

Program Agenda
October 21, 2004 Thursday
Consul Program for New Jersey Life Sciences Investment

MORNING

09:30 – 9:55

Check In & Continental Breakfast

9:50 – 10:00

Assemble participants in **Conference Room C**

10:00 – 10:25

Welcome Remarks

10:00

Mr. Sylvester Di Diego, Honorary Chairman – Open Program

10:02

Ms. Jacki Belin, Dean of College Advancement, Raritan Valley Community College

10:05

Ms. Denise Coyle, Freeholder Director, Somerset County

10:12

Ms. Nancy Palladino, Freeholder, Hunterdon County

10:15

Ms. Hannah Massaquoi, Area Manager, JCP&L A FirstEnergy Company

10:20

Mr. Tulsi Maharjan, PH.D., Center for International Business & Education at RVCC

10:25 – 10:50

Overview of Life Sciences in New Jersey (Current highlights and future direction)

10:25 - 10:30

Introduction: Ms. Janis Lewandowski, Senior Economic Development Executive,
JCP&L A FirstEnergy Company

10:30 - 10:50

Speaker: Mr. Timothy Lizura, Chairman, New Jersey Biotechnology & Life Sciences Coalition

10:50 – 11:35

CEO Success Stories (top executives of foreign owned life science companies)

10:50 - 10:55

Sylvester Di Diego, Honorary Chairman - Introduction of CEOs

10:55 - 11:15

Speaker: Mr. Dennis Smith, CEO, INO Therapeutics, LLC

11:15 - 11:35

Speaker: Mr. Mark Durham, VP of Corporate Human Resources, Biovail Corporation

11:35 – 12:00

Resource Highlights (Focus on workforce & academic resources for business)

11:35 – 11:40

Introduction: Ms. Julia West Johnson, Associate Dean of Corporate and Continuing Education,
RVCC

11:40 – 12:00

Speaker: Ms. Janet Zatz, Deputy Commissioner, New Jersey Department of Labor
and Workforce Development

12:00 – 1:00

Luncheon

12:20 -12:25

Sylvester Di Diego, President, Strategy Dynamix & Honorary Chairman of Program

12:25 – 12:30

Sponsor: Mr. Larry Morris, Senior Economic Development Executive,
JCP&L A FirstEnergy Company

12:30 – 12:35

Introduction: Ms. Virginia S. Bauer, CEO and Secretary-Designate of the New Jersey
Commerce & Economic Growth Commission

12:35 - 12:55

Speaker: Dr. James Hughes Dean of the Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Public
Policy; Director, Rutgers Regional Report; B.S., M.C.R.P., Ph.D., Rutgers
University, New Jersey (Regional Economic Highlights & Outlook)

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