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SUBJECT: ALFOODACT 2016-050: **Betty Crocker Recalls Two Flavors of Betty Crocker Cake Mix**

Products may be contaminated with *E. coli* O121 connected to several brands of General Mills flour.

Date Issued: July 13, 2016

1. REFERENCES:

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. BACKGROUND:

Two flavors of cake mix — Betty Crocker Delights Super Moist Party Rainbow Chip Cake Mix and Betty Crocker Delights Super Moist Carrot Cake Mix have been recall as they contain flavor chips (or bits) produced using Wondra flour, which was included in General Mills' previous July 1st recall announcement. General Mills continues to collaborate with health officials to investigate a multistate outbreak of *E. coli* O121 connected to several brands of flour.

3. PRODUCTION DATES/IDENTIFYING CODES: This recall applies only to the specific product and date codes listed below

Betty Crocker Delights Super Moist Party Rainbow Chip Cake Mix

Package UPC 000-16000-40997

Recalled Better if Used 25MAR2017, 28MAR2017, 27APR2017, 28APR2017, 23MAY2017,
by Dates 24MAY2017, 25MAY2017

Betty Crocker Delights Super Moist Carrot Cake Mix

Package UPC 000-16000-40987

Recalled Better if Used 12APR2017, 13APR2017, 14APR2017, 28MAY2017, 29MAY2017,
by Dates 30MAY2017, 07JUL2017, 08JUL2017

4. MANUFACTURER/DISTRIBUTOR:

Betty Crocker

Consumer Affairs Hotline

U.S. consumers with questions or requesting Betty Crocker replacement product should contact General Mills at 800-230-8103

5. DISTRIBUTION: All

6. REASON FOR ACTION:

E. coli O121 connected to several brands of General Mills flour.

7. INSTRUCTIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR MESSAGE RECIPIENTS:

a. Immediately inventory stocks to identify the above items and secure in a "Medical Hold" status to provide assurance of no further issue/sale/use.

POSITIVE FINDINGS should be reported to Accountable Officers/Vendor Representatives of that facility. Accountable Officer/Agency representatives/Buyers/Contracting Officers should seek/refund/credit/replacement through the normal distribution channel with which the product was received (i.e. Distribution Centers, Prime Vendors, or Manufacturers).

b. Ships at sea are authorized to destroy or dispose of recalled products at their discretion.

Documentation for the number of pounds and cases, and any additional pertinent information must be signed by the Accountable Officer and is required for the purpose of recouping to the government the cost of the product involved. In order to get credit please use a SF 364 (For instructions on how to "Properly Prepare a Standard Form" (SF) 364 please use this link:

[<http://www.dla.mil/LandandMaritime/Offers/Services/TechnicalSupport/Logistics/Packaging/PrepareSF364.aspx>]) and forward to your supporting NAVSUP Fleet Logistics Center (NAVSUP FLC) and copy furnished to NAVSUP 51. Your supporting NAVSUP FLC should forward to the account manager at DLA Troop Support. The form should include the number of the recall authorizing the survey action. Home-ported ships/galleys will utilize DD form 1149 to transfer w/ reimbursement to the PV. The PV will submit credit invoice to the account manager at DLA Troop Support.

c. DLA Troop Support Subsistence Prime Vendors must report POSITIVE and NEGATIVE RESPONSES directly to their DLA Troop Support Contracting Officer with a courtesy copy to the Consumer Safety Officer (dscpconssafofc@dlamail).

d. DeCA, AAFES, MWR, VA, MCCS, or other non-DLA Troop Support agencies SHOULD NOT respond to the DLA Troop Support Consumer Safety Officer. These agencies should report POSITIVE and NEGATIVE responses in accordance with their agency recall policies.

e. When corresponding with DLA Troop Support concerning this message please include this message's subject in your subject line.

8. The Point of Contact for this ALFOODACT message is CW3 Jacqueline Telesford, Consumer Safety Officer at DLA-FTW. VOICE, DSN: 444-2922, Commercial (215) 737-2922, or by FAX, DSN: 444-7526, or Commercial, (215) 737-7526, email dscpconssafofc@dla.mil

9. Individuals or groups that would like to receive recall messages electronically can forward their email address to dscpconssafofc@dla.mil, with "add to list" in the subject line. To be removed from the list place "remove from list" in the subject line.

10. Previous recalls and frequently asked questions are available at the following web site:

<http://www.dla.mil/TroopSupport/Subsistence/FoodSafety/fso/ALFOODACT.aspx>

The navigation tool to the left allows you to also view DLA Troop Support Alerts and Archived Vendor Recalls.

Regards,

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