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5100 Paint Branch Parkway  
Room 4C-088  
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Re: Nutrient Descriptor Claims for the Carbohydrate Content of Food

Dear Ms. Anderson,

The Grocery Manufacturers of America ("GMA") hereby agrees to an extension of time until June 25<sup>th</sup> for FDA to make a decision with respect to the above-referenced petition. GMA understands that FDA plans to contact GMA on June 25<sup>th</sup> in regards to our petition.

Sincerely,

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Director, Scientific & Nutrition Policy  
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