

**Department of Health and Human Services  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
The Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and  
Control Special Emphasis Panel (SEP)**



**CENTERS FOR DISEASE  
CONTROL AND PREVENTION**

Field Trials to Evaluate Efficacy of Natural Products for the Control of the Tick Vectors  
of Lyme disease Spirochetes and Evaluation of Reservoir Targeted Vaccine Formulations  
to Prevent Enzootic Transmission of Borrelia (Lyme Borreliosis)

February 8, 2008

Teleconference

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**Record of the Proceedings**

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
Minutes of the Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and Control Special Emphasis  
Panel: FOA # CK08-001, "Field Trials to Evaluate Efficacy of Natural Products for the  
Control of the Tick Vectors of Lyme Disease Spirochetes," and FOA #CK08-002,  
"Evaluation of Reservoir-Targeted Vaccine Formulations to Prevent Enzootic  
Transmission of Borrelia burgdorferi (Lyme Borreliosis)."

February 8, 2008

The meeting of the Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and Control Special  
Emphasis Panel Field Trials to Evaluate Efficacy of Natural Products for the Control of  
the Tick Vectors of Lyme Disease Spirochetes and Evaluation of Reservoir-Targeted  
Vaccine Formulations to Prevent Enzootic Transmission of Borrelia burgdorferi (Lyme  
Borreliosis) was convened on February 8, 2008 at 12:00 p.m. via teleconference. Dr.  
Richard Marconi presided as Chair. The attached roster includes all members of the  
panel. Others in attendance included:

Dr. Brian Mahy  
Dr. Trudy Messmer  
Dr. Shoukat Qari  
Ms. Stephanie Henry Wallace  
Mr. Michael Vance  
Ms. Valerie McCloud  
Ms. Julie Horner

This meeting was 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 Associate Director for  
Management and Operations, CDC, pursuant to Pub. L. 92-463. The Designated Federal  
Official explained policies and procedures regarding avoidance of conflict of interest  
situations, voting and priority ratings, and confidentiality of application materials,  
committee discussions, and recommendations.

The committee reviewed 6 applications requesting \$3,571,285.40 in support. Six  
applications were recommended for \$3,571,285.40 of support.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 2:32, February 8, 2008.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are accurate and complete.

2/8/08  
Date

Richard Marconi  
Chairperson (Dr. Richard Marconi)

2/19/08  
Date

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Designated Federal Official (Dr. Shoukat Qari)

Attachment: Roster

**MEETING ROSTER  
NCZVED Special Emphasis Panel**

**NATIONAL CENTER FOR ZOOBOTIC, VECTOR-BORNE, AND ENTERIC DISEASES  
CK08-001 and CK08-002  
ZCK1 SXQ (01)  
Agenda Seq Num - 198550  
February 08, 2008**

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**DHHS POST-REVIEW CERTIFICATION FORM  
REGARDING CONFLICT OF INTEREST, CONFIDENTIALITY, AND NON-DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION FOR NON-FEDERAL AND FEDERAL REVIEWERS OF GRANT APPLICATIONS AND R&D CONTRACT PROPOSALS**

**Scientific Review Group:** ZCK1 SXQ 01 S, CK08-001 and CK08-002

**Date(s) of review:** February 08, 2008

**A. Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure:** I fully understand the confidential nature of the review process and agree: (1) to destroy or return all materials related to the evaluation; (2) not to disclose or discuss the materials associated with the review, my evaluation, or the review meeting outside of that meeting or with any other individual except as authorized by the Scientific Review Administrator (SRA) or other DHHS designated official; (3) not to disclose procurement information prior to the award of a contract; and (4) to refer all inquiries concerning the review to the SRA or other designated DHHS official.

**B. Conflict of Interest For Non-Federal Reviewers:** This is to certify that in the review identified above, I did not participate in an evaluation of any application or proposal: (1) from any applicant institution or offeror where I am a full- or part-time salaried employee or where I am negotiating for such employment; (2) from any applicant institution or offeror where I have received or could receive a direct financial benefit in relation to the application or proposal under review or have received or could receive a financial benefit from the applicant institution or offeror or principal investigator valued at \$10,000 or more per year that is unrelated to the application or proposal under review; (3) submitted by a close personal relative, a member of my household, or professional associate, or if such person receives financial benefits from or provides financial benefits to an applicant or offeror. If there was an appearance or real conflict of interest, or (4) any application submitted by my former (within the past year) employer I recused myself from the review of the application/proposal or was granted an appropriate waiver.

**C. Conflict of Interest For Federal reviewers:** This is to certify that in the review identified above, I did not participate in an evaluation from (1) any applicant institution where I have an outside activity; (2) any applicant institution where I serve as an officer, director, trustee or partner; (3) any applicant institution where I am seeking employment; (4) any applicant institution in which I, my spouse, and my minor child hold, in aggregate, more than \$15,000 worth of stock; (5) any applicant institution where my spouse is employed; (6) any application submitted by a close personal relative, a member of my household, a colleague with whom I have a business or other contractual relationship, the employer of my spouse, parent, or child, or (7) any application submitted by my former (within the past year) non-Federal employer. If there was an appearance or actual conflict of interest, I recused myself from the review of the application/proposal or was granted an appropriate waiver.

**CERTIFICATION**

Under penalty of perjury (US Code Title 18 Chapter 47 section 1001), I fully understand the confidential nature of the review process and agree to confidentiality and non-disclosure (Paragraph A) and certify that in the review above I did not participate in an evaluation of any application or proposal with which I knowingly had a conflict of interest (Paragraph B or C).

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