

**SUBJECT:** ALFOODACT 013-2004- Pancake Mix, Regular or Buttermilk, and Corn Bread Mix, No. 10 size can  
**DATE ISSUED:** November 19, 2004

**1. REFERENCE:**

a. DLAR 4155.26/AR 40-660/NAVSUPINST 10110.8c/AFI 48-116/MCO 10110.38c, DOD Hazardous Food & Nonprescription Drug Recall System.

b. Allied Communications Publication 121, US SUPP-1 (f).

**2. BACKGROUND:**

This recall is prompted by inspection results reported from the Singapore Branch of the Army Veterinary Command (VETCOM) on November 15, 2004. Army Veterinary Inspectors (AVIs) discovered the problem as they inspected canned bakery products destined for US Navy ships. The inspection revealed swollen cans and a sour-like smell of the pancake mix. The pancake mix had also undergone some discoloration, as well as an unusual amount of caking. In addition, several cans had loose lids, probably due to the swelling of the product. Further inspection of those cans revealed an infestation of red flour beetles. These findings prompted additional inspections of other bakery items. Those inspections revealed cans of corn bread mix that were severely swollen. The Singapore Branch will perform additional inspections of the product, and submit laboratory samples to the DoD Veterinary Food Analysis and Diagnostic Laboratory, to determine the severity of the problem.

**3. PRODUCTION DATES/IDENTIFYING CODES:**

**The following information is pertinent to the recalled Pancake Mix:**

Item Description: Pancake Mix, Regular or Buttermilk, No. 10 can

National Stock Number: 8920-01-E19-3246, UPC: 7-38005-16109

Lot Numbers: NH739A, DOP 09-03, EXP 09-05 (179 cases)  
NH786, DOP 10-03, EXP 10-05 (115 cases)  
NH683, DOP 08-03, EXP 08-05 (1 case)

Contractor Name: Coastal Pacific Food Distributors

Contract Number: SPO300-05-D-3046

Manufacturer: Martha Olson's Great Foods, Inc.  
Sutter Creek, CA 95685

**The following information is pertinent to the recalled Corn Bread Mix:**

Item Description: Corn Bread Mix, No. 10 can

National Stock Number: 8920-00-435-4918, UPC: 7-38005-16601

Lot Number: NH957E, DOP 01-04, EXP 01-06 (24 cases)  
NH735D, DOP 09-03, EXP 09-05 (1 case)

Contractor Name: Coastal Pacific Food Distributors

Contract Number: SPO300-05-D-3046

Manufacturer: Martha Olson's Great Foods, Inc.  
Redwood City, CA. 94063

4. **DISTRIBUTION**: Western Pacific region, Navy Ships

5. **QUANTITY**: Approximately 320 cases

6. **REASON FOR RECALL**: The product may pose a potential food safety risk.

7. **INSTRUCTIONS FOR MESSAGE RECIPIENTS**:

(1) Immediately inventory stocks to identify the above items, and secure in a "Medical Hold" status to provide assurance of no further issue/sale/use of the item.

(2) **Ships at sea** are authorized to destroy or dispose of recalled products at their discretion. Documentation for the number of pounds and cases, and any additional pertinent information must be signed by the Accountable Officer and is required for the purpose of recouping to the government the cost of the product involved. Information shall be forwarded by priority message to this center.

(3) This ALFOODACT applies only to product description and identifying codes outlined in Paragraph (3) of this message.

(4) The DSCP Consumer Safety Office will initiate a follow on ALFOODACT message to provide specific disposition instructions, as soon as laboratory results are available, thus concluding the message.

8. **The Point Of Contact** for this message is [CW3 Melinda Strother](#), Consumer Safety Officer, at DSCP-HS. VOICE, DSN: 444-7746/8461, Commercial (215) 737-7746/8461, or by FAX, DSN: 444-7526, or Commercial, (215) 737-7526.

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