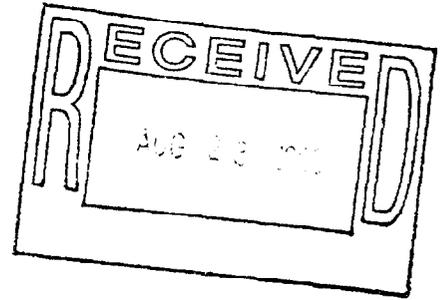


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July 21, 2000

James Tanner
Office of Special Nutritionals
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
Food and Drug Administration
200 "C" St., S.W. (HFS-450)
Washington, D.C. 20204

Dear Mr. Tanner:

This letter is written with regard to our previous correspondence of August 19, 1998 whereby we notified the agency of a statement of nutritional support being made for the dietary supplement Milk Thistle Plus™. We wish to notify the agency that we have since revised this statement of nutritional support to read as follows:

New: "Supports the health and well-being of the liver."

Old: "At six tablets a day, supports the health and well-being of the liver."

This statement is accompanied by the required disclaimer which is prominently displayed in bold-faced type.

This statement of nutritional support is based on data which renders this statement substantiated, truthful and non-misleading.

Sincerely,

Rainbow Light Nutritional Systems, Inc.

Margaret Edwards
Executive Administrator

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