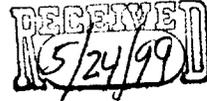


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Dear Sir or Madam,

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994, Tyler Encapsulations wishes to notify the Food and Drug Administration that it will within the next 30 days commence to market a dietary supplement which bears statements of nutritional support.

The dietary supplement for which the statements are made is Protease Concentrate-HP. The dietary ingredient that is the subject of the statements is protease. The statements of nutritional support are as follows:

1. Protein digestive enzymes.
2. Aids in the digestion of proteins and polypeptides.
3. Aids digestion of proteins under virtually all gastrointestinal pH conditions.

I certify that the information contained in this notice is complete and accurate, and that we have substantiation that these statements are truthful and not misleading.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeremy Appleton".

Jeremy Appleton  
Director of Technical and Regulatory Affairs

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