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Agenda: The committee will discuss, make recommendations, and vote on a premarket approval application for a high-frequency ventilator used in the treatment of acute respiratory failure in adults. Background information and questions for the committee will be available to the public on July 13, 2001, on the Internet at <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/panelmtg.html>.

Procedure: On July 16, 2001, from 12 a.m. to 5 p.m., the meeting is open to the public. Interested persons may present data, information, or views, orally or in writing, on issues pending before the committee. Written submissions may be made to the contact person by July 9, 2001. Oral presentations from the public will be scheduled between approximately 12:15 p.m. and 12:45 p.m. Near the end of the committee deliberations, a 30-minute open public session will be conducted for interested persons to address issues specific to the submission before the committee. Time allotted for each presentation may be limited. Those desiring to make formal oral presentations should notify the contact person before July 9, 2001, and submit a brief statement of the general nature of the evidence or arguments they wish to present, the names and addresses of proposed participants, and an indication of the approximate time requested to make their presentation.

Closed Committee Deliberations: On July 16, 2001, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, the meeting will be closed to permit FDA to present to the committee trade secret and/or confidential commercial information (5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(4)) regarding pending and future anesthesiology and respiratory therapy device submissions.

Notice of this meeting is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. app. 2).

Dated: June 19, 2001.

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Special Assistant to the Senior Associate Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Health Care Financing Administration, HHS.

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of proposed collections for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

Type of Information Collection Request: New collection;

Title of Information Collection: Durable Medical Equipment and Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS) Supplier Survey: Texas;

Form No.: HCFA-10045 (OMB# 0938-NEW);

Use: This survey is necessary to collect information on beneficiary access, quality of services, diversity of product selection, industry competitiveness, and financial performance from DMEPOS suppliers. These key elements of the evaluation of Medicare's competitive bidding demonstration cannot be thoroughly evaluated without a survey of suppliers. The information will be presented to HCFA and to Congress, who will use the results to determine whether the demonstration should be extended to other sites. The respondents will be companies who supply DMEPOS to Medicare beneficiaries.;

Frequency: Annually;

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit;

Number of Respondents: 384;

Total Annual Responses: 384;

Total Annual Hours: 768.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement and any related forms for the

proposed paperwork collections referenced above, access HCFA's Web Site address at <http://www.hcfa.gov/regs/prdact95.htm>, or E-mail your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number, and HCFA document identifier, to Paperwork@hcfa.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786-1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 60 days of this notice directly to the HCFA Paperwork Clearance Officer designated at the following address: HCFA, Office of Information Services, Security and Standards Group, Division of HCFA Enterprise Standards, Attention: Dawn Willingham, HCFA-10045, Room N2-14-26, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850.

Dated: June 20, 2001.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Availability of Draft Comprehensive Conservation Plan and Environmental Assessment for Rydell National Wildlife Refuge, Erskine, Minnesota

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Refuge Improvement Act of 1997, the Fish and Wildlife Service has published the Rydell National Wildlife Refuge Draft Comprehensive Conservation Plan and Environmental Assessment. The Plan describes how the Service intends to manage the Refuge for the next 15 years.

DATES: Submit written comments by August 15, 2001. All comments should be addressed to Rick Julian, Rydell National Wildlife Refuge, Route 3, Box 105, Erskine, MN 56535. Comments may also be submitted through the Service's regional website at: <http://midwest.fws.gov/planning/rydtop.htm>

ADDRESSES: A copy of the Plan or a summary may be obtained by writing to Rick Julian at the address above or by planing a request through the website. The plan is also posted on the Service's planning website at <http://midwest.fws.gov/planning/rydelldccp.htm>