On the Possibility of Production and Identification of the Superheavy Hydrogen Hypernucleus ${}^6_{\Lambda}H$ *

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The investigation of hypernuclei with a neutron halo is one of the new topic of hypernuclear spectroscopy [1]. Recently a narrow resonance of superheavy Hydrogen isotope ⁵H (= ³H+nn), $E_{res} = 1.7$ MeV has been observed [2].

The hypernucleus ${}^{6}_{\Lambda}$ H could be identified unambiguously in experiments with relativistic hypernuclei prepared for NUCLOTRON in the Joint Institute for Nuclear research, Dubna, using pionic decay ${}^{6}_{\Lambda}$ H $\rightarrow \pi^{-} + {}^{6}$ He as an excellent trigger, [3]. We recall that similar trigger allowed to determine production cross sections and lifetimes of light hyperhydrogen isotopes ${}^{3}_{\Lambda}$ H and ${}^{4}_{\Lambda}$ H [4].

The confirmation of the existence of the ${}^{6}_{\Lambda}$ H hypernucleus will be a strong motivation to search spectra of neutron-rich hypernuclei produced by strange and double charge exchange (K^{-}, π^{+}) [5] or (π^{-}, K^{+}) reactions [6]. Such experiments are prepared by FINUDA Collaboration at DA Φ NE (Frascati) [1] and by KEK-PS-E521 Collaboration for 50 GeV proton synchrotron J-PARC [7].

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