Alfaxalone-hydroxypropyl-beta cyclodextrin complex for use in humans. The United States of America has an interest in the patent rights of this invention.

DATES: Only written comments and/or application for a license, which are received by the NIH Office of Technology Transfer on or before July 19, 2005 will be considered.

ADDRESSES: Requests for a copy of the patent, inquiries, comments and other materials relating to the contemplated license should be directed to: Pradeep Ghosh, J.D., Ph.D., M.B.A., Technology Licensing Specialist, Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health, 6011 Executive Boulevard, Suite 325, Rockville, MD 20852–3804; Telephone: (301) 435–5282; Facsimile: (301) 402–0220; e-mail: ghoshpr@mail.nih.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This technology relates to pharmaceutical compositions containing drugs that are instable or only sparingly soluble in water, and methods for their preparation. The compositions are characterized by increased water solubility and improved stability.

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 90 days from the date of this published Notice, 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: April 11, 2005.

Steven M. Ferguson,

Director, Division of Technology Development and Transfer, Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

[Docket No. DHS-2005-0035]

Border and Transportation Security Directorate Customs and Border Protection; Notice of Meeting of Departmental Advisory Committee on Commercial Operations of Customs and Border Protection and Related Functions (Commercial Operations Advisory Committee or COAC)

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary, Border and Transportation Security, DHS. **ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: The Departmental Advisory Committee on Commercial Operations of Customs and Border Protection and Related Functions (Commercial Operations Advisory Committee or COAC) will meet in open session. This notice announces the date, time, and location for the second meeting of the ninth term, and the expected agenda for its consideration.

DATES: The next meeting of the COAC will be held on Thursday, May 5, 2005, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in The Ronald Reagan International Trade Center, Pavillion Room, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.,

Washington, DC 20229, telephone (202) 344–1440; facsimile (202) 344–1969.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Monica Frazier, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Border and Transportation Security, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20528, telephone (202) 282–8431; facsimile (202) 282–8504.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice of this meeting is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), Pub. L. 92–463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.1 *et seq.*), the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1987, Pub. L. 100–203, Title IX, Section 9503(c), December 22, 1987, 100 Stat. 1330–381 (19 U.S.C. 2071 note), and under the Homeland Security Act of 2002, Pub. L. 107–297, November 26, 2002, 116 Stat. 2140, *et seq.* (6 U.S.C. 101, *et seq.*).

Draft Agenda: The COAC is expected to pursue the following agenda, which may be modified prior to the meeting:

1. Update on Maritime Transportation Security Act (MTSA) Subcommittee Follow-up Items.

2. Update on Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Organization and Customs and Border Protection (CBP) Strategic Plan.

3. Úpdate on Security Subcommittee. a. Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism (C–TPAT) Process.

- b. Advance Cargo Information. c. World Customs Organization
- (WCO) Framework.
- 4. Update on Creation of Infrastructure Subcommittee.
- 5. Update on Broker Confidentiality.
- 6. Update on Achieving Paperless

Entry for Apparel and Textiles. 7. Update on International Trade Data

Systems (ITDS).

8. Automation Issues.

a. Automated Commercial Environment (ACE) funding and

development schedule.

b. Automated Commercial System (ACS) downtime.

9. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Bioterrorism Act.

10. Focused Assessment Program.

11. Committee Administration. *Public Participation:* You may submit comments, identified by DHS-____, by *one* of the following methods:

• EPA Federal Partner EDOCKET Web Site: http://www.epa.gov/feddocket. Follow instructions for submitting comments on the Web site.

• Federal eRulemaking Portal: http:// www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

• *E-mail: Monica.Frazier@dhs.gov* When submitting comments electronically, please include DHS–

in the subject line of the message. • Mail: Ms. Monica Frazier, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Border and Transportation Security, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20528, telephone (202) 282–8431; facsimile (202) 282–8504. To ensure proper handling, please reference DHS–

_____on your correspondence. This mailing address may also be used for paper, disk, or CD–ROM submissions.

• Hand Delivery/Courier: Ms. Monica Frazier, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Border and Transportation Security, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20528, telephone (202) 282–8431; facsimile (202) 282–8504.

This meeting is open to the public; however, participation in COAC deliberations is limited to COAC members, Homeland Security and Treasury Department officials, and persons invited to attend the meeting for special presentations. Since seating is limited, all persons attending this meeting should provide notice preferably by 2 p.m. e.s.t. on Thursday, April 28, 2005, to Ms. Monica Frazier, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Border and Transportation Security, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20528, telephone (202) 282-8431; facsimile (202) 282-8504.

Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to *http://*

www.epa.gov/feddocket. You may also access the Federal eRulemaking Portal at http://www.regulations.gov. All comments received will be posted without change to *http://www.epa.gov/ feddocket,* including any personal information provided.

Information on Services for Individuals with Disabilities: For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities or to request special assistance at the meeting, contact Ms. Monica Frazier, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Border and Transportation Security, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC 20528, telephone (202) 282–8431; facsimile (202) 282–8504, as soon as possible.

Dated: April 18, 2005.

Elaine Dezenski,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Border and Transportation Security Policy and Planning. [FR Doc. 05-8019 Filed 4-19-05; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4820-02-P

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

[CGD-09-05-008]

Great Lakes Regional Waterways Management Forum

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS. **ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: "The Great Lakes Regional Waterways Management Forum" will hold a meeting to discuss various waterways management issues. Potential agenda items will include navigation, ballast water regulations, Automatic Identification Systems (AIS), waterways management, and discussions about the agenda for the next meeting. The meeting will be open to the public.

DATES: The meeting will be held June 21, 2005 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., and June 22, 2005 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Comments must be submitted on or before June 17, 2005 to be considered at the meeting.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the U.S. Coast Guard Moorings, 1055 East Ninth Street, Cleveland, OH 44199. Any written comments and materials should be submitted to Commander (map), Ninth Coast Guard District, 1240 E. 9th Street, Room 2069, Cleveland, OH 44199

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: LTjg Regan Blomshield (map-1), Ninth Coast Guard District, OH 44199, telephone (216) 902-6050. Persons with

disabilities requiring assistance to attend this meeting should contact LTjg Blomshield.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Great Lakes Waterways Management Forum identifies and resolves waterways management issues that involve the Great Lakes region. The forum meets twice a year to assess the Great Lakes region, assign priorities to areas of concern and identify issues for resolution. The forum membership has identified potential agenda items for this meeting that include: navigation, AIS, ballast water regulations, waterways management, and discussions about the agenda for the next meeting. The specific agenda is still under development. Additional topics of discussion are solicited from the public.

Dated: April 8, 2005.

Robert I. Papp Ir.,

Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard, Commander, Ninth Coast Guard District Cleveland, Ohio. [FR Doc. 05-7901 Filed 4-19-05; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4910-15-P

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

Agency Information Collection Activities: Comment Request

ACTION: Request OMB emergency approval; Petition for nonimmigrant worker; Form I-129, edition (Rev. 12/ 10/2001).

The Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) has submitted the following information collection request utilizing emergency review and clearance in accordance with section 1320.13(a)(1)(ii) and (1)(2)(iii) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The USCIS has determined that it cannot reasonably comply with the normal clearance procedures under this part because normal clearance procedures are reasonably likely to prevent or disrupt the collection of information. Emergency review and approval of this information collection will ensure that the collection may continue.

USCIS is requesting emergency clearance of the December 10, 2001 version of Form I-129, Petition for Nonimmigrant Worker until April 30, 2005. While USCIS has received OMB approval of the changes to the information collection required by the OAA, many members of the public

have, in anticipation of the USCIS allocation, already prepared petitions for these new visas using the preamended Form I-129. In order to accommodate this segment of the public, USCIS seeks approval of the prior version of the Form I–129 to run concurrent with the new amended version until April 30, 2005. After that date approval of the old I-129 will expire and the new version of Form I-129 will be the only version approved for use.

USCIS is implementing the OAA and allocating the additional H–1B visas through rulemaking in the Federal **Register**. While that rulemaking will contain detailed filing instructions to the public, USCIS is aware that some members of the public may only see the form itself and not be aware of the rulemaking. To address this possibility, USCIS will post the information on the form download page on its Web site. This will ensure that no one will receive this form without instruction on the proper filing method.

All comments and/or questions pertaining to this pending request for emergency approval MUST be directed to OMB. Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, 725–17th Street, NW., Suite 10235, Washington, DC 20503; Attention: Department of Homeland Security Desk Officer. Comments regarding the emergency submission of this information collection may also be submitted via facsimile to (202) 395-6974.

During this review, USCIS invites written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning this information collection. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until April 30, 2005. Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used:

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other