

Announcements

ASEAN FOOD CONFERENCE 1985

The 1985 ASEAN Food Conference will be held from February 18 to 23, Manila, Philippines on the theme 'Food Technology for Asean'. The conference is organised by the Indonesian Institute of Sciences (LIPI), Malaysian Institute of Food Technology (MIFT), Philippine Association of Food Technologists (PAFT), Singapore Institute of Food Science and Technology (SIFST), Thailand Association of Food Science and Technology (TAFST). Deadline for abstracts is June 30, 1984.

Chairperson of the Conference is Miss Mercedes R. Soriano, National Institute of Science and Technology, Pedro Gil Street, Manila, Philippines, from whom further particulars may be obtained.

FIRST INTERNATIONAL MEETING ON BODY WEIGHT CONTROL

Cause, treatment and health risks brought about by aberrant body weight, including areas of doubt and controversy, will be reviewed by the world's leading authorities at Montreux, Switzerland, from 1 to 4 April, 1985. The objective is to inform health professionals, educators and all those interested in the problem about current thinking in all of the many scientific disciplines involved.

A panel of internationally recognised experts in weight control have drawn up the programme for Professional Postgraduate Services, suggesting the most authoritative speakers to cover the many topics thoroughly. Unusually, the meeting will not be an occasion to present the results of original research, but rather to review the current state of knowledge with a view to publishing both full proceedings and also a number of specialist monographs discussing various aspects of the problem in greater detail.

Further details are available from: Professional Postgraduate Services Ltd, Sunderland House, Sunderland Street, Macclesfield, Cheshire SK11 6JF, UK.