

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and Control Special Emphasis Panels (SEP): Demonstration Project for Identifying Individuals at High-Risk for Chronic Kidney Disease in the United States, Request for Applications (RFA) DP 06-004

In accordance with Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the following meeting:

Name: Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and Control Special Emphasis Panel (SEP): Demonstration Project for Identifying Individuals at High-Risk for Chronic Kidney Disease in the United States, RFA DP 06-004.

Time and Date: 1 p.m.–3 p.m., July 31, 2006 (Closed).

Place: Teleconference.

Status: The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with provisions set forth in Section 552b(c)(4) and (6), Title 5 U.S.C., and the Determination of the Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, CDC, pursuant to Public Law 92-463.

Matters To Be Discussed: The meeting will include the review, discussion, and evaluation of applications received in response to "Demonstration Project for Identifying Individuals at High-Risk for Chronic Kidney Disease in the United States," RFA DP 06-004.

For Further Information Contact: J. Felix Rogers, Ph.D., M.P.H., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Research, CDC, 4770 Buford Highway NE, Mailstop K-92, Atlanta, GA 30341, Telephone 770.488.6521.

The Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, has been delegated the authority to sign **Federal Register** notices pertaining to announcements of meetings and other committee management activities, for both CDC and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

Dated: June 14, 2006.

Alvin Hall,

Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and Control Special Emphasis Panel: National Mesothelioma Virtual Registry and Tissue Bank, Request for Applications (RFA) OH-06-005; Occupational Health and Safety Research, Program Announcement (PA) 04-038; and Career Development Grants in Occupational Health and Safety Research, PA 04-105

In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the following meeting:

Name: Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and Control Special Emphasis Panel: National Mesothelioma Virtual Registry and Tissue Bank, Request for Applications (RFA) OH-06-005; Occupational Health and Safety Research, PA 04-038; and Career Development Grants in Occupational Health and Safety Research, PA 04-105.

Time and Date: 1 p.m.—5 p.m., July 5, 2006 (Closed).

Place: Teleconference originating from the office of Dr. Charles Rafferty, 2400 Century Parkway, NE., Room 4306, Atlanta, GA 30345.

Status: The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with provisions set forth in section 552b(c)(4) and (6), Title 5 U.S.C., and the Determination of the Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, CDC, pursuant to Public Law 92-463.

Matters to be Discussed: The meeting will include the review, discussion, and evaluation of research grants in response to "National Mesothelioma Virtual Registry and Tissue Bank," Request for Applications (RFA) OH-06-005; "Occupational Health and Safety Research," PA 04-038; and "Career Development Grants in Occupational Health and Safety Research," PA 04-105.

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The Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, has been delegated the authority to sign **Federal Register** notices pertaining to announcements of meetings and other committee management activities, for both CDC and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

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Amendment of February 4, 2004, Order to Embargo Birds and Bird Products Imported From Djibouti

SUMMARY: On February 4, 2004, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services issued an order to ban immediately the import of all birds (Class: *Aves*) from specified countries, subject to limited exemptions for returning pet birds of U.S. origin and certain processed bird-derived products. HHS/CDC took this step because birds from these countries potentially can infect humans with avian influenza (influenza A/[H5N1]). The February 4, 2004, order complemented a similar action taken at the same time by the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) within the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

On March 10, 2004, HHS/CDC lifted the embargo of birds and bird products from the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) because of the documented public-health and animal health measures taken by Hong Kong officials to prevent spread of the outbreak within the HKSAR, and the absence of highly pathogenic avian influenza H5N1 cases in Hong Kong's domestic and wild bird populations. USDA/APHIS took a similar action. On September 28, 2004, HHS/CDC extended the embargo on birds and bird products to include Malaysia because of the documented cases of highly pathogenic avian influenza A H5N1 in poultry in Malaysia. On July 20, 2005, USDA/APHIS adopted as a final rule the interim rule that became effective on February 4, 2004, which amended its regulations to prohibit or restrict the importation of birds, poultry, and unprocessed birds and poultry products from regions that have reported the presence of highly pathogenic avian influenza H5N1 in poultry. (See 70 FR 41608 [July 20, 2005].) As the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization and the World