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Dear Mr. Minsk:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration refrain from taking enforcement action against any drug manufacturer of a stimulant laxative product, sold over-the-counter, that markets a casanthranol or cascara sagrada-containing OTC laxative drug product, after November 5, 2002, was received by this office on 09/03/02. It was assigned docket number 78N-036L/CP 27 and it was filed on 09/04/02. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

Lyle D. Jaffe  
Dockets Management Branch

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