

12238 COMPETITIVE PROBLEMS IN THE DRUG INDUSTRY

MINUTES OF MEETING

MEDICAL AND NONPERISHABLE SUBSISTENCE SUPPLY
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1974

The Ad Hoc Medical and Nonperishable Subsistence (Med/NPS)
Supply Management Committee meeting convened at 10:00 A.M.,
chaired by Mr. Sorett. Persons in attendance were:

R. A. Adams, OMB
Robert F. Rozycki, OASD (I&L)
John M. Donovan, Jr., FSS/GSA
Donald P. Whitworth, VA
Daniel J. Shaunnessy, VA
Jay J. Joerger, VA
Richard DiFedele, LEM/GSA
Louis Sorett, OFMP/GSA
Mr. Sorett, DHEW

1. Discussion of legal implications dealing with trade
associations and industries. Mr. Sorett introduced Mr.
Richard DiFedele of the General Counsel's office (LEM/GSA),
who advised the committee on any contemplated dealings with
industry. A copy of his report is enclosed.

Mr. Rozycki (DOD) recommended that consideration not be
given to setting up advisory subcommittees at this time,
however, should the Med/NPS Committee find a need for
commercial assistance in the future, the group would then
establish the advisory subcommittee(s). VA, DHEW, and
GSA(FSS) representatives concurred in this recommendation.

2. Minutes of previous meeting. The minutes of the Septem-
ber 6 meeting were approved.