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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

HEMP INDUSTRIES ASSOCIATION;
NUTIVA, INC.; TIERRA MADRE,
LLC; HEMP OIL CANADA, INC.; NORTH
FARM COOPERATIVE; KENEX
LTD.; NATURE'S PATH FOODS USA
INC.; HEMPOLA, INC.,

Petitioner,

v.

DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENCY; ASA
THE HONORABLE ASA HUTCHINSON,
Administrator,

Respondents.

No. 01-71662

ORDER

The Drug Enforcement Administration has issued an "Interpretative Rule" regarding the listing of all products that contain any amount of "Tetrahydrocannabinols" in Schedule I of the Controlled Substances Act. 66 Fed. Reg. 51530 (Oct. 9, 2001). Petitioners' Emergency Motion to stay operation of the DEA's Interpretive Rule pending review by this court is hereby granted. The stay is granted through the date of hearing of the appeal on the merits and until further order of the court.

FOR THE COURT

CATHY A. CATTERSON
CLERK OF COURT

By *John McClinton*
Deputy Clerk