SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ALTERNATIVE TOXICOLOGICAL METHODS (SACATM) Preliminary Agenda

Radisson Hotel 150 Park Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709 June 18 -19, 2008

JUNE 18

8:30 AM	Introductions	Dr. James Freeman, ExxonMobil Biomedical Sciences, Inc., SACATM Chair
8:40	Welcome and Opening Remarks	Dr. John Bucher, NIEHS Dr. Marilyn Wind, CPSC
9:00	Welcome and NICEATM-ICCVAM Update	Dr. William Stokes, NIEHS
9:35	Regulatory Acceptance and Availability of ICCVAM-Recommended Alternative Test Methods • Public Comments	Dr. William Stokes
10:05	 SACATM Discussion BREAK 	Dr. Freeman
10:25	Overview of NICEATM-ICCVAM Five- Year Plan	Dr. Wind
11:25	 Public Comments SACATM Discussion National Research Council Report: Toxicity Testing in the 21st Century 	Dr. Freeman Dr. Kim Boekelheide, Brown University
12:25 PM	PresentationPublic CommentsSACATM DiscussionLUNCH	Dr. Freeman
1:25	Federal Agency Research, Development, Translation, and Validation Activities Relevant to the NICEATM-ICCVAM Five-Year Plan (presentations followed by 5 minute Q&A sessions)	
	 National Institutes of Health National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences/National Toxicology Program 	Dr. Norka Ruiz Bravo, NIH Dr. John Bucher
0.45	 Environmental Protection Agency Food and Drug Administration 	Dr. Karen Hamernik, EPA, OSCP Dr. Paul Howard, NCTR
3:15	 Food and Drug Administration National Cancer Institute Department of Defense Public Comments SACATM Discussion 	Dr. Richard McFarland, CBER Dr. Joseph Tomaszewski, NCI Col. Peter Schultheiss, DOD Dr. Freeman
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JUNE 19

8:30 AM	Introductions	Dr. James Freeman, ExxonMobil Biomedical Sciences, Inc., SACATM Chair
8:40	Report on the Independent Scientific Peer Review: Validation Status of New Versions and Applications of the Murine Local Lymph Node Assay (LLNA), a Test Method for the Assessing the Contact Dermatitis Potential of Chemicals and Products	
	 Introduction and Overview of the Proposed Methods and Applications 	Dr. Wind
	Overview of the Panel Report	Dr. Michael Luster, West Virginia University, Panel Chair
40.0-	Public CommentsSACATM Discussion	Dr. Freeman
10:35 10:50	BREAK Report on the ICCVAM-NICEATM-ECVAM- JaCVAM Scientific Workshop on Acute Chemical Safety Testing: Advancing In Vitro Approaches and Humane Endpoints for Systemic Toxicity Evaluations	
	Introduction and ObjectivesWorkshop RecommendationsPublic Comments	Dr. Stokes Dr. Wind
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12:15 PM	LUNCH	D. D. LET. MIELLO
1:15	Nominations to ICCVAM: NTP Rodent Bioassay for Carcinogenicity • Public Comments	Dr. Raymond Tice, NIEHS
	 SACATM Discussion 	Dr. Freeman
2:00	Proposal for International Cooperation on Alternative Test Methods (ICATM) • Public Comments	Dr. Stokes
	SACATM Discussion	Dr. Freeman
3:00	BREAK	
3:20	Updates	Dr. Haiima Kaiima JaCVAM
	 Japanese Center for the Validation of Alternative Methods 	Dr. Hajime Kojima, JaCVAM
	 European Center for the Validation of Alternative Methods 	Dr. Jens Linge, ECVAM
4:00	Other Business	Dr. Freeman
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