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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 Liver Maintenance Formula™ supplements under the PhysioLogics brand name:

**Ingredients:** Dandelion, Milk Thistle, Trimethyl Glycine, N-Acetyl Cysteine, Alpha Lipoic Acid

- For Healthy Liver Function.
- Alpha Lipoic Acid acts as a universal antioxidant to help neutralize cell-damaging free radicals in both the water-soluble and fat-soluble compartments in the cell.
- Milk Thistle acid possesses antioxidant properties that may help neutralize cell-damaging free radicals.
- Milk Thistle may support the cells of the liver by blocking the entrance of harmful toxins and helping remove these toxins from the liver cells.

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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