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Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration
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200 Constitution Avenue, NW
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Advanced Medical Technology Association

Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration:


The purpose of this filing is to comply with the reporting and disclosure requirements of Part I of Title I of ERISA with respect to an unfunded or insured pension plan maintained for a select group of management or highly compensated employees. This filing is intended to comply with DOL Reg. 2520.104-23.

This plan, AdvaMed's 457(b) Executive Retirement Savings Plan, is maintained by the Advanced Medical Technology Association ("ADVAMED"). Our full address is 1200 G Street, Suite 400, Washington, DC 20005-3814. The employer identification number (EIN) assigned by the Internal Revenue Service is 52-1006053.

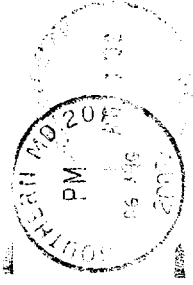
The plan is maintained primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation for a select group of management or highly compensated employees. ADVAMED maintains one deferred compensation plan, in which there are, at present, no participating employees. In accordance with Section 104(a)(1) of ERISA, we will provide Plan documents to the Secretary of Labor upon request.

Please note that in February 1994 our Association, at that time known as the Health Industry Manufacturers Association ("HIMA") (we changed our name to the Advanced Medical Technology Association in June 2000), provided information on the Deferred Compensation Plan of the Health Industry Manufacturers Association that we implemented at that time. That plan has been terminated. We recently implemented the new plan referenced at the beginning of this letter and are re-filing as a result.

Sincerely,


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