

# DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY TROOP SUPPORT 700 ROBBINS AVENUE PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19111-5092

DLATS-FTW ALFOODACT 2024-042 December 06, 2024

#### MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Russ Davis Wholesale Recalls Multiple Products Due to Potential Salmonella Risk

- 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:** Russ Davis Wholesale of Wadena, MN, is recalling multiple products out of an abundance of caution because they contain recalled cucumbers from Baloian Farms which have the potential to be contaminated with Salmonella, an organism which can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Healthy persons infected with Salmonella often experience fever, diarrhea (which may be bloody), nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain. In rare circumstances, infection with Salmonella can result in the organism getting into the bloodstream and producing more severe illnesses such as arterial infections (i.e., infected aneurysms), endocarditis and arthritis.

The recalled items were distributed to foodservice and retail customers in Iowa, Illinois, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, Nebraska, South Dakota, Wisconsin, and Wyoming.

The potential for contamination was noted after trace forward indicated that Baloian Farms cucumbers had been processed and distributed through Russ Davis Wholesale.

3. **PRODUCTS AFFECTED:** The product comes in clear plastic packages of various sizes marked with a 7-digit lot code preceded by an "X" on the label. The recalled <u>lot codes for **whole cucumbers**</u> are listed on the product labels/pictures section.

4. **PRODUCT LABELS/PICTURES:** The images below are EXAMPLES ONLY; each label image below lists the **actual lot codes for whole cucumbers.** 







LOT CODES

X7546437 X7546473

X7547169

X7547211

X7547672

X7548066

X7556439

ITEM DESCRIPTION

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| 22200 24331 CUCUMBER SUPER SELECT X7598741 0016596046 24 CT PRODUCT OF:MEXICO | X7522892<br>X7525242<br>X7527841<br>X7529877<br>X7538875<br>X7544860<br>X7545305<br>X7546056 | X7546374<br>X7548174<br>X7549360<br>X7550452<br>X7550665<br>X7550864<br>X7551649 | X7552580<br>X7554639                           |
| <b>22201 24331</b> CUCUMBER   | X7523208<br>X7525604<br>X7527034<br>X7527842   | X7537516<br>X7543731<br>X7544783<br>X7545096                                     | X7549528<br>X7550453<br>X7552059<br>X7552233   |

X7528437

X7530464 X7532041

X7532810 X7535312

X7536804

5. **CONTACT INFORMATION:** Consumers with questions may contact the company at 1-877-433-2173.

## 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:

PRODUCT OF: MEXICO

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 <a href="mailto:dscpconssafofc@dla.mil">dscpconssafofc@dla.mil</a> 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: <a href="https://www.dla.mil/TroopSupport/Subsistence/FoodSafety/fso/ALFOODACT/">https://www.dla.mil/TroopSupport/Subsistence/FoodSafety/fso/ALFOODACT/</a>.

9. Point of contact for ALFOODACT messages is the undersigned at commercial telephone 808-786-2262, or <a href="mailto:dscpconssafofc@dla.mil">dscpconssafofc@dla.mil</a>.

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