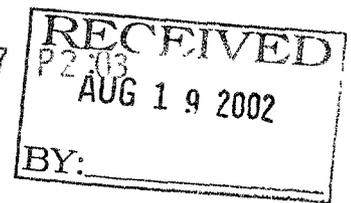


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Office of Special Nutritionals
Center for Food and Safety and Applied Nutrition
US Food and Drug Administration
5100 Paint Branch Parkway
College Park, MD 20740

Re: Statements of Nutritional Support

Dear Sir or Madam:

Consider the following as notification of Statements of Nutritional Support as required under Section 403(r)(6) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act as Amended (21 USC 343(r)(6)) and in accordance with 21 CFR 101.93.

Distributor: Tradeworks Group, Inc.
50 Elliot Street, Suite 3
Brattleboro, VT 05301

Dietary ingredient: MaitakeGold 404®

Dietary supplement: MaitakeGold 404®

The Tradeworks Group, Inc. is a supplier of the dietary ingredient MaitakeGold 404®, protected under US Patent 5,854,404, to marketers/manufacturers of dietary supplements.

Text of substantiated statements:

- Helps support healthy immune function.
- Helps maintain healthy immune function.
- Helps support cellular defenses.
- Promotes healthy immune function and cellular health.
- Helps support the body's immune defense.
- Patented beta glucan supplement to enhance immune function.
- Patented beta glucan immune support supplement.

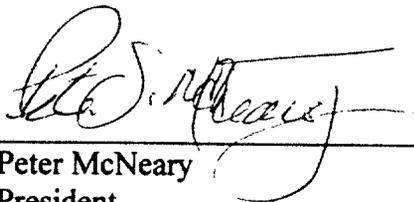
The information contained in this notice is complete and accurate. The distributor named above has substantiation that the statements are truthful and not

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misleading. If necessary, please address future correspondence to: Karen Weaver,
Esq. Weaver & Amin, 150 N. Wacker Drive, Suite 2020, Chicago, IL 60606.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter McNeary", written over a horizontal line.

Peter McNeary
President
Tradeworks Group, Inc.