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ALFOODACT 2024-039

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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Expansion to ALFOODACT 2024-038 Savencia Cheese USA Announces Voluntary Recall of Select Soft Ripened Cheeses due to possible *Listeria monocytogenes* 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:** Savencia Cheese USA, a New Holland, PA establishment, is recalling select soft ripened cheeses manufactured in their Lena manufacturing facility because it has the potential to be contaminated with *Listeria monocytogenes*, an organism which can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Although healthy individuals may suffer only short-term symptoms such as high fever, severe headache, stiffness, nausea, abdominal pain and diarrhea, *Listeria* infection can cause miscarriages and stillbirths among pregnant women.

The only products being recalled are those in the table listed. You can identify these products by reviewing the UPC and the best buy date on the product labels. These products had limited regional distribution in the United States. The few retailers that received the product have been informed of this possible contamination and are in the process of removing products from shelves. Consumers that have any of the recalled products listed in the table above should refrain from consuming them and return them to their place of purchase for a full refund.

At this time, there have been no confirmed reports of adverse health events due to consumption of these products.

Through routine testing, it was identified that processing equipment at the site may have been contaminated with *Listeria monocytogenes*. While finished product testing has not identified contaminated product, we have initiated a voluntary recall to retrieve the potentially affected product.

This voluntary recall is being conducted in coordination with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

3. PRODUCTS AFFECTED:

- The products subject to recall have a **Best by date of 12/24/2024 and 1/13/2025**

Description	Best Buy Date	GTIN	UPC-A	UPC-B
Emporium Selection Brie, 12/8oz Brie	12/24/2024	10041498111325	004149811132	041498111328
Supreme Oval 7oz, 6/7oz	12/24/2024	10071448504211	007144850421	071448504214
La Bonne Vie Brie, 6/8oz	12/24/2024	10820581678538		
La Bonne Vie Camembert, 6/8oz	12/24/2024	10820581678613		
12/8oz Industrial Brie	12/24/2024	10077901005226		077901005229
Market Basket Brie 6/8oz	12/24/2024	10049705666309	004970566630	049705666302
Glenview Farms Spreadable Brie, 2/3lb	1/13/2025	50758108712312		10/15/2024

4. PRODUCT LABELS/PICTURES FOR IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES:

Product Name:	UPC - A	UPC - B
Aldi Emporium Selection Brie, 12/8oz Brie	004149811132	041498111328

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Product Name:	UPC - A	UPC - B
La Bonne Vie Brie, 6/8oz		
La Bonne Vie Camembert, 6/8oz		
12/8oz Industrial Brie		077901005229
Market Basket Brie 6/8oz	004970566630	049705666302
Supreme Oval 7oz, 6/7oz	007144850421	071448504214





5. **CONTACT INFORMATION:** Consumers with questions regarding the recall can contact Consumer Relations at (800)-322-2743 or email sc.customer.service@savencia.com.

Media Contact:
 Kriston Ohm
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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 dscpconssafofc@dla.mil 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 Subscribe (Add the following to an email if the link does not work; Subject: Subscribe to Subsistence Recall Notifications, Email address: usarmy.jbsa.medcom.mbx.medcom-vsims@health.mil). If you no longer need to receive Subsistence Recall messages, click Unsubscribe (Add the following to an email if the link does not work; Subject: Unsubscribe from Subsistence Recall Notifications, Email address: usarmy.jbsa.medcom.mbx.medcom-vsims@health.mil).

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

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9. Point of contact for ALFOODACT messages is the undersigned at commercial telephone 808-786-2293, or dscpconssafofc@dla.mil.

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