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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 the Chromium 200 mcg supplement under the Major brand name.

- Plays a role in fat metabolism and the release of energy from cells.
- Chromium is a key component of the glucose tolerance factor (GTF) that works to support your body's use of sugar.
- Chromium also plays a role in the metabolism of proteins and fats.

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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Director of Nutrition Communications

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