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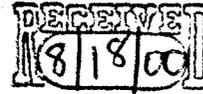
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Re: FFDCA Section 403(r)(6) Notification

Dear Ms. Lewis:

In accordance with Section 403(r)(6) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA), 21 U.S.C. § 343(r)(6), and the implementing regulations of the Food and Drug Administration set forth at 21 C.F.R. § 101.93, we submit on behalf of our client, PADMA AG, of Zollikon, Switzerland, this notification that a statement is included in the labeling of PADMA's dietary supplement, PADMA BASIC.

The manufacturer:

PADMA AG
Dammstrasse 29
CH-8702 Zollikon
Switzerland

PADMA BASIC helps "sustain health in the face of . . . long term unbalanced nutrition or stressful lifestyle."

PADMA BASIC helps "maintain healthful vigor."

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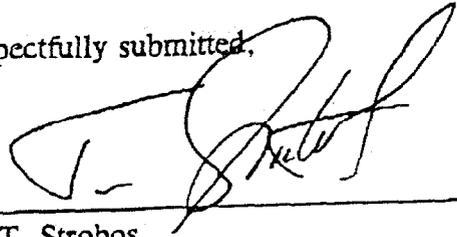
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PADMA BASIC helps "strengthen and sustain the body."

The undersigned certifies that the information contained in this notice is complete and accurate, and that the manufacturer has substantiation that this statement is truthful and not misleading.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jur T. Strobos", written over a horizontal line.

Jur T. Strobos

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