

ALFOODACT 015-2009 Rain Creek Baking Corporation Announces Voluntary Withdrawal of Peanut Butter Turtles, Peanut Butter Baskets and Peanut Butter Princesses Due to Possible Health Risk

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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/raincreek01_09.html

2. BACKGROUND:

Due to the expanded recall of Peanut Butter Corporation's peanut butter earlier this week, Rain Creek Baking Corporation announces a voluntary withdrawal of Sinbad and Rain Creek Baking Company branded dessert products produced with peanut butter because the products have a potential of being contaminated with Salmonella.

No illnesses have been reported in connection with the peanut butter desserts.

The recalled products contain peanut butter manufactured by Peanut Corporation of America (PCA). PCA is the focus of an investigation by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) concerning a recent Salmonella outbreak thought to be caused by tainted peanut butter.

3. PRODUCTION DATES/IDENTIFYING CODES:

Items affected by recall are listed below. Items will be marked with either an "exp" (as in expiration date), "best before" date or a lot code. The expiration date or the best before date will read July 22, 2009 and prior. Lot numbers are 08182 sequentially through 08366 and 09001 sequentially through 09022. These lot numbers can be found on the bottom label next to the ingredient statement.

Product Description SKU (number next to bar code used for scanning)

SinbadSweets.com 12pc Peanut Butter Princess	0 38105 10304 3
Sinbad® Special Baklava Assortment	0 38105 10933 0
19 pc Bakery and Sweets	0 38105 10985 4
Sinbad® Sweets Enrobed Peanut Butter Princesses	0 38105 10996 0
Sinbad® Sweets Enrobed Peanut Butter Baskets	0 77589 37133 0
Rain Creek Baking Company® Peanut Butter Princesses	0 38105 20013 1
Rain Creek Baking Company® Peanut Butter Turtles	0 38105 20026 1
Rain Creek Baking Company® Peanut Butter Turtle Shells	0 38105 20031 5
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20101 5
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20102 2
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20103 9
Sinbad® Galleta estilo Baklava	0 38105 20106 0
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20117 6
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20120 6
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20124 2
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20127 5
Sinbad® Sweets Peanut Butter Princess Baklava	0 38105 20128 2
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20129 9
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 20130 5
Sinbad® Galletas estilo Baklava	0 38105 20180 0
Rain Creek Baking Company® Baklava Assortment *	0 38105 20211 1
Rain Creek Baking Company® Baklava Assortment	0 38105 20213 5
Sinbad® Baklava & Sweets	0 38105 21335 3

Sinbad® Sweets European Baklava Assortment * 0 38105 21339 1
Sinbad® Sweets Baklava & Sweets 0 38105 21375 9
Sinbad® Sweets Baklava & Sweets 0 38105 21382 7
Sinbad® Sweets Caffe Sweets 0 38105 22143 3
Rain Creek Baking Corporation® Baklava Assortment * 0 38105 22280 5
Michael's Baklava Assortment 0 38105 22297 3
Rain Creek Baking Corporation® Hand Crafted Baklava 0 38105 22306 2

Items with an asterisk (*) are the only 2009 produced items (when looking for lot numbers). These products were sold in grocery, warehouse and other retail stores throughout the United States.

4. Manufacturer/Distributor

Rain Creek Baking Corporation
Madera, 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 and return to vendor when feasible. 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.

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<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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