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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 Defender FX® supplements under the PhysioLogics brand name:

Ingredients: Vitamin A, Vitamin C, Vitamin E, Calcium, Zinc, Selenium, Coenzyme Q-10, Pycnogenol®, Citrus Bioflavonoid Complex, Quercetin, L-Glutathione, N-Acetyl-L-Cysteine, Green Tea Extract, Bilberry.

- Antioxidant Support Against Free Radicals.
- Defender FX® provides antioxidant support against free radicals that can lead to oxidative stress and premature aging.
- In addition to the antioxidant Vitamins C, E, and Beta Carotene, this proprietary blend delivers L-Glutathione, a water-soluble peptide that plays a role in supporting muscles against free radicals, and Selenium, an essential trace mineral component of the antioxidant enzyme glutathione peroxidase.
- Defender FX® also contains several popular ingredients to support the immune system, including Zinc.

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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