

**GENERAL SERVICES  
ADMINISTRATION****Aircraft Management Policy Advisory  
Board (AMPAB) of the  
Governmentwide Policy Board****Meeting Notice**

February 3, 1998.

Notice is hereby given that the General Services Administration (GSA) Aircraft Management Policy Advisory Board (AMPAB) of the Governmentwide Policy Board will meet from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm on Wednesday, February 25, 1998 at the American Institute of Architecture, 1735 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20405. Notice is required by the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2, and the implementing regulation, 41 CFR 101-6.

The purpose of the meeting is to provide a forum to discuss government aircraft management policy. The agenda for this meeting will include discussions of and recommendations regarding the state of aviation safety among the several agencies operating government aircraft; the applicability of Federal Aviation Regulations to government aircraft; the role of GSA in federal aircraft management including, specifically, the responsibilities, authority and goals of the Interagency Committee for Aviation Policy (ICAP) and the efficacy of the Federal Aircraft Management Information System (FAMIS); and other such matters as may be brought before the Board.

The meeting will be open to the public. The public is hereby afforded the opportunity to submit written statements and to speak at the meeting.

For further information, contact Marty College, (202) 208-7420, Executive Assistant to the GSA Aircraft Management Policy Advisory Board.

Dated: February 4, 1998.

**Beverly J. Sharkey,***Designated Federal Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
HUMAN SERVICES****Centers for Disease Control and  
Prevention****Breast and Cervical Cancer Early  
Detection and Control Advisory  
Committee: Meeting**

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 committee meeting.

*Name:* Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection and Control Advisory Committee.

*Times and Dates:* 9 a.m.-4:45 p.m., February 24, 1998. 9 a.m.-12 noon, February 25, 1998.

*Place:* Sheraton Four Points Hotel, 1850 Cotillion Drive, Atlanta, Georgia 30338, telephone 770/394-5000.

*Status:* Open to the public, limited only by the space available. The meeting room accommodates approximately 50 people.

*Purpose:* This committee is charged with providing advice and guidance to the Secretary, the Assistant Secretary for Health, and the Director of CDC, regarding the early detection and control of breast and cervical cancer and to evaluate the Department's current breast and cervical cancer early detection and control activities.

*Matters To Be Discussed:* The discussion will focus on treatment issues in the National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program and an overview of the Battelle Study on Treatment and Follow-up.

Persons wishing to make oral presentations at the meeting should contact Ms. Rebecca Wolf (770/488-3012) or Ms. Karen Norton (770/488-3013) by 4 p.m., February 9, 1998. All requests will be limited to five minutes and should contain the name of the presenter and an outline of the issues to be addressed. At least 25 copies of the presentation and any visual aids to be used at the meeting should be given to Ms. Norton prior to the meeting.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

An unavoidable administrative delay prevented meeting the 15-day publication requirement.

*Contact Person for Additional Information:* Rebecca B. Wolf, Division of Cancer Prevention and Control, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, CDC, 4770 Buford Highway, NE, M/S K-64, Atlanta, Georgia 30341-3724, telephone 770/488-3012.

Dated: February 4, 1998.

**Carolyn J. Russell,***Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
HUMAN SERVICES****Centers for Disease Control and  
Prevention****Advisory Committee on Childhood  
Lead Poisoning Prevention: Meeting**

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

*Name:* Advisory Committee on Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention.

*Times and Dates:* 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., February 24, 1998. 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m., February 25, 1998.

*Place:* Radisson Plaza Hotel at Mark Center, 5000 Seminary Road, Alexandria, Virginia 22311, telephone 703/845-1010.

*Status:* Open to the public, limited only by the space available. The meeting room accommodates approximately 50 people.

*Purpose:* The Committee shall provide advice and guidance to the Secretary; the Assistant Secretary for Health; and the Director, CDC, regarding new scientific knowledge and technological developments and their practical implications for childhood lead poisoning prevention efforts. The Committee shall also review and report regularly on childhood lead poisoning prevention practices and recommend improvements in national childhood lead poisoning prevention efforts.

*Matters To Be Discussed:* Agenda items include: mission statements of the National Center for Environmental Health (NCEH), Division of Environmental Hazards and Health Effects (DEHHE), Lead Poisoning Prevention Branch (LPPB); the Committee: historical overview, new charter and role, policies and procedures, and future directions; Lead Program—Budget and Legislation; Lead Epidemiology and Research; Childhood Blood Lead Surveillance overview; laboratory overview; and a geographic information systems overview.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Opportunities will be provided during the meeting for oral comments. Depending on the time available and the number of requests, it may be necessary to limit the time of each presenter.

An unavoidable administrative delay prevented meeting the 15-day publication requirement.

*Contact Person for More Information:* Barbara Nelson, Program Analyst, LPPB, DEHHE, NCEH, CDC, 4770 Buford Highway, NE, M/S F-42, Atlanta, Georgia 30341-3724, telephone 770/488-7272, fax 770/488-7335.

Dated: February 4, 1998.

**Carolyn J. Russell,***Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
HUMAN SERVICES****Food and Drug Administration****Advisory Committees; Renewals**

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) announces the renewal of certain FDA advisory

committees by the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (the Commissioner). The Commissioner has determined that it is in the public interest to renew the charters of the committees listed below for an additional 2 years beyond charter

expiration date. The new charters will be in effect until the dates of expiration listed below. This notice is issued under the Federal Advisory Committee Act of October 6, 1972 (Pub. L. 92-463 (5 U.S.C. app. 2)).

**DATES:** Authority for these committees will expire on the dates indicated below unless the Commissioner formally determines that renewal is in the public interest.

Name of committee	Date of expiration
Antiviral Drugs Advisory Committee	February 15, 1999
National Mammography Quality Assurance Advisory Committee	July 6, 1999
Nonprescription Drugs Advisory Committee	August 27, 1999
Advisory Committee on Special Studies Relating to the Possible Long-Term Health Effects of Phenoxy Herbicides and Contaminants	December 2, 1999
Food Advisory Committee	December 18, 1999
Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee	December 31, 1999

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Donna M. Combs, Committee Management Office (HFA-306), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-4820.

Dated: February 4, 1998.

**Michael A. Friedman,**

*Lead Deputy Commissioner for the Food and Drug Administration.*

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206), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-418-3106.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5) (21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5))), notice is given that a food additive petition (FAP 8A4580) has been filed by Monsanto Co., 5200 Old Orchard Rd., Skokie, IL 60077. The petition proposes to amend the food additive regulations in 21 CFR part 172 to provide for the safe use of L-Phenylalanine, N-[N-(3,3-dimethylbutyl)-L- $\alpha$ -aspartyl]-, 1-methyl ester as a tabletop sweetener and for the additive to be identified as neotame.

The potential environmental impact of this action is being reviewed. To encourage public participation consistent with regulations promulgated under the National Environmental Policy Act (40 CFR 1501.4(b)), the agency is placing the environmental assessment submitted with the petition that is the subject of this notice on display at the Dockets Management Branch (address above) for public review and comment. Interested persons may, on or before March 12, 1998, submit to the Dockets Management Branch (address above) written comments. Two copies of any comments are to be submitted, except that individuals may submit one copy. Comments are to be identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document. Received comments may be seen in the office above between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. FDA will also place on public display any amendments to, or comments on, the petitioner's environmental assessment without further announcement in the **Federal Register**. If, based on its review, the agency finds that an environmental impact statement is not required and this petition results in a regulation, the notice of availability of the agency's

finding of no significant impact and the evidence supporting that finding will be published with the regulation in the **Federal Register** in accordance with 21 CFR 25.40(c).

Dated: January 23, 1998.

**Laura M. Tarantino,**

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

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Food and Drug Administration**

[Docket No. 98F-0052]

**Monsanto Co.; Filing a Food Additive Petition**

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that Monsanto Co. has filed a petition proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of L-Phenylalanine, N-[N-(3,3-dimethylbutyl)-L- $\alpha$ -aspartyl]-, 1-methyl ester for use as a tabletop sweetener. Monsanto Co. also proposes that this additive be identified as neotame.

**DATES:** Written comments on the petitioner's environmental assessment by March 12, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit written comments to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 12420 Parklawn Dr., rm. 1-23, Rockville, MD 20857.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Blondell Anderson, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS-

**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-4256-N-03]

**Notice of Funding Availability for the HUD-Administered Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program—Fiscal Year 1997 and Fiscal Year 1998; and the Section 108 Loan Guarantee Program for Small Communities in New York State; Amendment and Extension of Application Deadline**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

**ACTION:** Amendment to notice of funding availability and extension of application deadline.

**SUMMARY:** This notice extends the application deadline for the combined fiscal year (FY) 1997 and FY 1998 NOFA for the HUD-Administered Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program for Small Communities in New York State, published in the **Federal Register** on December 16, 1997 (62 FR 65970). This notice establishes the application deadline to be April 2, 1998. This notice also amends that NOFA to clarify the special limitations for multiyear plan recipients.