

SUBJECT: ALFOODACT 006-2006: Serenade Foods Division, Milford, IN recalls Frozen Stuffed Chicken Entrees

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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).

c. http://www.fsis.usda.gov/News_&_Events/Recall_009_2006_Release/index.asp

2. BACKGROUND:

The problem was discovered by a Minnesota Department of Health and Minnesota Department of Agriculture investigation into reported foodborne illnesses related to these products. The Minnesota Department of Health contacted FSIS after receiving positive *Salmonella* Enteritidis test results of the products.

3. PRODUCTION DATES/IDENTIFYING CODES:

The following products are subject to recall:

- 6-ounce individually wrapped "MAPLE LEAF FARMS, CHICKEN BREAST with Rib Meat, SHRIMP & CRAB, Specially Cut and Shaped, *Breaded Boneless Breast of Chicken with Rib Meat, Stuffed with a Shrimp & Crab Stuffing.*" Each label includes the establishment number, "P-2375" inside the USDA mark of inspection. Each label also includes the production code "S5307." The products were produced on November 3, 2005.
- 4.5-pound cases of "MAPLE LEAF FARMS, CHICKEN BREAST with Rib Meat, STUFFED WITH SHRIMP & CRAB STUFFING, BREADED BONELESS BREAST OF CHICKEN WITH RIB MEAT, SPECIALLY CUT AND SHAPED, STUFFED WITH SHRIMP AND CRAB STUFFING." Each label includes the establishment number, "P-2375" inside the USDA mark of inspection. Each label also includes the production code "5307." The products were produced on November 3, 2005.
- 6-ounce individually wrapped "MAPLE LEAF FARMS, CHICKEN BREAST with Rib Meat, BROCCOLI & CHEESE, Specially Cut & Shaped, *Breaded Boneless Breast of Chicken with Rib Meat, Stuffed with Broccoli, Swiss & American Cheeses, Not Pre-Cooked.*" Each label includes the establishment number, "P-2375" inside the USDA mark of inspection. Each label also includes the production code "B5308." The products were produced on November 4, 2005.
- 6-ounce individually wrapped "KIRKWOOD, Chicken Breast with Rib Meat, BROCCOLI & CHEESE, *Breaded Boneless Breast of Chicken with Rib Meat, Specially Cut and Shaped, Filled with Broccoli and Cheese, Pre-Browned, Not Pre-Cooked.*" Each label includes the establishment number, "P-2375" inside the USDA mark of inspection. Each label also includes the production code "B5308." The products were produced on November 8, November 28, December 14, December 21 and December 29, 2005.

4. **DISTRIBUTION:** United States

5. **RECALL CLASSIFICATION:** Class I

6. **QUANTITY RECALLED:** 75,800 pounds

7. **REASON FOR RECALL:** The products were contaminated with *Salmonella* Enteritidis that causes human illness. Illnesses have been linked directly to these products through case history of the patients and through microbiological testing of both the products and affected consumers.

8. INSTRUCTIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION 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) Accountable Activities should return recalled product to the manufacturer through the appropriate distribution channels.

9. The Point of Contact for this ALFOODACT message is [CW4 Ramona Gould](#), Consumer Safety Officer, at DSCP-FTW. VOICE, DSN: 444-8461, Commercial (215) 737-8461, or by FAX, DSN: 444-7526, or Commercial, (215) 737-7526

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Very Respectfully,

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