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November 14, 2000

RE: Petition by Assemblyman John V. Kelly in Fluoride Supplements

Commissioner Jane E. Henny, M.D.
U.S. Food and Drug Administration
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, MD 20857

Dear Commissioner Henny:

Our labor union, which represents the ca. 1800 scientists, engineers, lawyers and other professionals at the headquarters of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency in Washington, D.C., has been concerned for several years over the toxicity and uncontrolled exposures of the American people to fluoride.

The Executive Board of the union, whose members and their qualification are listed below, has voted unanimously to support Assemblyman John V. Kelly's petition to your agency to remove unapproved fluoride supplements from the market.

For all the reasons stated in Assemblyman Kelly's letter to you of October 26, 2000, we call for the cessation of further exposure of American children to these products, which recent evidence clearly shows do nothing to promote dental health, but do result in dental fluorosis and possible other toxic effects in children.

We commend the FDA for its poison warning requirement on fluoridated tooth pastes, and we urge you to continue on the track of lessening needless adverse effects in our children that are directly attributable to excessive exposures to fluoride.

On behalf of the Executive Board, I am

Sincerely yours,

James J. Murphy, Ph.D.
President

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The attached correspondence is a comment to docket OOP-1602 on fluoride supplements, from Mr. James Murphy, Pres. of NTEU.

If you need additional information, please call the ExecSec Contact listed on the control sheet.

Thank You, FDA/OC Executive Secretariat



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FROM: JAMES J MURPHY, PH.D., NTEU, NATIONAL TREASURY EMPLOYEES UNION

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