ISSC COMMITTEE REPORT

Lab Quality Assurance Committee

Date: 8/3/03 Chair: Joel Hansel

August 2003 Committee Meeting Attendees:

Joel Hansel (Chair), Eric Thompson, Richard Burrow, Gilbert Sauve, Patricia Fowler, John Karolus, Kathleen Wickman, Leonora Porter, Mercuria Cumbo, Carol Dorsey, Linda Chandler (FDA), Jan Gooch (NOAA)

2001 - 2003 Committee Charges:

1. Provide recommendations on Proposal 01-127 to the 2003 Task Force I in Portland, Oregon.

Charge 1:

Proposal 01-127

Findings: (Opinion of the Committee as to the validity of the problem.)

1a. Clarification of laboratory status is necessary.

<u>Conclusions:</u> (Opinion of the Committee as to whether the proposed action is appropriate.)

1a. The proposed action clarifies the appropriate sections of the Model Ordinance.

<u>Recommendations:</u> (Include recommended language of submitter or amended languages of the committee, no action, or other action deemed appropriate by the committee.)

1a. Recommend adoption by Task Force I with the following amendments: 1. add the followingl language under E.1. ".. in the evaluation <u>or has an approved action plan</u>. After this period,.." and 2. add the following language under E.2. ".. all nonconformities found <u>or has an approved action plan</u>. After this period,.."

Additional proposals considered by Committee under Executive Director direction

Committee considered the submitted QA checklists for Proposals 03-115 and 03-116 after recommendation for adoption of the methods outlined in these Proposals. Lab QA committee recommends that Task Force I adopt the submitted checklists and instructions, as amended, for both Proposals and the appropriate sections of the Guidance updated.

Recorder: Joel Hansel

Report Approved By: Joel Hansel