Update on Canadian Draft Guidelines for Second entry metered dose inhalers

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#### <u>Agenda</u>

- 1. Regulatory activities prior to 1992
- 2. Draft guidelines issued in 1992
- 3. Regulatory activities past 1992 and future of the Draft guidelines for
  - Bronchodilator MDI'S
  - Corticosteroid MDI'S

## **Regulatory Activities Prior to 1992**

- 1988/1989 Clearance of Two Generic Salbutamol MDI's
- 1990 Preliminary Draft Guidelines

## **The 1992 Draft Covered MDI'S for:**

- Bronchodilators (e.g. Salbutamol)
- Corticosteroids (e.g. Beclomethasone dipropionate)
- Antiallergics (e.g. Cromoglycate, Nedocromil)

Slide 5 - diagram of "Bronchodilation Equivalence Protocol"

Slide 6 - diagram of "Diagnosis of Bronchoprotection Equivalence Protocol"

Slide 7 - Diagram of  $PC_{20}$ -Placebo Ratio

Consultation on Corticosteroid Models

- DIA, Toronto, October 1993
- Workshop, Seattle, May 1995
- CTS Workshop, Toronto, December 1995

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## <u>Guidelines</u> <u>for</u> <u>Corticosteroid MDI's</u>

- 1. <u>Safety</u> Serum cortisol AUC
- 2. Efficacy
  - A) Steroid Reduction Model (1992)
  - **B)** Allergen Inhalation Model (1992)
  - C) Uncontrolled Asthma Model (NEW)

## **Uncontrolled Asthma Model**

## **Recommended Outcome Measures**

- 1. Airway hyperresponsiveness AMP or Methacholine (PC<sub>20</sub>)
- 2. Airway inflammation
  - Induced sputum
  - Eosinophil counts (PB)
  - Exhaled nitric oxide

#### Website for Environment Canada

# http://www.ec.gc.ca/ozone