

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GROUPE POLYPHENOLS GENERAL ASSEMBLY 1984

This will be held 31 May to 4 June 1984 at the Food Industry Institute, Plovdiv, Bulgaria. Plenary sessions will cover: phenolics as markers in biochemistry and genetics, phenolics and furanocoumarins in medicine, phenolics and the food industry. Round Table discussions will centre on: phenolic-microbial interactions, role of phenolics in plant physiology, recent advances in phenolic analysis. For further details and registration forms, apply to M. Bourzeix, Groupe Polyphenols, B.P. 429, F-11104 Narbonne Cedex, France before 28 February 1984.

CHINESE MEDICINAL PLANT RESEARCH

A symposium on this topic will be held 11-13 June, 1984 in the Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, Hong Kong. It will be a multi-disciplinary international gathering of scientists working on Chinese medicinal plants. In addition to special lectures on ginseng, liver disease drugs, abortifacients and male contraceptives, there will be oral and poster sessions for short papers. For further details, contact Miss Grace Poon, Dept. of Chemistry, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, N.T., Hong Kong.