

SUBJECT: ALFOODACT 079-2009 Bear Naked Announces Nationwide Recall of Peanut Butter Granola Due to Peanut Corporation of America Recall

Date Issued: February 20, 2009

1. REFERENCES:

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. AskKaren:

<http://www.fsis.usda.gov/food%5Fsafety%5Feducation/ask%5Fkaren/#Question>

d. Salmonella Fact Sheet: <http://www.cfsan.fda.gov/~mow/chap1.html>

e. FDA Posting:

http://www.fda.gov/oc/po/firmrecalls/bearnaked02_09.html

f. Bear Naked Posting: <http://www.bearnakedpeanutbutterrecall.com/>

2. BACKGROUND:

Bear Naked today announced a voluntary nationwide recall of 12-ounce packages of Bear Naked® All-Natural Peanut Butter Granola and Bear Naked® All-Natural Peanut Butter Granola with Heavenly Chocolate with a "Better If Used Before" date prior to Feb 01, 2010 and the following UPC bar codes on the package: 8-5641600100 and 8-5641600185. These products are being recalled as a precaution because they contain peanut pieces sourced from the Plainview, Texas plant of Peanut Corporation which have the potential to be contaminated with Salmonella.

Peanut Corporation of America is no longer a supplier to Bear Naked and no other Bear Naked products are involved in this recall. No illnesses have been reported to date in connection to these Bear Naked products

3. PRODUCTION DATES/IDENTIFYING CODES:

12-ounce packages of Bear Naked® All-Natural Peanut Butter Granola and Bear Naked® All-Natural Peanut Butter Granola with Heavenly Chocolate

"Better If Used Before" date prior to Feb 01, 2010

UPC bar codes on the package: 8-5641600100 and 8-5641600185.

4. MANUFACTURER/DISTRIBUTOR:

Bear Naked
La Jolla, CA

5. DISTRIBUTION: Nationwide

6. REASON FOR ACTION: Salmonella

7. INSTRUCTIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR MESSAGE RECIPIENTS:

a. Immediately inventory stocks to identify the above items and secure in a "Medical Hold" status to provide assurance of no further issue/sale/use. POSITIVE FINDINGS should be reported to the Contracting Officers or Accountable Officers/Vendor Representatives of that facility. Accountable Officer/Agency representatives/Buyers/Contracting Officers should seek refund/credit/replacement through the normal distribution channel with which the product was received (i.e. Distribution Centers, Prime Vendors, Manufacturers, etc.).

b. 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. In order to get credit please use a SF 364 and forward to your supporting FISC and copy furnished to NAVSUP 51. Your supporting FISC should forward to the account manager at DSCP. The form should include the number of the recall authorizing the survey action. Home ported ships/gallies will utilize DD form 1149 to transfer w/ reimbursement to the PV. The PV will submit credit invoice to the account manager at DSCP.

c. Except for Prime Vendors, POSITIVE and NEGATIVE RESPONSES directly to DSCP Consumer Safety Officer (CSO) are NOT required. Prime Vendors should report finding to their assigned Contracting Officer and courtesy copy the Consumer Safety Office (dscpconssafofc@dla.mil). Other agencies such as DeCA, AAFES, MWR, VA, MCCS, etc. should report NEGATIVE and POSITIVE responses to their agencies recall coordinator.

d. When corresponding with DSCP concerning this message please include this message's subject in your subject line.

8. The Point of Contact for this ALFOODACT message is CW4 Ramona Hemphill, Consumer Safety Officer, at DSCP-FTW. VOICE, DSN: 444-2922, Commercial (215) 737-2922, or by FAX, DSN: 444-7526, or Commercial, (215) 737-7526.

Any individual or office that would like to receive recall messages electronically can forward their email address to dscpconssafofc@dla.mil .

Previous recalls and frequently asked questions are available at the following web site: <https://www.dscp.dla.mil/subs/fso/alfood/alfood.asp>

The navigation tool to the left allows you to view DSCP Alerts and Archived Vendor Recalls also.

Very Respectfully,
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