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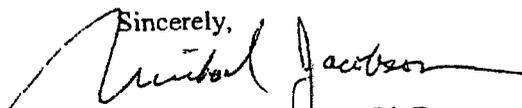
The Honorable Mark B. McClellan, M.D., Ph.D.
Commissioner
Food and Drug Administration
Room 14-71
Parklawn Building
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, MD 20857

Dear Commissioner McClellan:

On behalf of our 750,000 American members, I write to thank you for your help in having the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions approve last month – as Title II of S. 741 – the Food Allergen Labeling and Consumer Protection Act of 2003. For those people with food allergies, this bipartisan legislation could be a real life-saver.

We look forward to working with you to ensure that this bill is enacted next year without any changes that would weaken its important public health protections.

Sincerely,



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