D. Passik*  
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