



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

Food and Drug Administration  
Rockville MD 20857

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Michael McGuffin  
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Washington, D.C. 20005

Dear Mr. McGuffin:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to withdraw the remaining portions of its June 4, 1997 proposed rule, dietary supplements containing ephedrine alkaloids, was received by this office on 10/25/00. It was assigned docket number 95N-0304/CP2 and it was filed on 10/25/00. 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,

Helen K. Harris  
Dockets Management Branch

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