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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 our Flaxseed Oil supplements under the CVS label:

- Premium source of Omega-3 Fatty Acids
- Flax is an important source of the Omega-3 and Omega-6 fatty acids your body needs every day for well-being.
- A balanced intake of these fatty acids is essential for circulatory, heart and cellular 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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