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~~December 14, 2004~~

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 Vitamin D supplements under the Sundown label:

Ingredients: Vitamin A, Vitamin D

- Sundown's Vitamin D supports healthy bones by supporting Calcium absorption.
- Lack of exposure to sunlight may reduce Vitamin D levels in the body, especially in winter.

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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