DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Toxicology Program

Notice of Establishment

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), the Director, National Toxicology Program (NTP), announces the establishment of the Advisory Committee on Alternative Toxicological Methods by the Secretary, DHHS.

The Committee will advise the NIEHS Interagency Center for the Evaluation of Alternative Toxicological Methods and the Director of the Environmental Toxicology Program on the activities and directives both present and future, as they relate to the Center, including advice on fostering interactions with all stakehoders.

Duration of this Committee is continuing unless formally determined by the Secretary, DHHS, that termination would be in the best public interest.

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