

SUBJECT: ALFOODACT 047-2009 Hiland Dairy Foods Company, LLC Announces Recall of Ice Cream Because of Possible Health Risk

Date Issued: February 5, 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/hiland02_09.html
- f. Hiland Dairy Web Site: <http://www.hilanddairy.com/>

2. BACKGROUND:

Hiland Dairy Foods Company has initiated a recall of various peanut-containing ice cream produced in its Springfield, MO plant because they have the potential to be contaminated with Salmonella, an organism which can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Healthy persons infected with Salmonella often experience fever, diarrhea (which may be bloody), nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain. In rare circumstances, infection with Salmonella can result in the organism getting into the bloodstream and producing more severe illnesses such as arterial infections (i.e., infected aneurysms), endocarditis and arthritis. There have been no reported illnesses related to our products to date.

The Peanut Corporation of America (PCA) notified our supplier of chocolate covered peanuts, that the peanuts they had received have the potential to be contaminated with Salmonella. These peanuts have been used in the manufacture of ice cream by Hiland Dairy Foods. Hiland Dairy Foods, switched to a different peanut supplier on January 31, 2009 and any lots not listed above are not under recall. Hiland Dairy Foods uses dedicated production lines and has a long history of making safe and delicious products. We will work closely with the FDA in their on-going investigation of the potentially contaminated peanuts.

3. PRODUCTION DATES/IDENTIFYING CODES:

The ice creams included in this recall are:

| ITEM | UPC | DATES |
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| Hiland 1.75 qt. Square Tin Roof Sundae | 72060-08712-3 | 1/1/08 thru 1/29/10 |
| Hiland ½ Gal. Square Tin Roof Sundae | 72060-08145 | 1/1/08 thru 1/29/10 |
| Best Choice ½ Gal. Square Tin Roof Sundae | 70038-59617-0 | 1/1/08 thru 6/23/09 |
| Hiland ½ Gallon Square Goo Goo Peanut Butter | 72060-08213-5 | 4/3/09 and 4/16/09 |
| Family Pak 1.75 qt. Tin Roof Sundae | 72060-01518-8 | 1/1/08 thru 1/29/10 |
| Hiland 3-Gal. Tin Roof Sundae | | 1/1/08 thru 1/29/10 |

4. Manufacturer/Distributor

Hiland Dairy Foods Company
Springfield, MO

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 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).
- 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. Unless otherwise specified above, POSITIVE and NEGATIVE RESPONSES directly to DSCP Consumer Safety Officer (CSO) are NOT required.
- 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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