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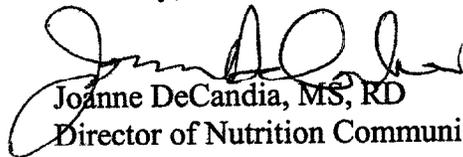
Dear Sir or Madam:

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 Aloe Vera Gel supplements under the Radiance label:

- Supports Healthy Digestion
- Aloe Vera contains amino acids, polysaccharides and phenolic compounds, which contribute to the well-being of the body.
- Aloe Vera has been shown to support the digestive system.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,



Joanne DeCandia, MS, RD
Director of Nutrition Communications

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