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Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition  
Food and Drug Administration  
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Washington, D.C. 20204

To Whom It May Concern::

Nature's Way Products, Inc. wishes to notify the Food and Drug Administration that it has, within the past 30 days, commenced marketing a dietary supplement which bears a statement under Section 403(r)(6) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

The dietary supplement for which the statement is made is Garlicin® HC. The dietary ingredients that are the subject of the statement are Hawthorn and Vitamin E. The statement reads as follows:

"Hawthorn (*Crataegus oxyacantha*) helps promote cardiovascular health by improving blood and nutrient flow to the heart muscle. Vitamin E helps prevent oxidation of LDL cholesterol."

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

The information contained in this notice is complete and accurate and the above statement is based on data which renders these statements substantiated, truthful and non-misleading.

Sincerely,

NATURE'S WAY PRODUCTS, INC.

Gordon M. Walker  
General Counsel

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