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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Division of Research Grants; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following Division of Research Grants Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meetings:

Purpose/Agenda: To review individual grant applications.

Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: October 5, 1997.

Time: 3:00 p.m.

Place: Holiday Inn, Bethesda, MD.

Contact Person: Dr. Sooja Kim, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4120, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1780.

Name of SEP: Multidisciplinary Sciences.

Date: October 22-24, 1997.

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Place: Omni Dallas Hotel-Park West, Dallas, TX.

Contact Person: Dr. Bill Bunnag, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5215, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1177.

Name of SEP: Multidisciplinary Sciences.

Date: October 27-28, 1997.

Time: 8:00 a.m.

Place: Holiday Inn, Chevy Chase, MD.

Contact Person: Dr. Dharam Dhindsa, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5206, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1174.

Name of SEP: Multidisciplinary Sciences.

Date: October 29, 1997.

Time: 8:00 a.m.

Place: Holiday Inn, Chevy Chase, MD.

Contact Person: Dr. Dharam Dhindsa, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 520-6, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1174.

Name of SEP: Clinical Sciences.

Date: December 10, 1997.

Time: 7:00 a.m.

Place: Doubletree Hotel, Rockville, MD.

Contact Person: Dr. Gertrude McFarland, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4110, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1784.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C.

Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, 93.333, 93.337, 93.393-93.396, 93.837-93.844, 93.846-93.878, 93.892, 93.893, National Institutes of Health, HHS.)

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority

Part N, National Institutes of Health, of the Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority for the Department of Health and Human Services (40 FR 22859, May 27, 1975, as amended most recently at 62 FR 37587, July 14, 1997, and redesignated from Part HN as Part N at 60 FR 56606, November 9, 1995), is amended as set forth below to reflect the reorganization of the Office of Intramural Research (OIR), Office of the Director, NIH, as follows: (1) Abolish the Office of Intramural Affairs, OIR, and transfer its functions to the OIR and (2) revise the functional statement of the OIR.

Section N-B, Organization and Functions, under the heading *Office of the Director (NA, formerly HNA), Office of Intramural Research (NA4, formerly HNA4)* is amended as follows:

(1) The title and functional statement of the *Office of Intramural Affairs (NA43, formerly HNA43)* are abolished in their entirety.

(2) The functional statement for the *Office of Intramural Research (NA4, formerly HNA4)* is replaced with the following:

Office of Intramural Research (NA4, formerly HNA4). (1) Coordinates, implements and provides scientific direction and authority over trans-NIH intramural research policy and programs, and (2) advises the Director, NIH, and executive staff on issues relating to the management of the NIH Intramural Research Program.

Dated: August 28, 1997.

Harold Varmus,

Director, National Institutes of Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegation of Authority

Part N, National Institutes of Health, of the Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority for the Department of Health and Human Services. (40 FR 22859, May 27, 1975, as amended most recently at 62 FR 37587, July 14, 1997, and redesignated from Part HN as Part N at 60 FR 56605, November 9, 1995), is amended as set forth below to reflect the reorganization of the Division of Research Grants as follows: (1) The name of the Division of Research Grants is changed to the Center for Scientific Review and the functional statement is revised; (2) the functional statement of the Office of the Director (OD) is revised; (3) within the OD, the Office of Policy and Analysis and the Office of Planning and Outreach are established; (4) the following division are established: Division of Molecular and Cellular Mechanisms, Division of Physiological Systems, Division of Clinical and Population-based Studies, Division of Receipt and Referral, and Division of Management Services; (5) the following organizations are abolished: Advanced Technology Branch, Referral and Review Branch, Office of Committee Management and Office of Administrative Management.

Section N-B, Organization and Functions, under the heading *Division of Research Grants (NG, formerly HNG)*, is revised as follows:

Center for Scientific Review (NG, formerly HNG). (1) Provides staff support to the Office of the Director, NIH, in the formulation of grant and award policies and procedures; (2) provides central receipt of all PHS applications for research and research training support, and makes initial referral to PHS components; (3) assigns NIH applications to supporting institutes, center, and divisions and to CSR initial review groups; and (4) provides for scientific review of NIH research grants, National Research Service Award, and research career development applications.

Office of the Director (NG1, formerly HNG1). (1) Plans, directs, and