

Number of Respondents: 3,180.

Estimated Hours Per Response: 0.75 hours reporting requirement (0.25 hours licensee/0.5 hours contract time); 0.5 hours recordkeeping requirement.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirement and recordkeeping requirement.

Cost to Respondents: \$74,000.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 1,405 hours.

Needs and Uses: Section 73.3613 requires that licensees of TV and low power TV broadcast stations file with the FCC copies of network affiliation contracts, instruments, and documents together with amendments, supplements and cancellations. In addition, all radio and full service TV broadcast station licensees are required to file contracts, instruments, or documents relating to ownership or control and personnel.

Section 73.3613 also requires licensees to file, within 30 days of execution, a copy of any local time brokerage agreement which would result in the arrangement being counted in determining the brokering licensee's compliance with local and national radio multiple ownership rules.

Certain contracts, agreements or understandings need not be filed with the FCC under Section 73.3613(e), but must be retained at the station and be made available for inspection upon request by the FCC.

The contracts filed with the FCC and filed in the station file are used by FCC staff to assure that a licensee maintains full control over the operation and maintenance of the station.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[Report No. 2261]

Petitions for Reconsideration and Clarification of Action in Rulemaking Proceeding

March 6, 1998.

Petitions for reconsideration and clarification have been filed in the Commission's rulemaking proceedings listed in this Public Notice and published pursuant to 47 CFR Section 1.429(e). The full text of these documents are available for viewing and copying in Room 239, 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. or may be purchased from the Commission's copy

contractor, ITS, Inc., (202) 857-3800. Oppositions to these petitions must be filed March 30, 1998. See Section 1.4(b)(1) of the Commission's rule (47 CFR 1.4(b)(1)). Replies to an opposition must be filed within 10 days after the time for filing oppositions has expired.

Subject: Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations, (Tylertown, Mississippi) (CC Docket No. 97-45).

Number of Petitions Filed: 1.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

DATE & TIME: Friday, April 24 at 8:00 a.m., Saturday, April 25 at 8:30 a.m.

PLACE: Doubletree Hotel, Columbia River, 1401 N. Hayden Island Drive, Portland, OR 97217.

NAME: Federal Election Commission, Election Administration Advisory Panel.

STATUS: The Advisory Panel Meeting is open to the public, dependent on available space.

In accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. Appl I) and Office of Management and Budget Circular A-63, as revised, the Federal Election Commission announces the 1998 Advisory Panel meeting.

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED: Using the Internet in Election Offices; Developing a Statewide Voter Registration Database; Year 2000 Compliance in Election Offices; Problems and Solutions; Updating the Voting Systems Standards; A Review of Recent Election Case Law; Confirming Identity Through Biometric Technology; Census 2000; Communicating with the Electronic Media.

PURPOSE OF THE MEETING: The Panel will present their views on problems in the administration of Federal elections, and formulate recommendations to the Federal Election Commission Office of Election Administration for its future program development.

Any member of the public may file a written statement with the Panel before, during, or after the meeting. To the extent that time permits, Panel Chair may allow public presentation or oral statements at the meeting.

PERSON TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION: Ms. Penelope Bonsall, Director, Office of

Election Administration, Telephone: (202) 694-1095.

Marjorie W. Emmons,

Secretary of the Commission.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

TIME AND DATE: 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 18, 1998.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, C Street entrance between 20th and 21st Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20551.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Discussion Agenda

1. Proposed amendments to Regulation D (Reserve Requirements of Depository Institutions) regarding a proposed reserve maintenance system under which reserves are maintained on a lagged basis (proposed earlier for public comment; Docket No. R-0988).

2. Any items carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

Note: This meeting will be recorded for the benefit of those unable to attend. Cassettes will be available for listening in the Board's Freedom of Information Office, and copies may be ordered for \$6 per cassette by calling 202-452-3684 or by writing to: Freedom of Information Office, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Joseph R. Coyne, Assistant to the Board; 202-452-3204.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: You may call 202-452-3206 for a recorded announcement of this meeting; or you may contact the Board's Web site at <http://www.bog.frb.fed.us> for an electronic announcement. (The Web site also includes procedural and other information about the open meeting.)

Dated: March 11, 1998.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

TIME AND DATE: Approximately 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, March 18, 1998, following a recess at the conclusion of the open meeting.

PLACE: Marriner S. Eccles Federal Reserve Board Building, 20th and C Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20551.

STATUS: Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Personnel actions (appointments, promotions, assignments, reassignments, and salary actions) involving individual Federal Reserve System employees.

2. Any matters carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Joseph R. Coyne, Assistant to the Board; 202-452-3204.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: You may call 202-452-3206 beginning at approximately 5 p.m. two business days before the meeting for a recorded announcement of bank and bank holding company applications scheduled for the meeting; or you may contact the Board's Web site at <http://www.bog.frb.fed.us> for an electronic announcement that not only lists applications, but also indicates procedural and other information about the meeting.

Dated: March 11, 1998.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 98C-0158]

Linvatec Corp.; Filing of Color Additive Petition

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that Linvatec Corp. has filed a petition proposing that the color additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of D&C Violet No. 2 to color absorbable meniscal tacks made from poly(L-lactic acid).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellen M. Waldron, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS-215), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-418-3089.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 721(d)(1) (21 U.S.C. 379e(d)(1)), notice is given that a color additive petition (CAP 8C0255) has been filed by Linvatec Corp., P.O. Box 2917, Largo, FL 33779-2917. The petition proposes to amend the color additive regulations in § 74.3602 *D&C Violet No. 2* (21 CFR 74.3602) to provide for the safe use of D&C Violet No. 2 to color absorbable meniscal tacks made from poly(L-lactic acid).

The agency has determined under 21 CFR 25.32(l) that this action is of a type that does not individually or cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment. Therefore, neither an environmental assessment nor an environmental impact statement is required.

Dated: March 2, 1998.

Alan M. Rulis,

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. 98D-0133]

FDA Modernization Act of 1997: Guidance for Industry on Implementation of Section 126, Elimination of Certain Labeling Requirements; Availability

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing the availability of a guidance for industry entitled "Implementation of Section 126, Elimination of Certain Labeling Requirements, of the Food and Drug Administration Modernization Act of 1997." The Food and Drug Administration Modernization Act of 1997 (FDAMA) amends the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (the act) to require, at a minimum, that before dispensing, the labels of prescription products contain the symbol "Rx only" instead of the "Caution: Federal law prohibits dispensing without prescription" statement. In addition, the requirement that the labels of certain habit-forming drugs bear the statement "Warning—May be habit forming" has been repealed. This guidance is intended to clarify FDA policy with respect to implementation of these

amendments that became effective February 19, 1998. The agency requested comments on this guidance.

DATES: Written comments may be submitted at any time.

ADDRESSES: Copies of this guidance may be obtained on the Internet at <http://www.fda.gov/cder/guidance/index.htm>. Submit written requests for single copies of this guidance to the Drug Information Branch (HFD-210), Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857. Send one self-addressed adhesive label to assist that office in processing your requests. Submit written comments on the guidance to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 12420 Parklawn Dr., rm. 1-23, Rockville, MD 20857.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jerry Phillips, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (HFD-610), Food and Drug Administration, Office of Generic Drugs, 7500 Standish Pl., Rockville, MD 20855, 301-827-5846.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: FDA is announcing the availability of a guidance for industry entitled "Implementation of Section 126, Elimination of Certain Labeling Requirements, of the Food and Drug Administration Modernization Act of 1997." Section 126 of Title I of the Food and Drug Administration Modernization Act of 1997 (Pub. L. 105-115), signed into law by President Clinton on November 21, 1997, amends section 503(b)(4) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (the act) (21 U.S.C. 353(b)(4)) to require, at a minimum, that prior to dispensing, the label of prescription products contain the symbol "Rx only." In addition, section 502(d) of the act (21 U.S.C. 352(d)) is repealed. This section required the labels of certain habit-forming drugs to bear the statement "Warning—May be habit forming." The amendments to section 503(b)(4) of the act and the repeal of section 502(d) of the act became effective February 19, 1998.

This guidance for industry is intended to: (1) Describe the new prescription drug labeling requirements of the act as amended by FDAMA and (2) advise manufacturers, packers, and distributors of the policy the agency will follow in implementing the requirements of section 126. The guidance advises that, for a limited period of time, FDA does not intend to object if manufacturers, packers, or distributors of already approved products implement section 126 of FDAMA at the time of next printing of its labels, but that such entities should implement the