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SUBJECT: Modifications to Appendix E: Candidate Data Package

Item 1 of Appendix E describes the summary, generated by the CMA Monitoring Agency, of all engine tests which were scheduled as part of the program. This section has been revised to reflect enhancements in the sorting of sponsoring company information, and to describe the expansion and addition of the terms used to characterize the fate of each test, e.g., Completed and Pending.

Previously, the CMA Code of Practice stated sponsoring companies can request the CMA Monitoring Agency to generate a summary of scheduled tests under the same Sponsor ID and Sponsor Code. This has been enhanced to allow sponsoring companies to obtain more information by specifying a core number within the sponsor code. If a core number is specified, the CMA Monitoring Agency generates a summary of all tests having suffixes or prefixes to that core number. Examples of the sorting strategy are included in this bulletin.

Appendix E, Item 1 describes the fate of each test as canceled prior to registration, canceled after registration prior to start, terminated prior to completion, or completed. As noted below, the term **COMPLETED** applies to a variety of conditions, and the following expanded terms are being added to the CMA Monitoring Agency Summary of Scheduled Tests. These expanded terms are more specific and are established directly from the Test Laboratory Conformance Statement.

COMPLETED

COMPLETED, lab declaration of invalid test

COMPLETED, lab declaration of non-conformance to CODE

COMPLETED, lab declaration of non-ASTM calibration

COMPLETED, lab declaration of ASTM special case

A fifth term, PENDING, has been added as a category. This permits the CMA Monitoring

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Agency to issue a summary of scheduled tests, at sponsor request, if a scheduled test has not come to closure.

A CMA Code Bulletin is forthcoming.

EXAMPLES of Sponsor Code and Sponsor ID Sorting

DFK Chemicals is a pseudo sponsoring company with sponsor ID "DF". DFK Chemicals has scheduled engine tests for oils identified with the following Sponsor ID and Sponsor Codes:

DF - DK5862 DF - DK58627 DF - DK58628 DF - DK586282 DF - KD5862

Examples of the CMA Monitoring Agency's sorting of Sponsor ID and Sponsor Code for the Summary of Scheduled Tests follow.

REQUEST BY SPONSOR	SUMMARY GENERATED BY RSI
<u>D</u> F - <u>D</u> <u>K</u> 5 <u>8</u> 6 <u>2</u> * * * *	DF - DK5862 DF - DK5862 <u>7</u> DF - DK5862 <u>8</u> DF - DK5862 <u>82</u>
DF-DK5862* Note same output as above	DF - DK5862 DF - DK5862 <u>7</u> DF - DK5862 <u>8</u> DF - DK5862 <u>82</u>
DF-**5862***	DF - <u>DK</u> 5862 DF - <u>DK</u> 5862 <u>7</u> DF - <u>DK</u> 5862 <u>8</u> DF - <u>DK</u> 5862 <u>82</u> DF - <u>KD</u> 5862
<u>D F - D K * 8 6 2 * * * * *</u>	NO OUTPUT GENERATED, SPLIT CORE # IN SPONSOR CODE REQUEST

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