

ALFOODACT 2016-001, Status of ALFOODACT Messages For Calendar Year 2015

Date Issued: January 5, 2016

1. Reference:

- a. DLAR 4155.26/AR 40-660/NAVSUPINST 10110.8c/AFI 48-116/MCO 10110.38c, DOD Hazardous Food & Nonprescription Drug Recall System.
- b. Allied Communications Publication 121, US SUPP-1 (f).

2. During Calendar Year 2015, forty-two (42) ALFOODACT Messages were issued. The series began with 2015-001 and ended with 2015-042.

3. The 2015 ALFOODACT Message summary follows:

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2015-002, CLOSED: Bidart Bros. Is Voluntarily Recalling 2014 Shipments Of Granny Smith And Gala Apples After Link To *Listeria Monocytogenes*

2015-003, CLOSED: MorningStar Farms Recalls Spicy Black Bean Burgers and Chipotle Black Bean Burgers (undeclared peanut allergen)

2015-004, CLOSED: WhiteWave Foods Voluntarily Recalls Horizon Cheddar Sandwich Crackers Due to Undeclared Peanuts

2015-005, CLOSED: Bavarian Meats Recalls Brand Loaf Products Due to Misbranding and an Undeclared Allergen

2015-006, CLOSED: Badia Spices Inc Recalls Ground Cumin Products Undeclared Peanut Protein

2015-007, CLOSED: Bon Appetizers LLC Recalls 10429 lbs of Chicken Products Misbranding and Undeclared Allergen

2015-008, CLOSED: KRAFT FOODS GROUP VOLUNTARILY RECALLS SELECT CODE DATES AND MANUFACTURING CODES OF KRAFT MACARONI CHEESE BOXED DINNERS DUE TO POSSIBLE METAL PIECES

2015-009, CLOSED: FDA Investigates *Listeria monocytogenes* in Ice Cream Products from Blue Bell Creameries

2015-010, CLOSED: Amys Kitchen Recalls 73897 Cases Of Select Code Dates And Manufacturing Codes From One of Amys Organic Spinach Suppliers That Amys Products May Contain *Listeria*

2015-011, CLOSED: Update to ALFOODACT 2015 009 FDA Investigates *Listeria monocytogenes* in Ice Cream Products from Blue Bell Creameries

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2015-012, CLOSED: Update to ALFOODACT 2015 009 2015 011 FDA Investigates Listeria monocytogenes in Ice Cream Products from Blue Bell Creameries

2015-013, CLOSED: Sabra Dipping Company Recalls 30000 Cases of its Classic Hummus Listeria monocytogenes

2015-014, CLOSED: Beech Nut Nutrition Recalls Baby Food Product Due to Possible Foreign Matter Contamination

2015-015, CLOSED: Update to ALFOODACT 2015 009 2015 011 2015 012 Blue Bell Creameries Voluntarily Expands Recall To Include All Of Its Products Due To Possible Health Risk

2015-016, CLOSED: RB Issues Voluntary Recall of Liquid Bottles of MUCINEX® FASTMAX® Night Time Cold Flu MUCINEX® FASTMAX® Cold Sinus MUCINEX® FASTMAX® Severe Congestion Cough and MUCINEX® FASTMAX® Cold Flu Sore Throat Due to Undeclared Levels of Acetaminophen Dextromethorphan Guaifenesin Phenylephrine and Diphenhydramine

2015-017, CLOSED: Inventure Foods Inc Issues Voluntary Recall of Its Fresh Frozen™ Vegetables and Select Jamba At Home Smoothie Kits Because of Possible Health Risk

2015-018, CLOSED: Golden Krust Patties Recalls Beef and Chicken Products Due To Misbranding and Undeclared Allergens

2015-019, CLOSED: John B Sanfilippo Son Inc Recalls Fisher Brand 10 Ounce Chopped Walnuts Salmonella

2015-020, CLOSED: Niagara water issues recall for water due to possible E. coli contamination

2015-021, CLOSED: WishBone Salad Dressing Issues Allergy Alert on Undeclared Egg in 24 oz WishBone Ranch Salad Dressing

2015-022, CLOSED: Atkins Nutritionals, Inc. Voluntary Recalls Limited Quantity of Atkins Chocolate Candies

2015-023, CLOSED: Aspen Foods Recalls Frozen, Raw, Stuffed & Breaded Chicken Products Due to Possible Salmonella Enteritidis Contamination

2015-024, CLOSED: Barrel O' Fun Snack Foods Co Recalls Vic's Original Popcorn 118oz undeclared allergen

2015-025, CLOSED: SIMPLOT CLASSIC RECALL of FROZEN PRODUCT due to possible presence of Listeria monocytogenes

2015-026, CLOSED: Kraft Heinz Company Voluntarily Recalls Select Varieties of Kraft Singles Products Due to Potential Choking Hazard

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2015-027, CLOSED: Kapowsin Meats Recalls Pork Product Due To Possible Salmonella Contamination

2015-028, CLOSED: Kraft Heinz Foods Company Recalls Turkey Bacon Products Due To Possible Adulteration

2015-029, CLOSED: Bimbo Bakeries USA Recalls Certain Limited Breads Produced Under The Sara Lee, Great Value, Kroger, Bimbo, Nature's Harvest And L'Oven Fresh Brands (foreign matter – glass)

2015-030, CLOSED: Andrew and Williamson Fresh Produce Recalls Limited Edition Brand Cucumbers Because of Possible Health Risk

2015-031, CLOSED: The Kraft Heinz Company Expands Recall of Wrapped American Slices (choking hazard)

2015-032, CLOSED: The Pork Rind Factory Recalls Pork Products Due To Misbranding and Undeclared Allergens

2015-033, CLOSED: General Mills Issues Voluntary Class I Recall Of Cheerios And Honey Nut Cheerios Cereal Produced At Its Lodi, California Location On Certain Dates (undeclared wheat)

2015-034, CLOSED: Dole Fresh Vegetables Recalls Limited Number of Salads due to Possible health risk from Salmonella

2015-035, CLOSED: General Mills Recalls Frozen Cascadian Farm Cut Green Beans listeria

2015-036, CLOSED: DAVID Trail Mix Sweet and Salty flavor is voluntarily recalled by ConAgra Foods for Undeclared Allergen

2015-037, CLOSED: HERR'S Foods recall Sour Cream and Onion Potato Chips Undeclared Allergen

2015-038, CLOSED: King Nut Co recalls Kings brand Mountain Mix of SunMeadow brand meal kits Undeclared Allergen

2015-039, CLOSED: Campbell Soup Co recalls 142 ounce cans of SpaghettiOs Original due to potential choking hazard

2015-040, CLOSED: Tyson Foods Inc recalls chicken wings Possible Adulteration

2015-041, CLOSED: CE Farms Inc recall Celery due to potential E coli 0157H7

2015-042, CLOSED: Zatarains Red Beans and Rice Undeclared Allergens Milk Product

a. REMARKS:

I. Closed status denotes that this office has provided final disposition instructions for the item(s).

II. Open status denotes that only partial disposition instructions have been provided, and that further instructions will be provided in a subsequent message by this office.

4. ALFOODACT messages may involve situations of serious adverse health consequences or death. Therefore, it is important for each message recipient to carefully read each ALFOODACT Message in detail and take appropriate action expeditiously. Message recipients should take the appropriate and necessary follow-up actions for subsequent deliveries of the recalled item(s) to ensure compliance with the initial recall.

5. To avoid delays, recipients of ALFOODACT Messages are encouraged to maintain a close liaison with their servicing telecommunications centers. The installation message center must be provided with a current point of contact list within the activity to ensure timely notification of receipt. If an ALFOODACT Message is not received, the local telecommunications center should be contacted to obtain a copy. However, if all attempts to secure a copy fail, then contact this center (DLA-FTW) for further assistance.

Reference 1.b. requires telecommunications centers to maintain a file of each ALFOODACT Message for one year and to provide copies upon request. Paragraph 309 of reference 1.b. further requires the telecommunications centers to maintain a record of each joint general message (e.g., ALFOODACT Messages) by serial number, until canceled by the first ALFOODACT Message of the new calendar year. If the telecommunications center failed to receive the message, then they should request a retransmission from their particular switching station. This center is responsible for issuing ALFOODACT Messages. Message recipients that have not received a message for 90 days or longer can access Troop Support's Food Safety Office web page for the latest message.

<https://www.troopsupport.dla.mil/subs/fso/alfood/alfood.asp>

6. Activities that discover a condition in a food or nonprescription drug that may require a recall should report it to DLA Troop Support Philadelphia, PA//DLA-FTW// IAW paragraph v.d.5 of reference 1.a. While an activity may place an item on "Medical Hold" for a hazardous condition, the issuance of an ALFOODACT Recall Notice is restricted to the DLA Troop Support Consumer Safety Officer.

7. Disposition instructions are currently being placed below the body of each message and can be interpreted as follows:

a. Messages which state, "the item is to be placed in a "Medical Hold" status and the particular supplier/distributor contacted for appropriate disposition instructions," will indicate that no further disposition instructions will be provided by this center, and the action will be considered closed.

b. Only messages, which state, "the item is to be placed in a "Medical Hold" status and appropriate disposition instructions will be issued at a later date," will be considered open, and further instructions will be provided by this center.

8. Troop Support appreciates the outstanding efforts and continued support of the DoD Hazardous Food & Nonprescription Drug Recall System by all activities during 2015. Your comments and suggestions for improvement to this system are always welcomed.

9. The POC for this message is CW3 Jacqueline Telesford, Consumer Safety Officer, DLA-FTW, at DSN 444-2922, Commercial (215) 737-2922; E-mail:Jacqueline.telesford@dla.mil; or by fax to (215) 737-7526.

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