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January 28, 2005

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 Glucosamine Chondroitin Plus MSM supplements under one or more of the following brand names: American Health, Bioenergy Nutrients, Body Fortress, CVS, Dollar General, Duane Reade, Giant Eagle, Good 'N Natural, Health's Finest, Heartland, HealthSmart Vitamins, HealthWatchers, Kaiser Permanente, Life's Finest, Major, Met-Rx, Natural Wealth, Naturalist, Nature's Bounty, Nutrition Headquarters, Nutrition Warehouse, PhysioLogics, Precision Engineered, Puritan's Pride, Radiance, Rexall, Sam's Club, Shoprite, Sundown, Target, US Nutrition, Vibrant Health, Vitamin World, Walgreens, Walmart and WorldWide Sports:

Ingredients: Glucosamine HCl, Chondroitin Sulfate, Methylsulfonylmethane (MSM)

- Supports Healthy Joint Function
- Glucosamine, Chondroitin and MSM (Methylsulfonylmethane) help to support and maintain joint function.
- Glucosamine and Chondroitin promote comfortable movement, while MSM provides an organic source of sulfur for joint health.

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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