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Office of Nutritional Products  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

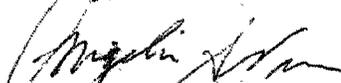
This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our supplement KidneyCare™ under one or more of the following brand names: American Health, Bioenergy Nutrients, Body Fortress, Giant Eagle, Good 'N Natural, Health's Finest, Heartland, HealthSmart Vitamins, HealthWatchers, Life Fitness, Life's Finest, Major Pharmaceutical, Met-Rx, Natural Wealth, Naturalist, Nature's Bounty, Nutrition Headquarters, Nutrition Warehouse, PhysioLogics, Precision Engineered, Puritan's Pride, Radiance, Rexall, Spring Valley, Sundown, US Nutrition, Vitamin Depot, Vitamin World, and WORLDWIDE Sport Nutrition:

**Ingredients:** Potassium, Dandelion Extract, Astragalus, Corn Silk Extract, Yarrow

- This formula contains a unique blend of herbs and herbal extracts, plus potassium to support fluid balance.
- Dandelion naturally contains sesquiterpene lactones, and has been used by herbalists to support fluid balance.
- Astragalus may have antioxidant effects specific to the kidneys, as demonstrated by laboratory data.

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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