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 (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services, is contemplating the grant of an exclusive license worldwide to practice the invention embodied in: International Patent Application PCT/US2005/031678 filed September 2, 2005 entitled, “[N]-Methanocarba Adenosine Derivative as A3 Receptor Agonists”, to Can-Fite BioPharma, Ltd. Having a place of business in Petach-Tikva, Israel. The contemplated exclusive license may be limited to an FDA approvable human therapeutic for cancer, autoimmune and other inflammatory diseases. The United States of America is the assignee of the patent rights in this invention.

DATES: Only written comments and/or application for a license which is received by the NIH Office of Technology Transfer on or before September 8, 2006 will be considered.

ADDRESSES: Request for a copy of the patent, inquiries, comments, and other materials relating to the contemplated license should be directed to: Norbert Pontzer, Technology Licensing Specialist, Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health, 6011 Executive Boulevard, Suite 325, Rockville, MD 20852–3004; Telephone: 301–435–5502; Facsimile: 301–402–0220; e-mail: pontzer@mail.nih.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Researchers have been pursuing compounds that activate or inhibit adenosine A3 receptors because these cell membrane proteins have a wide range of physiological and disease-related effects and are thus considered to be promising drug targets. The adenosine A3 receptors are G-protein-coupled receptors and are found mostly in brain, lung, liver, heart, kidney, and testis. When this receptor is activated moderately, a cytoprotective effect is observed, such as reducing damage to heart cells from lack of oxygen. However, at high levels of stimulation they can cause cell death. Both agonists and antagonists are being tested for therapeutic potential, for example, treatment of cancer, heart conditions, neurological conditions, pain, asthma, inflammation and other immune implications. This invention pertains to highly potent A3 adenosine receptor agonists, pharmaceutical compositions comprising such nucleosides, and a method of use of these nucleosides.

The prospective exclusive license will be royalty-bearing and will comply with the terms and conditions of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. The prospective exclusive license may be granted unless, within 60 days from the date of this published Notice, the NIH receives written evidence and argument that establishes that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7.

Properly filed competing applications for a license filed in response to this notice will be treated as objections to the contemplated license. Comments and objections submitted in response to this notice will not be made available for public inspection, and, to the extent permitted by law, will not be released under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552.

Dated: June 29, 2006.

David R. Sadowski,
Acting Director, Division of Technology Development and Transfer, Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Bureau of Customs and Border Protection


Airport and Seaport Inspections User Fee Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Customs and Border Protection (’CBP”) Airport and Seaport Inspections User Fee Advisory Committee (“Advisory Committee”) will meet in open session.

DATES: Tuesday, August 22, 2006, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at Conference Room B 1.5–10, Ronald Reagan Building, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC.

If you desire to submit comments, they must be submitted by August 8, 2006. Comments must be identified by USCBP–2006–0060 and may be submitted by one of the following methods:

• E-mail: Roberto.M.Williams@dhs.gov. Include docket number in the subject line of the message.

• Mail: Mr. Roberto Williams, Cost Management Division, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 4.5A, Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20229.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the words “Department of Homeland Security” and the docket number for this action. Comments received will be posted without alteration at http://www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided.

Department: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received by the CBP Advisory Committee, go to http://www.regulations.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Roberto Williams, Cost Management Division, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Suite 4.5A, Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20229, telephone 202–344–1101; facsimile, 202–344–1818; e-mail: Roberto.M.Williams@dhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The fourth meeting of the CBP Advisory Committee will be held at the date, time and location specified above. This notice also announces the expected agenda for the meeting (see below). The Advisory Committee was established pursuant to section 286(k) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), codified at title 8 U.S.C. 1356(k), which references the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 1 et seq.). With the merger of the Immigration and Naturalization Service into the Department of Homeland Security, the Advisory Committee’s responsibilities were transferred from the Attorney General to the Commissioner of CBP pursuant to section 1512(d) of the Homeland Security Act of 2002.

The Advisory Committee held its first meeting under the direction of CBP on October 22, 2003 (see 68 FR 56301, September 30, 2003). Among other things, the committee is tasked with advising the CBP Commissioner on issues related to CBP inspection services. This advice includes, but is not limited to, the level and the appropriateness of the following fees assessed for CBP services: the immigration user fee pursuant to 8 U.S.C. 1356(d), the customs inspection user fee pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 58c(a)(5), and the agriculture inspection user fee pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 136a.

This meeting is open to the public. Public participation in the deliberations is welcome; however, please note that matters outside of the scope of this committee will not be discussed.
Since seating is limited, all persons attending this meeting must provide notice, preferably by close of business Tuesday, August 8, 2006, to Mr. Roberto Williams, Cost Management Division, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Suite 4.5A, Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20229, telephone 202–344–1101; facsimile 202–344–1818.

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities or to request special assistance at the meeting, contact Mr. Roberto Williams as soon as possible.

Draft Agenda
1. Introduction of Committee members and CBP Personnel.
2. Discussion of activities since last meeting held on November 30, 2005.
3. Discussion of operational initiatives and programs.
4. Discussion of workload issues and traffic trends.
5. Discussion of funding levels.
6. Discussion of user fee initiatives.
7. Discussion of specific concerns and questions of Committee members.
8. Discussion of relevant written statements submitted in advance by members of the public.
9. Discussion of Committee administrative issues and scheduling of next meeting.
10. Adjourn.

Dated: July 5, 2006.

Richard L. Balaban,
Assistant Commissioner, Office of Finance, Customs and Border Protection.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

[FEMA–1643–DR]

New Hampshire; Amendment No. 3 to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration


ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster declaration for the State of New Hampshire (FEMA–1643–DR), dated May 25, 2006, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 21, 2006.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of a major disaster declaration for the State of New Hampshire is hereby amended to include the following area among those areas determined to have been adversely affected by the catastrophe declared a major disaster by the President in his declaration of May 25, 2006:

Grafton County for Public Assistance. (The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 97.030, Community Disaster Loans; 97.031, Coral Brown Fund Program; 97.032, Crisis Counseling; 97.033, Disaster Legal Services Program; 97.034, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 97.046, Fire Management Assistance; 97.048, Individuals and Households Housing; 97.049, Individuals and Households Disaster Housing Operations; 97.050 Individuals and Households Program—Other Needs, 97.036, Public Assistance Grants; 97.039, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.)

R. David Paulison,
Under Secretary for Federal Emergency Management and Director of FEMA.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Long Lake National Wildlife Refuge Complex, Moffit, ND

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) announces that the Draft Comprehensive Conservation Plan (CCP) and Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Long Lake National Wildlife Refuge Complex (Complex) is available. This Draft CCP/EA describes how the Service intends to manage this Complex for the next 15 years.

DATES: This Draft CCP/EA is available to the public for a 30-day review and comment period from the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register. Submit comments to the addresses listed below.

ADDRESSES: Please provide written comments to Bernardo Garza, Planning Team Leader, Division of Planning, Branch of Comprehensive Conservation Planning, Mountain–Prairie Region, P.O. Box 25486, Denver Federal Center, Denver, Colorado 80225–0466, or electronically to bernardo_garza@fws.gov. A copy of the CCP may be obtained by writing to U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Refuge Planning, 134 Union Boulevard, Suite 300, Lakewood, CO 80228; or downloaded from http://mountain-prairie.fws.gov/planning.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bernardo Garza at 303–236–4377; fax 303–236–4792; or e-mail: bernardo_garza@fws.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This Complex includes Long Lake National Wildlife Refuge (NWR), Slade NWR, Florence Lake NWR and the Long Lake Wetland Management District (WMD), as well as six easement refuges that have already been covered in a separate CCP.

Long Lake NWR was established on February 25, 1932, by President Herbert Hoover through Executive Order No. 5806 "* * * as a refuge and breeding ground for migratory birds and wild animals * * *"; and under the Migratory Bird Conservation Act "* * * for use as an inviolate sanctuary, or for any other management purpose, for migratory birds." This Refuge encompasses 22,310 acres consisting of approximately 15,000 acres of brackish to saline marsh and lake; 1,000 acres of other wetlands; and approximately 6,000 acres of tame and native grassland, woodland, and cropland. This Refuge serves as an important staging area for migrating sandhill cranes, Canada geese and other waterfowl, shorebirds, and other migratory birds. Endangered whooping cranes often utilize Refuge marshes during spring and fall migrations.

Slade NWR was established under the authority of the Migratory Bird Conservation Act on October 10, 1944 "* * * for use as an inviolate sanctuary, or for any other management purpose, for migratory birds." This Refuge occupies 3,000 acres of gently rolling prairie dotted by lakes and marshes formed by glacial action. Habitat centers around five semi-permanent lakes and marshes, and fifteen pothole areas totalling over 900 acres of wetlands.

Florence Lake NWR was established on May 10, 1939, by President Franklin D. Roosevelt through Executive Order No. 8119 "* * * as a refuge and breeding ground for migratory birds and other wildlife * * *"; and under the authority of the Migratory Bird Conservation Act "* * * for use as an inviolate sanctuary, or for any other management purpose, for migratory birds." This Refuge is located in northern Burleigh County, approximately 45 miles northwest of Long Lake. The fee portion of the Refuge consists of 976.4 acres of native grassland; 201.9 acres of tame grass; 110.9 acres of seeded native grass; 163.2 acres of wetland; and 16 acres of...