

Patented Medicine Prices Review Board – May 17-18, 2006 Meeting

At the meeting, the Board:

◆ Approved:

- The 2005 Annual Report and the Communications Plan
- The first quarterly Report on Non-Patented Prescription Drug Prices: *Canadian and Foreign Price Trends*
- Revised Amendments to the *Patented Medicines Regulations, 1994*

- Discussion Guide for the Consultations on the Board's Excessive Price Guidelines

◆ Was briefed on:

- The mandate and activities of the Canadian Expert Drug Advisory Committee (CEDAC) by its Chairperson, Dr. Andreas Laupacis.
- Ongoing PMPRB activities:
 - National Pharmaceuticals Strategy
 - NPDUI ■

The next Board meeting will be held September 27, 2006. For additional information, please contact the Secretary of the Board at: 1 877 861-2350, or (613) 954-8299, or at sdupont@pmprb-cepmb.gc.ca.

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