

and insufficient levels of evidence to the following:

“Data sets classified as sufficient are those that include human and/or animal studies conducted using standardized protocols and that provide complete descriptions of the exposure conditions and study findings. Data sets classified as limited are those that include human and/or animal studies conducted using non-standardized protocols or that provide incomplete descriptions of the exposure conditions or study findings. Data sets classified as insufficient are those that include human and/or animal studies conducted using non-standardized protocols and that provide incomplete descriptions of the exposure conditions and study findings. Data sets that receive the insufficient ranking will not be used as the basis for the NIOSH skin notation.”

Evaluation of dose-related effects in studies with limited or insufficient evidence, mechanistic data, and analogous chemical properties may be factored into the classification scheme for determining the level of evidence for identified studies. Data sets that provide insufficient evidence will not be used as the basis for the NIOSH skin notation but, in some cases, may provide information to support or contradict evidence for the skin notation.

For data sets with conflicting findings, an overall determination based on the body of evidence will be developed by evaluating data adequacy, reliability and relevance, and assessing each study's quality of evidence. The studies with the best quality and validity to support the notation are identified and cited in the individual Skin Notation Profile documents.

NIOSH seeks comments on proposed changes as described above.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before April 10, 2017.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by CDC-2017-0017 and docket number NIOSH 153-D, by any of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

- *Mail:* National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, NIOSH Docket Office, 1090 Tusculum Avenue, MS C-34, Cincinnati, Ohio 45226-1998.

*Instructions:* All information received in response to this notice must include the agency name and docket number [CDC-2017-0017; NIOSH 153-D]. All relevant comments received will be posted without change to [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), including any personal information provided. For access to the docket to read background

documents or comments received, go to [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov). For access to the original docket [NIOSH-153] to view background documents or comments received, go to <https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/docket/archive/docket153.html>. All information received in response to this notice will be available for public examination and copying at the NIOSH Docket Office, 1150 Tusculum Avenue, Room 155, Cincinnati, OH 45226-1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Naomi Hudson or G. Scott Dotson, NIOSH, Education and Information Division, Robert A. Taft Laboratories, 1190 Tusculum Ave, MS C-32, Cincinnati, OH 45226, email: [iuz8@cdc.gov](mailto:iuz8@cdc.gov) or [fyas8@cdc.gov](mailto:fyas8@cdc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In 2009, NIOSH published Current Intelligence Bulletin 61—*A Strategy for assigning New NIOSH Skin Notations* [NIOSH 2009-147; <http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/docs/2009-147/pdfs/2009-147.pdf>]. The CIB presents a strategic framework that is a form of hazard identification that ensures that the assigned skin notations reflect the contemporary state of scientific knowledge, provides transparency behind the assignment process, communicates the hazards of chemical exposures of the skin, and meets the needs of health professionals, employers, and others interested in protecting workers from chemical contact with the skin. Published Skin Notation Profile documents are available at [https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/skin/skin-notation\\_profiles.html](https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/skin/skin-notation_profiles.html).

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

#### Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and Control Special Emphasis Panel (SEP): Initial Review

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 a meeting for the initial review of applications in response to RFA-OH17-1701, Cooperative Agreement on Global Occupational Health with the World Health Organization (WHO).

**TIME AND DATE:** 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m., EDT, April 11, 2017 (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 FOR DISCUSSION:** The meeting will include the initial review, discussion, and evaluation of applications received in response to “Cooperative Agreement on Global Occupational Health with the World Health Organization (WHO)”, RFA-OH17-1701.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Nina Turner, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, NIOSH, CDC, 1095 Willowdale Road, Mailstop G905, Morgantown, West Virginia 26506, Telephone: (304) 285-5976.

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 the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

#### Advisory Committee to the Director (ACD), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

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 of the aforementioned committee:

*Time and Date:* 8:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m., EDT, April 20, 2017.

*Place:* CDC, Building 19, Auditorium B3, 1600 Clifton Road NE., Atlanta, Georgia 30329.

*Status:* Open to the public, limited only by the seating and phone lines available. The meeting room accommodates approximately 60 people. Advance registration for in-