



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

New York District

Food & Drug Administration  
158-15 Liberty Avenue  
Jamaica, NY 11433

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WARNING LETTER

CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

May 30, 2000

Paul A. Goldstein, President  
Barrie House Coffee Co., Inc.  
945 Nepperhan Avenue  
Yonkers, NY 10703

Ref: NYK-2000-76

Dear Mr. Goldstein:

During a May 2 and 3, 2000 inspection of your airline catering support facility located at 215 South 14<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Mount Vernon, New York, our investigator observed violations of the U.S. Public Health Service Act and its implementing regulations for the Control of Communicable Diseases and Interstate Conveyance Sanitation (Title 21, Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 1240 and 1250).

The inspection covered your processing of ground coffee, which your firm supplies to [REDACTED] for use aboard its aircraft. At the conclusion of the inspection, the investigator presented the Inspectional Observations (Form FDA 483) and Food Service Establishment Inspection Report (Form FDA 2420) (copies enclosed) to Robert DeBlasio, Plant Manager and discussed the findings with him. The following deficiencies were observed:

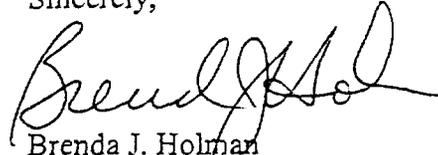
1. There was no three-compartment sink to wash, rinse, and sanitize soiled food equipment and utensils.
2. There was no sanitization rinse available to sanitize clean food equipment and utensils.
3. There was no chemical test kit available to measure the concentration of the sanitizing solution.
4. There was no backflow prevention device for the wall mounted wash-down hose located in the coffee roasting area.
5. There was no handwashing station provided for the coffee roasting area.
6. There was no hand-drying device in the men and women toilet facilities.
7. There were overhead fluorescent lights in the production area that were not shielded against possible breakage.

This letter is not intended to be an all-inclusive list of deficiencies that may exist. As a result of these inspectional findings, a "Provisional" classification has been assigned for a 30 day period at which time a reinspection will be conducted. If significant improvements have not been made at that time, a "Not Approved" classification will be justified.

You should take prompt action to correct the deficiencies. It is your responsibility to ensure that all requirements of the U.S. Public Health Service Act and its implementing regulations are being met. 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 each of the noted violations.

Your response should be sent to the Food and Drug Administration, 158-15 Liberty Avenue, Jamaica, NY 11433, Attn: Bruce A. Goldwitz, Compliance Officer. If you have any questions, you can call Mr. Goldwitz at 718/340-7000 ext. 5582.

Sincerely,

  
Brenda J. Holman  
District Director

Enclosures: Forms FDA 483 and FDA 2420 dated May 2 and 3, 2000

cc: 

cc: Robert DeBlasio, Plant Manager  
Barrie House Coffee Co., Inc.  
215 South 14<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Mount Vernon, NY 10550