

Amylin Pharmaceuticals, Inc., having a place of business in San Diego, California, U.S.A. The patent rights in this invention have been assigned to the United States of America, the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas, and Amgen, Inc.

The contemplated exclusive license territory may be worldwide, and the field of use may be limited to "use of leptin and leptin analogs for the treatment of lipodystrophy or a metabolic condition associated with lipodystrophy in humans, including lipodystrophy associated with or secondary to HIV infection".

**DATES:** Only written comments and/or application for a license which are received by the NIH Office of Technology Transfer on or before August 27, 2010 will be considered.

**ADDRESSES:** Requests for copies of the patents, inquiries, comments, and other materials relating to the contemplated license should be directed to: Tara L. Kirby, PhD, Senior Licensing and Patenting Manager, Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health, 6011 Executive Boulevard, Suite 325, Rockville, MD 20852-3804; Telephone: 301-435-4426; Facsimile: 301-402-0220; E-mail: [tarak@mail.nih.gov](mailto:tarak@mail.nih.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This technology relates to leptin, a protein hormone that plays a key role in regulating energy intake and expenditure. This hormone is released from adipose tissue and inhibits appetite in the brain by counteracting peptide hormones responsible for stimulating hunger, and also stimulates the synthesis of another peptide hormone,  $\alpha$ -MSH, which acts as an appetite suppressant.

Lipodystrophy, a disorder characterized by pathological deposition of adipose tissue (fat), is caused by a deficiency or complete absence of leptin. Patients with severe lipodystrophy have abnormalities in adipose tissue distribution with loss of subcutaneous fat, and suffer from multiple metabolic disorders—extreme insulin resistance, very high triglyceride levels, diabetes and steatosis (fat accumulation in tissues like liver and muscle)—that are associated with increased risk of severe pancreatitis, early diabetes complications, cirrhosis and early cardiovascular death. Leptin replacement therapy in such patients leads to clear and dramatic metabolic benefits, including a reduction in insulin resistance and triglyceride levels, which are refractory to other treatment.

This technology relates to the use of leptin, a leptin analog, or a leptin derivative to treat lipoatrophy, as well as methods and kits for determining a predisposition of a lipoatrophic patient to respond to treatment with leptin, a leptin analog, or a leptin derivative.

The prospective exclusive license will be royalty-bearing and will comply with the terms and conditions of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. The prospective exclusive license may be granted unless, within 30 days from the date of this published Notice, the NIH receives written evidence and argument that establishes that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7.

Applications for a license in the prospective field of use filed in response to this notice will be treated as objections to the grant of the contemplated exclusive license. Comments and objections submitted in response to this notice will not be made available for public inspection, and, to the extent permitted by law, will not be released under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552.

Dated: July 22, 2010.

**Richard U. Rodriguez,**  
Director, Division of Technology Development and Transfer, Office of Technology Transfer, National Institutes of Health.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Federal Emergency Management Agency

[Docket ID FEMA-2010-0037]

#### Hazardous Fire Risk Reduction, East Bay Hills, CA

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of comment period.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) is extending the comment period on its notice of intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) evaluating the environmental impacts of funding a combination of hazardous fuel reduction projects within the East Bay Hills area in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, California.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted by October 1, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by Docket ID FEMA-2010-0037, by one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Search for Docket ID FEMA-2010-0037 and follow the instructions for submitting comments.

- *Fax:* 703-483-2999.

- *Mail/Hand Delivery/Courier:* Office of Chief Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Room 835, Washington, DC 20472-3100.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name and Docket ID. Regardless of the method used for submitting comments or material, all submissions will be posted, without change, to the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>, and will include any personal information you provide. Therefore, submitting this information makes it public. You may wish to read the Privacy Act notice that is available via a link in the footer of <http://www.regulations.gov>.

*Docket:* For access to the docket for this notice or comments submitted by the public on this notice, go to the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov> search for docket ID FEMA-2010-0037. These documents may also be inspected at FEMA, Office of Chief Counsel, Room 835, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472-3100.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Alessandro Amaglio, Regional Environmental Officer, Region IX, FEMA, 111 Broadway, Suite 1200, Oakland, CA 94607-4052 and phone number at (510) 627-7027.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On June 10, 2010, (75 FR 32960), FEMA published a notice of intent to prepare an EIS and request for comments for four hazard mitigation applications for fuel reduction projects in the East Bay Hills area in California pursuant to Section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) regulations implementing NEPA, and FEMA's Environmental Considerations regulations.

FEMA is extending the public comment period on the notice of intent to prepare an EIS to accommodate comments that the Federal, State, Tribal, and local government agencies and interested members of the public may have after the public scoping meetings.

**Authority:** 42 U.S.C. 4331 *et seq.*; 40 CFR part 1500; 44 CFR part 10.

Dated: July 19, 2010.

**W. Craig Fugate,**

*Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Federal Emergency Management Agency

[Docket ID FEMA-2008-0010]

#### National Fire Academy Board of Visitors

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

**ACTION:** Notice of cancellation of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The National Fire Academy Board of Visitors public teleconference meeting scheduled for August 2, 2010 is cancelled.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Teressa Kaas, 16825 South Seton Avenue, Emmitsburg, Maryland 21727, telephone (301) 447-1117, fax (301) 447-1173, and e-mail [teressa.kaas@dhs.gov](mailto:teressa.kaas@dhs.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) published a Notice in the **Federal Register** on July 9, 2010 (75 FR 39561) announcing a National Fire Academy Board of Visitors public teleconference meeting on August 2, 2010. The meeting is cancelled. If the meeting is rescheduled, FEMA will publish a Notice in the **Federal Register** announcing the new date for the meeting.

Dated: July 20, 2010.

**Denis G. Onieal,**

*Acting Deputy United States Fire Administrator, United States Fire Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement (BOEMRE); Cancellation of Oil and Gas Lease Sale 220 in the Mid-Atlantic Planning Area on the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS)

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, Interior.

**ACTION:** Cancellation of Offshore Virginia Lease Sale 220.

**SUMMARY:** On May 27, 2010, the President announced the Secretary of the Interior's decision to cancel offshore Virginia Lease Sale 220 that was scheduled for 2011. Cancellation of Sale 220 will allow time to develop and implement measures to improve the safety of oil and gas development in Federal waters, provide greater environmental protection, and substantially reduce the risk of catastrophic events. The Call for Information and Interest/Nominations and Notice of Intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for OCS Oil and Gas Lease Sale 220 was published in **Federal Register** Vol. 73, No. 220, on Thursday, November 13, 2008. The findings of the National Commission on the BP Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill and Offshore Drilling, (the National Commission was established by Executive Order 13543, dated May 21, 2010, as published in the **Federal Register** on May 26, 2010, (75 FR 29397)), environmental reviews, science-based analysis and public input will inform the Secretary's decisions about whether to move forward with other leases sales in the Mid-Atlantic Planning Area in the future 2012-2017 leasing program.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Renee Orr, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, Chief, Leasing Division, at (703) 787-1215 or [renee.orr@mms.gov](mailto:renee.orr@mms.gov).

Dated: July 7, 2010.

**Michael R. Bromwich,**

*Director, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement (BOEMRE); Cancellation of Oil and Gas Lease Sale 215 in the Western Planning Area (WPA) on the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) in the Gulf of Mexico (GOM)

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, Interior.

**ACTION:** Cancellation of WPA Gulf of Mexico Lease Sale 215.

**SUMMARY:** On May 27, 2010, the President announced the Secretary of the Interior's decision to cancel WPA Sale 215 that was scheduled to occur on August 18, 2010. Cancellation of Sale

215 will allow time to develop and implement measures to improve the safety of oil and gas development in Federal waters, provide greater environmental protection, and substantially reduce the risk of catastrophic events. The Notice of Availability of the Proposed Notice of Sale for OCS Oil and Gas Lease Sale 215 in the WPA in the GOM was published in **Federal Register** Vol. 75, No 64, on Monday, April 5, 2010. The findings of the National Commission on the BP Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill and Offshore Drilling, (the National Commission was established by Executive Order 13543, dated May 21, 2010, as published in the **Federal Register** on May 26, 2010 (75 FR 29397)), environmental reviews, science-based analysis, and public input will inform the Secretary's decisions about whether to move forward with other leases sales in the Gulf of Mexico that are currently scheduled for 2011 and 2012.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Renee Orr, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, Chief, Leasing Division, at (703) 787-1215 or [renee.orr@mms.gov](mailto:renee.orr@mms.gov).

Dated: July 7, 2010.

**Michael R. Bromwich,**

*Director, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Office of the Secretary

#### Vendor Outreach Workshop for Small Businesses in the Midwest Region of the United States

**AGENCY:** Office of the Secretary, Interior.  
**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization of the Department of the Interior is hosting a Vendor Outreach Workshop for small businesses in the midwest region of the United States that are interested in doing business with the Department. This outreach workshop will review market contracting opportunities for the attendees. Business owners will be able to share their individual perspectives with Contracting Officers, Program Managers and Small Business Specialists from the Department. Following the workshop, businesses will also participate in a matchmaking event that will allow businesses to talk with Department representatives during roundtable discussions.