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NAME OF COLOR ADDITIVE

AND PROPOSED USE:

FD&C Red No. 28

FD&C Red No. 28 Aluminum Lake

For general use in food

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SECTION A NAME AND ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION CONCERNING THE COLOR ADDITIVE

SECTION A

FD&C Red No. 28

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a. The color additive FD&C Red No. 28 is principally the disodium salt of 2',4',5',7' tetrabromo-4.5.6,7-tetrachlorofluorescein (CAS Reg. No. 18472-87-2).

b. Synonyms

FD&C Red No. 28 Phloxine B C.I. No. 45410 (Na Salt) C.I. Acid Red 92

c. <u>Physical Properties</u>. FD&C Red No. 28 is a blue-pink dye of the Xanthene class. It is soluble in water, alcohols and glycerin

d. Chemical Properties.

Empirical Formula.

FD&C Red No. 28 - $C_{20}H_2O_5Br_4CT_4Na_2$

2 Motecular Weight

FD&C Red No. 28 - 839.64 g/mol

Throughout this petition we refer to D&C No. 28 as FD&C Red No. 28 on the assumption that this will be the name of the compound once approved for use in foods.

2. Structural Formula

FD&C Red No. 28

a. Proposed Specifications. The color additive FD&C Red No. 28 shall conform to the following specifications and shall be free from impurities other than those named to the extent that such other impurities may be avoided by current good manufacturing practice. These specifications are identical to those found at 21 C.F.R § 74.1328, except for the addition of the specification for Hexachlorobenzene and the proposed reduction in the specification of Lead from 20 parts per million to 5 parts per million.

FD&C Red No. 28.

Sum of volatile matter (at 135° C), halides and sulfates (calculated as odium salts), not more than 15 percent.

nsoluble matter (alkaline solution), not more than 0.5 percent.

Cetrachlorophthalic acid, not more than 1.2 percent.

Brominated resorcinol, not more than 0.4 percent.

1.3.4.5- l'etracloro-6-(3.5-dibromo-2.4-dihydroxybenzoyl) benzoic acid, not nore than 0.7 percent

2.4.5.7. Tetrabromo-4.5.6.7-tetrachloroflourescein, ethyl ester, not more han 2 percent

lower halogenated subsidiary cotors, not more than 4 percent.

Hexachlorobenzene (as HCB), not more than 20 parts per million.

lead (as Pb), not more than 5 parts per million.

Arsenic (as As), not more than 3 parts per million.

Mercury (as Hg), not more than a part per million.

Total color, not less than 85 percent

b. <u>Chemical and Physical Methods of Analysis</u>. Methods of analysis developed by the Division of Color Technology for the certification of D&C Red No. 28 are adequate for analysis of FD&C Red No. 28.