

to the Administration for Children and Families, Office of Information Services, Division of Information Resource Management Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer. All requests should be identified by the title of the information collection.

The Department specifically requests comments on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Consideration will be given to comments and suggestions submitted within 60 days of this publication.

Dated: March 2, 1998.

**Bob Sargis,**

*Acting Reports Clearance Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Administration for Children and Families**

**Notice of Program Announcement No. ACF/ACYF/RHYP 98-1; Fiscal Year (FY) 1998 Runaway and Homeless Youth Program (RHYP): Final Program Priorities, Availability of Financial Assistance for Fiscal Year 1998, and Request for Applications for FY 1998**

**AGENCY:** Family and Youth Services Bureau (FYSB), Administration on Children, Youth and Families (ACYF, HHS).

**ACTION:** Notice of Fiscal Year 1998 Final Runaway and Homeless Youth (RHY) Program Priorities, availability of financial assistance, and request for applications for the FY 1998 Basic Center Program for Runaway and Homeless Youth (BCP), FY 1998 Street Outreach Program (SOP), FY 1998 Youth Development State Collaboration Demonstration Project (State Demos), and the FY 1999 National Communication System for Runaway and Homeless Youth (NCS).

**SUMMARY:** The Family and Youth Services Bureau of the Administration on Children, Youth and Families is publishing notice of final program priorities and announcing the availability of funds for:

1. The Basic Center Program for Runaway and Homeless Youth (BCP). The purpose of the Basic Center Program is to provide financial assistance to establish or strengthen

locally-controlled centers that address the immediate needs (outreach, temporary shelter, food, clothing, counseling, aftercare, and related services) of runaway and homeless youth and their families.

2. The Street Outreach Program for Runaway, Homeless and Street Youth (SOP). The purpose of the Street Outreach Program is to provide financial assistance to prevent sexual abuse and exploitation of runaway, homeless and street youth. Street-based outreach and education services, including treatment, counseling, and the provision of information and referral assistance are allowable services under this program.

3. Youth Development State Collaboration Demonstration Project (State Demos). The purpose of these demonstration grants is to provide financial assistance to support the use of a youth development approach by States as they address the needs of adolescents at the State and local levels.

4. National Communication System for Runaway and Homeless Youth (NCS). The purpose of the National Communication System is to provide a national youth crisis hotline service that includes information and referral services and crisis counseling to runaway and homeless youth and their families. The system is also responsible for assisting runaway and homeless youth in communicating with their families and with service providers.

**DATES:** The date and time deadline for RECEIPT by DHHS of applications for new grants under this announcements are as follows:

| Competitive grant areas | Deadline dates      | Deadline times   |
|-------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| BCP .....               | May 8, 1998 .....   | 4:30 p.m. (EDT). |
| SOP .....               | May 15, 1998 .....  | 4:30 p.m. (EDT). |
| State Demos .....       | May 15, 1998 .....  | 4:30 p.m. (EDT). |
| NCS .....               | Oct. 30, 1998 ..... | 4:30 p.m. (EDT). |

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:** Copies of the program announcement will be automatically sent to all current FYSB grantees, all organizations that applied for FYSB grants awards in FY 97 and all individuals and organizations that have asked to be placed on the mailing list for FY 1998. Copies of the program announcement can be obtained by contacting the Administration on Children, Youth and Families, Family and Youth Services Bureau, P.O. Box 1182, Washington, D.C. 20013; Telephone: 1-800-351-2293. A copy of this program announcement is also located at the FYSB website at <http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/program/FYSB>

under Policy and Funding Announcements.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Grant awards of FY 1998 funds will be made by September 30, 1998 for the Basic Center Program, the Street Outreach Program, and the Runaway and Homeless Youth State Collaboration Demonstration Project. The award for the National Communication System will be made in FY 1999.

The estimated funds available for new awards and the approximate number of new grants that are to be awarded under this program announcement are as follows:

| Competitive grant areas | New start funds available (millions) | Number of new grants |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| BCP .....               | \$14.6                               | 150                  |
| SOP .....               | 8.0                                  | 80                   |
| State Demos .....       | 1.0                                  | 8                    |
| NCS .....               | 1.0                                  | 1                    |

In addition to the new start grants resulting from the FY 98 competition, the Administration on Children, Youth and Families has provided or anticipates providing FY 1998 noncompetitive, continuation funds to current grantees in the following

programs, as well as grants for the Transitional Living Program (TLP):

| Program   | Funds available (millions) | Number of grants |
|-----------|----------------------------|------------------|
| BCP ..... | \$24.6                     | 233              |
| SOP ..... | 5.5                        | 58               |
| TLP ..... | 14.1                       | 78               |

Grantees eligible for these continuation grants will receive letters to that effect from the appropriate Regional grants management offices and should not submit their continuation applications in response to the FY 1998 program announcement.

#### Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance

Number 93.623, Basic Center Program for Runaway and Homeless Youth; Number 93.557, Street Outreach Program for Runaway, Homeless and Street Youth; Number 93.623 Youth Development State Collaboration Demonstration Project; and 93.623 for the National Communication System.

Dated: March 2, 1998.

**James A. Harrell,**

*Deputy Commissioner, Administration on Children, Youth and Families.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

##### Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 98F-0130]

#### Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corp.; Filing of Food Additive Petition

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corp. has filed a petition proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of bis(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidiny) sebacate as a thermal/light stabilizer for polymeric adhesives and pressure-sensitive adhesives.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Hortense S. Macon, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (HFS-206), Food and Drug Administration, 200 C St. SW., Washington, DC 20204, 202-418-3086.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5) (21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5))), notice is given that a food additive petition (FAP 8B4574) has been filed by

Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corp., 540 White Plains Rd., P.O. Box 2005, Tarrytown, NY 10591-9005. The petition proposes to amend the food additive regulations to provide for the safe use of bis(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-piperidiny)sebacate in polymeric adhesives and pressure sensitive adhesives.

The agency has determined under 21 CFR 25.32(i) that this action is of the 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: February 13, 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

##### Health Care Financing Administration

[Document Identifier: HCFA-R-219]

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

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, has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) the following proposal for the collection of information. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding the 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:* End Stage Renal Disease Managed Care Demonstration Evaluation; *Form No.:* HCFA-R-219; *Use:* This demonstration is congressionally mandated under the Social Health Maintenance Organization (SHMO) requirements. This evaluation will demonstrate the effectiveness of

integrating acute and chronic care patients with ESRD through expanded community care case management services, using innovative approaches to financing methodologies and benefit design. The ESRD Managed Care Demonstration and evaluation will fulfill the SHMO legislative requirements described in this package. *Frequency:* Other 0, 12, and 30 months; *Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit, Individuals or Households; *Number of Respondents:* 5,365; *Total Annual Responses:* 5,365; *Total Annual Hours:* 4,540.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, or any related forms, E-mail your request, including your address and phone number, 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 on or before April 6, 1998 directly to the OMB Desk Officer designated at the following address: OMB Human Resources and Housing Branch, Attention: Allison Eydt, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, D.C. 20503.

Dated: February 3, 1998.

**John P. Burke III,**

*HCFA Reports Clearance Officer, HCFA, Office of Information Services, Information Technology Investment Management Group, Division of HCFA Enterprise Standards.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

##### Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

#### Minority Fellowship Program

**AGENCY:** Center for Mental Health Services (CMHS), Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice of planned award for renewal of a clinical training grant under the Minority Fellowship Program (MFP) to the American Psychiatric Association (APA).

**SUMMARY:** SAMHSA's CMHS plans to award a renewal MFP grant to the APA for the clinical training of psychiatric trainees who plan service careers working with ethnic minority populations with mental and addictive health disorders. The project period for the renewal grant is anticipated to be 3