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5100 Paint Branch Parkway  
College Park, MD 20740-3835

August 7, 2003



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 Calcium Plus D supplements under the CVS label:

**Ingredients:** Vitamin D, Calcium

- Bone Health
- Builds Strong Bones
- Vitamin D assists in the absorption of calcium
- Calcium is the leading mineral responsible for strong bones and teeth
- Calcium is also involved in muscle, nerve and heart function

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

Sincerely,

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Director of Nutrition Communications

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