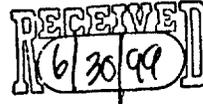




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Office of Special Nutritionals (HFS-450)
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
U.S. Food and Drug Administration
200 c St. SW
Washington, DC 20204

RE: Notification for Certain Types of Statements on Dietary Supplements.

Dear Sir or Madam:

As required by Section 403 (r)(6)(c) of the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, Pharmanex Inc., 2000 Sierra Point Parkway, Brisbane, California 94005, intends to market a dietary supplement product with the following labeling statements of nutritional support:

Product identified as **Eye Formula** with the following labeling statements:

- *Promotes normal function of healthy eyes.*
- *Antioxidant protection for the eyes.*
- *Pharmanex Eye Formula is an innovative blend of antioxidants, carotenoids, and trace minerals to provide nutritional support to maintain normal eye health.*

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carsten Smidt".

Carsten Smidt
Director of Nutrition Research

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