

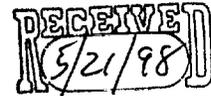


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Director  
Special Nutritionals  
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FDA  
200 C Street S.W.  
Washington, DC 20204

Dear Sir / Madam:

This is a 30-day notification for a dietary supplement that will be on the market within 30 days. The product name is **Chitosan+Plus**. The claims on the 60, 180 and 360 count packages are identical and are:

“**CHITOSAN+PLUS** is an all natural, safe and non-toxic stimulant-free dietary supplement designed for individuals seeking to reduce body fat without resorting to drastic caloric restriction. Several animal studies have shown that when the special blend of fiber contained in **Chitosan+Plus** is taken with food, it can bind with the fat in that food, thereby helping to reduce the absorption of fat from food. This stems from Chitosan's unique attraction for one of the most undesirable and unhealthy components in the modern diet: Fat. Animal studies indicate that each gram of Chitosan can interfere with the absorption of up to 81 calories of fat. We also add Vitamin C because research has shown that it can enhance the beneficial properties of Chitosan. The results of human studies on fat absorption are still pending.

**Caution:** If you are allergic or sensitive to shellfish or taking a fat soluble medication, consult your health care provider before using this product.”

Respectfully Submitted,

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VP Product Development

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