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## MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: TreeHouse Foods Recalls Frozen Waffles Products Due to Possible *Listeria* Contamination

1. **REFERENCE:** 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.

## 2. COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT:

Kodiak learned today during an on-site visit to TreeHouse Food's Brantford, Canada facility that TreeHouse Foods will be expanding the voluntary frozen waffle recall to include all products made at TreeHouse Foods' Brantford, Canada facility, due to the potential to be contaminated with Listeria monocytogenes.

TreeHouse Foods will be updating its press release in cooperation with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA).

Consumption of food contaminated with *L. monocytogenes* can cause listeriosis, a serious infection that primarily affects older adults, persons with weakened immune systems, and pregnant women and their newborns. Less commonly, persons outside these risk groups are affected. Listeriosis can cause fever, muscle aches, headache, stiff neck, confusion, loss of balance and convulsions sometimes preceded by diarrhea or other gastrointestinal symptoms. An invasive infection spreads beyond the gastrointestinal tract. In pregnant women, the infection can cause miscarriages, stillbirths, premature delivery or life-threatening infection of the newborn. In addition, serious and sometimes fatal infections in older adults and persons with weakened immune systems. Listeriosis is treated with antibiotics. Persons in the higher-risk categories who experience flu-like symptoms within two months after eating contaminated food should seek medical care and tell the health care provider about eating the contaminated food.

#### 3. PRODUCTS AFFECTED:

• The products subject to recall include the following Kodiak Products

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Product Name	UPC
Kodiak Power Waffles Buttermilk & Vanilla Kodiak Power Waffles Dark Chocolate	705599012211 705599012709
Kodiak Power Waffles Chocolate Chip	705599013201
Kodiak Thick & Fluffy Power Waffles Buttermilk & Vanilla	705599014802
Kodiak Thick & Fluffy Power Waffles Blueberry	705599014826
Kodiak Thick & Fluffy Power Waffles Chocolate Chip	705599015137
Kodiak Cubs Adventure Waffles Original	705599017148

4. PRODUCT LABELS/PICTURES:









5. **CONTACT INFORMATION:** For any further questions or support needed, please reach out to your Kodiak sales representative or to Kodiak via email at <u>flapjacks@kodiakcakes.com</u> or phone at 801-328-4067.

#### 6. POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE FINDINGS:

a. **Army Veterinary Services and Air Force Public Health Personnel:** Report 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:

1) 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).

2) 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 in the paragraph above.

c. **Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Contractors**: Report positive and negative findings to your Contracting Officer, Contracting Specialist, TVLS, and <u>dscpconssafofc@dla.mil</u> within 72-hours. Positive Response Information required: (Vendor must provide all the following information):

- 1) ALFOODACT 202X-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:
  - 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 and follow recall disposition in accordance with the procedures outlined by your agency.

7. If you know of others who need to receive Subsistence Recall messages, click <u>Subscribe</u> (Add the following to an email if the link does not work; Subject: Subscribe to Subsistence Recall Notifications, Email address: <u>usarmy.jbsa.medcom.mbx.medcom-vsims@health.mil</u>). If you no longer need to receive Subsistence Recall messages, click <u>Unsubscribe</u> (Add the following to an email if the link does not work; Subject: Unsubscribe from Subsistence Recall Notifications,



Email address: <u>usarmy.jbsa.medcom.mbx.medcom-vsims@health.mil</u>).

8. Previous recalls are available on the DLA-TS Food Safety Office website: <u>https://www.dla.mil/TroopSupport/Subsistence/FoodSafety/fso/ALFOODACT/</u>.

9. Point of contact for ALFOODACT messages is the undersigned at commercial telephone 324-206-9731 or email at carson.casey@dla.mil

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