# **Workshop to Discuss a Proposed Protocol to Assess Asbestos-Related Risk**

Westin St. Francis San Francisco, CA February 25–27, 2003

# **Agenda**

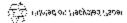
Workshop Co-Chairs: Roger McClellan, Toxicology & Human Health Risk Analysis

Leslie Stayner, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

Facilitator: Jan Connery, Eastern Research Group, Inc.

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2003

8:00AM	Registration/Check-In
8:30AM	Welcome and Announcements
8:35AM	Opening Remarks  U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA)  Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response (OSWER)  Office of Emergency and Remedial Response (OERR)
8:45AM	Peer Consultant Introductions and Conflict-of-InterestDisclosure
9:00AM	Goals, Purpose, and Ground Rules Jan Connery
9:10AM	Background on the Proposed Protocol to  Assess Asbestos-Related Risk
10:10AM	BREAK
10:30AM	Charge to the Peer Consultants





### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2003 (continued)

10:40AM Topic Area 1: Interpretations of the Epidemiology and Toxicology Literature

Discussions facilitated by Roger McClellan (Animal Toxicology and Mechanistic studies) and Leslie Stayner (Epidemiology)

#### LUNG CANCER

- (1) Fiber Type
  - a. Epidemiology
  - (b) Animal Toxicology and Mechanistic Studies

12:00 Noon LUNCH (on own)

1:00PM Observer Comment Period ...... Facilitated by Jan Connery

2:00PM Topic Area 1: Interpretations of the Epidemiology and Toxicology Literature

#### LUNG CANCER (continued)

- II. Fiber Dimensions and Surface Properties (length and other considerations)
  - a. Epidemiology
  - b. Animal Toxicology and Mechanistic Studies

3:30PM B R E A K

3:45PM Topic Area 1: Interpretations of the Epidemiology and Toxicology Literature

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- II. Fiber Type
  - a. Epidemiology
  - b. Animal Toxicology and Mechanistic Studies
- II. Fiber Dimensions and Surface Properties (length and other considerations)
  - a. Epidemiology
  - b. Animal Toxicology and Mechanistic Studies

5:30PM ADJOURN

#### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2003

8:00AM Observer Comment Period

9:00AM Review of Day One Discussions and Day Two Charge to Peer Consultants

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9:10AM	Topic Area 1: Interpretations of the Epidemiology and Toxicology Literature
	EXPOSURE ESTIMATES
9:40AM	Topic Area 2: The Proposed Exposure Index
	Question #4
10:10AM	BREAK
10:30AM	Topic Area 2: The Proposed Exposure Index
	Question #5
11:15AM	Topic Area 2: The Proposed Exposure Index
	Question #6
12:00Noon	LUNCH
1:00PM	Topic Area 3: General Questions
	Question 7Roger McClellanQuestion 8Leslie StaynerQuestions 9Roger McClellanQuestion 10Leslie StaynerQuestion 12Leslie StaynerQuestions 11Roger McClellan
3:15PM	BREAK
3:30PM	Discussion of Other Key Issues
4:50PM	Wrap Up of Day Two Discussions and Review of Goals for Thursday
5:00PM	ADJOURN

## T H U R S D A Y , F E B R U A R Y 27 , 2003

8:00AM	Topic Area 4: Development of Conclusions and Recommendations
10:15AM	BREAK
10:30AM	Topic Area 4: Development of Conclusions and Recommendations
11:35AM	Closing Remarks
11:45AM	ADJOURN