

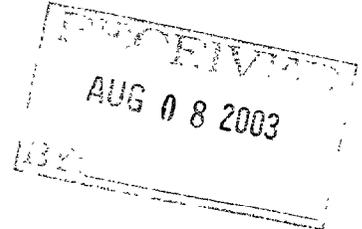


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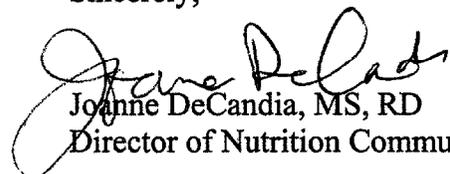
This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our Advanced C-Jointin™ supplements under the Radiance label:

Ingredients: Vitamin C, Vitamin E, Manganese, Glucosamine Sulfate, MSM, Chondroitin Sulfate, Evening Primrose Oil, Boron

- Supports Joint Health
- The active ingredients in Advanced C-Jointin™ help play a role in the complex connective tissue matrix that is responsible for cushioning joints and bones.
- There is Glucosamine, to help provide the building blocks for supporting cartilage, Chondroitin, to help maintain joint cartilage, MSM, an organic source of sulfur, plus other vitamins and minerals designed to nourish and enhance the body's support structures.
- Advanced C-Jointin™ is perfect for anyone seeking extra nutritional support for joints.

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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