Medical Devices Standards Activities Report (OMB Control Number 0910–0219—Extension)

FDA is collecting information necessary to update a comprehensive listing of current national and international standards activities in the field of medical devices. The collection of this information is authorized by section 514(a)(4)(B) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 360d(a)(4)(B)), which requires FDA to consult with other nationally or internationally recognized standard-setting entities, including other Federal agencies concerned with standard-setting, in carrying out its responsibility to establish special controls for medical devices. This report is used by approximately 39 standards-developing organizations to coordinate their standards activities. This coordination prevents duplication of effort and insures efficient and expeditious management of standards development. Over 700 copies of this report are used by government, hospitals, libraries, industry, private citizens, and State and local government agencies, including FDA, to keep abreast of standards development activities and current technology concerning the safety of medical devices. Without the report, there would be duplication of standards efforts by voluntary standards organizations since there is no other publication that can be easily referenced to ascertain if a certain medical device standard is being or has been developed.

FDA estimates the burden of this collection of information as follows:

ESTIMATED ANNUAL REPORTING BURDEN

No. of Respondents	Annual Frequency per Response	Total Annual Responses	Hours per Response	Total Hours
39	.5	19.5	3	58.5

There are no capital costs or operating and maintenance costs associated with this collection of information.

This collection occurs biennially and is voluntary. There are 39 national and international organizations with one report each reporting period.

Dated: October 29, 1996.

William K. Hubbard,

Associate Commissioner for Policy Coordination.

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[Docket No. 93F–0273]

Lonza, Inc.; Withdrawal of Food Additive Petition; Correction

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is correcting a notice that appeared in the Federal Register of August 12, 1996 (61 FR 41793). The document announced the withdrawal of a food additive petition (FAP 3B4392) proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of didecyldimethylammonium chloride as a slimicide used in the manufacture of paper and paperboard intended to contact food. The document was published with an error. This document corrects that error.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Andrew J. Zajac, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS–216), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202–418–3095.

In FR Doc. 96–20437, appearing on page 41793 in the Federal Register of Monday, August 12, 1996, the following correction is made: On page 41793, in the first column, in the first line, ''[Docket No. 93F–0269]'' is corrected to read ''[Docket No. 93F–0273]''.

Dated: October 16, 1996.

Alan M. Rulis,

Director, Office of Premarket Approval, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition.

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Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a forthcoming meeting of a public advisory committee of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). This notice also summarizes the procedures for the meeting and methods by which interested persons may participate in open public hearings before FDA's advisory committees.

FDA has established an Advisory Committee Information Hotline (the hotline) using a voice-mail telephone system. The hotline provides the public with access to the most current information on FDA advisory committee meetings. The advisory committee hotline, which will disseminate current information and information updates, can be accessed by dialing 1–800–741–8138 or 301–443–0572. Each advisory committee is assigned a 5-digit number. This 5-digit number will appear in each individual notice of meeting. The hotline will enable the public to obtain information about a particular advisory committee by using the committee's 5-digit number. Information in the hotline is preliminary and may change before a meeting is actually held. The hotline will be updated when such changes are made.

MEETING: The following advisory committee meeting is announced:

Orthopedic and Rehabilitation Devices Panel of the Medical Devices Advisory Committee

Date, time, and place. November 20, 1996, 10 a.m., and November 21, 1996, 8 a.m., Gaithersburg Hilton, Ballroom Salons A, B, and C, 620 Perry Pkwy., Gaithersburg, MD. A limited number of overnight accommodations have been reserved at the Holiday Inn—Gaithersburg, Two Montgomery Village Ave., Gaithersburg, MD. Attendees requiring overnight accommodations may contact the hotel at 301–948–8900 and reference FDA's Panel meeting block. Reservations will be confirmed at the group rate based on availability. Attendees with a disability requiring special accommodations should contact Sue Bae, KRA Corp., 301–495–1591, ext. 227. The availability of appropriate accommodations cannot be assured unless prior notification is received.

Type of meeting and contact person. Closed committee deliberations, November 20, 1996, 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; open public hearing, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., unless public participation does not last that long; open committee discussion, 12:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.; open committee discussion, November 21, 1996, 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.; Jodi H. Nashman, Center for Devices and Radiological Health (HFZ–410), Food and Drug Administration, 9200 Corporate Blvd., Rockville, MD 20850, 301–594–2036, or FDA Advisory Committee Information Hotline, 1–800–