

notify the Contact Person listed below in advance of the meeting.

*Name of Committee:* National Cancer Institute Board of Scientific Advisors.

*Date:* June 22, 2000.

*Time:* 8:30 AM to 6:00 PM.

*Agenda:* Report of the Director, NCI; Ongoing and New Business, Special Initiative Updates, Budget Presentation, and RFA Concept Reviews.

*Place:* 900 Rockville, Pike, Building 31, Conference Room 10, Bethesda, MD 20892.

*Contact Person:* Paulette S. Gray, PhD, Executive Secretary, Division of Extramural Activities, National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health, 6116 Executive Boulevard, Rm. 8141, Bethesda, MD 20892.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting due to scheduling changes.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.392, Cancer Construction; 93.393, Cancer Cause and Prevention Research; 93.394, Cancer Detection and Diagnosis Research; 93.395, Cancer Treatment Research; 93.396, Cancer Biology Research; 93.397, Cancer Centers Support; 93.398, Cancer Research Manpower; 93.399, Cancer Control, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: June 2, 2000.

**LaVerne Y. Stringfield,**

*Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Cancer Institute; Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given to the following meeting.

The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

*Name of Committee:* National Cancer Institute Special Emphasis Panel, National Cooperative Drug Discovery Group.

*Date:* June 7-9, 2000.

*Time:* 7:00 PM to 5:00 PM

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Gaithersburg Hilton, 620 Perry Park, Gaithersburg, MD 20877.

*Contact Person:* C.M. Kerwin, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Special Review, Referral and Resources Branch, Division of Extramural Activities, National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health, 6116 Executive Boulevard, Room 8086, Rockville, MD 20892-7405, 301/496-7421.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting due to the timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; Notice of Closed Meeting

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*Name of Committee:* National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases Special Emphasis Panel.

*Date:* June 19, 2000.

*Time:* 1 pm to 4 pm.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate contract proposals.

*Place:* 6700B Rockledge Drive, Room 2148, Bethesda, MD 20817. (Telephone Conference Call)

*Contact Person:* Hagit S. David, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Scientific Review Program, Division of Extramural

Activities, NIAID, NIH, Room 2217, 6700-B Rockledge Drive, MSC, 7610, Bethesda, MD 20892-7610, 301-496-2550.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### Prospective Grant of Exclusive License: Antagonists of the $\alpha\text{E}\beta_7$ Integrin as Therapeutic Agents for Inflammatory Diseases

**AGENCY:** National Institutes of Health, Public Health Service, DHHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This is notice, in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 209 (c) (1) and 37 CFR § 404.7 (a) (1) (i), that the National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services is contemplating the grant of an exclusive license to practice the inventions embodied in PCT Patent Application S/ N PCT/US99/27817 (filed November 23, 1999) based on U.S. Patent Application 60/109,957 (filed November 25, 1998), entitled "Antagonists of the  $\alpha\text{E}\beta_7$  Integrin as Therapeutic Agents for Inflammatory Diseases", to BioSeek, Inc., having a place of business in San Francisco, CA. The patent rights in these inventions have been assigned to the United States of America.

The prospective exclusive license territory will be worldwide and the field of use may be limited to  $\alpha\text{E}\beta_7$ -related human therapeutics for the treatment of inflammatory diseases.

**DATES:** Only written comments and/or license applications which are received by the National Institutes of Health on or before August 11, 2000 will be considered.

**ADDRESSES:** Requests for copies of the patent, inquiries, comments and other materials relating to the contemplated exclusive license should be directed to: Vasant Gandhi, J.D., Ph.D., Technology Licensing Specialist, Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health, 6011 Executive Boulevard,