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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., No. 01-71662

Petitioner,

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

Respondents.

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

Deputy Clerk