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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 Co Q-10 supplements under the Sundown label:

Ingredients: Vitamin E, Coenzyme Q-10

- Coenzyme Q-10 is a powerful weapon in supporting heart health.
- As an antioxidant, Coenzyme Q-10 plays a role in neutralizing harmful free radicals that contribute to oxidative stress, which in turn may lead to the premature aging of cells.
- Coenzyme Q-10 also plays a role in helping the body convert food to energy.

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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