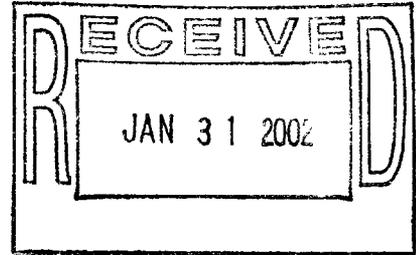




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January 23, 2002

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter will serve as a 30 day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on the Lecithin Choline supplements under the PhysioLogics brand name.

- Promotes Mental Function & Nerve Cell Health
- Boost your brain and enhance memory function with this important compound.
- Lecithin Choline is a source of Choline which is used to synthesize acetylcholine, a critical neuro-transmitter required for processing memory in the brain.
- Choline is also an important component of nerve cell health.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,

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