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Ronny Svenhard, President  
Svenhard's Swedish Bakery  
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Exeter, California 93221

**WARNING LETTER**

On October 9 and 19, 2001, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) conducted an inspection of your firm located at 701 Industrial Drive, Exeter, California. During the inspection we found that your apple struedel is misbranded under Section 403 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (the Act).

The labels for Svenhard's® SWEDISH BAKERY brand Apple Struedel do not declare the presence of sulfites. Analysis of the product found undeclared sulfites, as sulfur dioxide, as follows:

Analysis	Sample Number	Titrimetic Analysis	Gravimetric Analysis
Original	141680	13.0 ppm SO <sub>2</sub>	11.4 ppm SO <sub>2</sub>
Check	141680	21.7 ppm SO <sub>2</sub>	19.4 ppm SO <sub>2</sub>
Additional	141680	18.5 ppm SO <sub>2</sub>	17.5 ppm SO <sub>2</sub>

The product, Svenhard's® SWEDISH BAKERY brand Apple Struedel, is misbranded within the meaning of Section 403(k) of the Act in that the labels fail to declare the sulfiting ingredient and to list its function in the product, in accordance with Title 21, Code of Federal Regulations 101.100(a)(4), 101.22(j), and 101.4.

The above is not meant to be an all-inclusive list of deficiencies on your label. Other label violations can subject the food to legal action. It is your responsibility to assure that all of your products are labeled in compliance with all applicable statutes enforced by FDA.

Ronny Svenhard, President  
Svenhard's Swedish Bakery, Exeter, California

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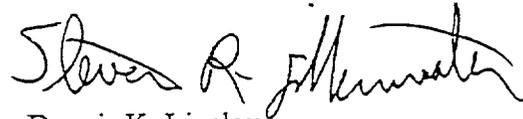
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You should take prompt measures to correct the violations. Failure to promptly correct these violations may result in regulatory action without further notice. Such action includes seizure and/or injunction.

You should notify this office in writing, within 15 working days of receipt of this letter, of the specific steps you have taken to correct the noted violations. If corrective action cannot be completed within 15 days, state the reasons for the delay and the time at which the corrections will be completed.

Your reply should be directed to Ms. Harumi Kishida, Compliance Officer, U.S. Food and Drug Administration, 1431 Harbor Bay Parkway, Alameda, California 94502-7070.

Sincerely,



for

Dennis K. Linsley  
District Director  
San Francisco District