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SPECIAL EMPHASIS PANEL
ZRR1 CM-4 01, Comparative Medicine
September 30, 2002

CLOSED MEETING

The meeting of the National Center For Research Resources Special Emphasis Panel ZRR1 CM-4 01, Comparative Medicine was convened on September 30, 2002, at 7:00 p.m., at the Hilton Hotel, Silver Spring, MD. Gary K Ostrander, Ph.D. resided as chair. The roster includes all members of the panel. Others in attendance are listed on the roster or visitor log.

This meeting was closed to the public in accordance with the determination that it was concerned with matters exempt from mandatory disclosure under Sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S. Code and Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2). The Scientific Review Administrator explained policies and procedures regarding avoidance of conflict of interest situations; voting and priority ratings; and confidentiality of application materials, committee discussions, and recommendations.

Panel members absented themselves from the meeting during discussion of, and voting on, applications from their own institutions, or other applications in which there was a potential conflict of interest, real or apparent.

The Panel reviewed the following:

- 2 Conferences applications requesting \$54,518 in support.
- 1 Exploratory/Developmental Grants application requesting \$253,705 in support.
- 1 Resource-Related Research Projects application requesting \$2,994,192 in support.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 p.m. on September 30, 2002.

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are accurate and complete.

Gary K. Ostrander, Ph.D.
Chairperson
National Center for Research Resources
Special Emphasis Panel

John L. Meyer, Ph.D.

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