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SUBJECT: ALFOODACT 2020-015 – Flagstone Foods, LLC. Issues Voluntary Recall of North Star Sweet & Salty Caramel Trail Mix Due to Undeclared Allergen

Date Issued: 22 June 2020

1. REFERENCES:

a. DHA-MSR 6025.01/AR 40-660/ DLAR 6025.01/NAVSUPINST 10110.8D/AFI 48-161\_IP/MCO 10110.38D, DOD Hazardous Food & Nonprescription Drug Recall System, 6 September 2018.

BACKGROUND: Flagstone Foods LLC, of Robersonville, NC, is recalling its 14-ounce packages of North Star Sweet & Salty Caramel Trail Mix because they may contain undeclared cashews. The product comes in a 14-ounce, plastic stand-up resealable package, marked with UPC Code 0-80948-63064-4 and lot code # 05M04210 on the bottom right-hand side of the package with an expiration date of 04/22/2021.

People who are allergic to cashews run the risk of a serious or life-threatening allergic reaction if they consume these products.

The recalled North Star Sweet & Salty Caramel Trail Mix packages were distributed nationwide in retail military exchanges. No illnesses have been reported to date; however, Flagstone Foods is initiating the voluntary recall out of an abundance of caution to protect public health.

The recall was initiated after it was discovered that the cashew-containing product was distributed in packaging that does not disclose the presence of cashews.

Consumers who have purchased 14-ounce packages of North Star Sweet & Salty Caramel Trail Mix with the above lot code and expiration date are urged to return them to the place of purchase for a full refund.

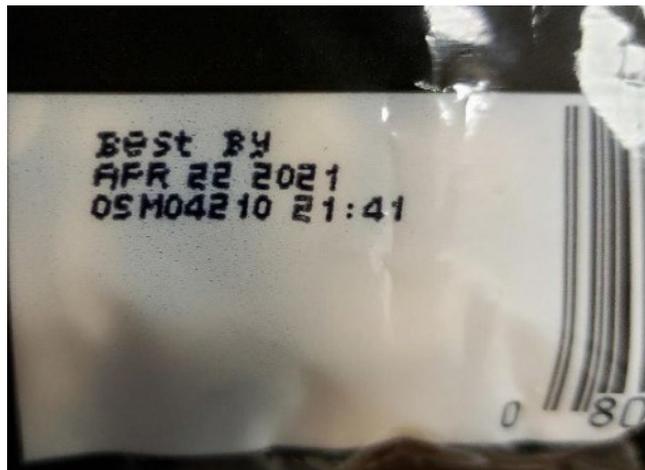
2. PRODUCTS AFFECTED:

PRODUCT BRAND / DESCRIPTION	UPC	LOT CODE	BEST-BY DATE
North Star Sweet & Salty Caramel Trail Mix, 14 oz. (plastic stand-up resealable package)	0- 80948-63064-4	#05M04210 (on the bottom right-hand side of the package)	APR 22 2021

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3. PRODUCT LABELS/PICTURES:



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4. CONTACT INFORMATION: Consumers with questions may contact Janet Collins, Director of Quality Assurance at 1-612-222-3857, Monday through Friday 8 am – 5 pm CST.

5. POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE FINDINGS:

a. Army Veterinary Services and Air Force Public Health Personnel: Report your negative and positive findings in the Veterinary Service Information Management System (VSIMS) Subsistence Recalls application. If you are not in one of these two groups, please use the instructions below (paragraphs b-d).

b. Navy:

SHIPS AT SEA: Must report positive and negative findings to supporting Veterinary Service unit. Are authorized to destroy or dispose of recalled products utilizing the procedures and reporting requirements outlined in NAVSUP P-486 Paragraph 5302 and 6000(4), to include completion of a DD Form 200 and Standard Form 364. Procedures for completing the DD Form 200 are found in NAVSUP P-486 Paragraph 6001. Procedures for completing Standard Form 364 are found in NAVSUP P-486 Paragraph 5300(2)(c).

SHIPS IN PORT/HOMEPORTED/ASHORE GALLEYS: Supporting Veterinary Service unit will conduct inspection and report positive and negative findings in VSIMS Subsistence Recalls application. Contact the appropriate DLA Account Manager via Regional NAVSUP Fleet Logistics Center (NAVSUP FLC) to arrange pickup of recall items. Contact your supporting (NAVSUP FLC) for any issues regarding PV Pickup. Proceed with the same guidance as above.

c. Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Contractors: Report positive and negative findings to your Contracting Officer, Contracting Specialist, TVLS and [dscpconssafofc@dla.mil](mailto:dscpconssafofc@dla.mil) within 72 hours.

Positive Response Information required: (Vendor must provide all the following information):

- 1) ALFOODACT 201X-XXX
- 2) DLA Contract Number:
- 3) Unit of Measure:
- 4) Quantity Currently in Stock:
- 5) List of customers that received product AND (a-h) for each customer
  - a. Customer name and location:
  - b. DLA Purchase Order Number:
  - c. Vendor Invoice Number:
  - d. Item Stock number (LSN, NSN):
  - e. Quantity Shipped:
  - f. Date Shipped:

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g. Value of Affected Product:

h. Amount of credit due:

d. AAFES, MWR, NEX, MCCS, DeCA, DLA, dining facilities, and all other agencies, report your findings in accordance with the procedures outlined by your agency.

6. Individuals or groups that would like to BEGIN/STOP receiving recall messages electronically can submit email requests to [usarmy.jbsa.medcom.mbx.medcom-vsims@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.jbsa.medcom.mbx.medcom-vsims@mail.mil). Copy and paste email address into your email platform and ensure you title the subject accordingly.

7. Previous recalls are available at the following web site:

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

8. Point of Contact for this ALFOODACT message is the undersigned.

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