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DATE: February 23, 2009

TO: All Local Health Departments
Attn: Chief Food Specialist

FROM: A. Scott Gilliam, MBA, CP-FS
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SUBJECT: EB Performance -Peanut Recall

SUGGESTED

ACTION: Peanut Recall; Due to Salmonella typhimurium; Recommend notification of affected stores via phone, fax or e-mail.

From the information provided by FDA, the recalled products were distributed in Indiana. EB Performance's PB & Whey Protein Bites were sold nationally through select retail stores and direct to customer sales. Detail information is not available at this time. In addition, if any recalled product is found, please notify this office at 317-233-7360.

EB Performance Issues A Voluntary Nationwide Recall of Select PB & Whey Protein Bites

Contact:

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE -- Deerfield Beach, Fla. -- February 19, 2009 -- EB Performance LLC is initiating a voluntary recall of its PB & Whey Protein Bites. These products are being recalled as a precaution because they contain peanut pieces sourced from Peanut Corporation of America, which have the potential to be contaminated with *Salmonella*. EB Performance's PB & Whey Protein Bites were sold nationally through select retail stores and direct to customer sales.

Salmonella is 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 (e.g., infected aneurysms), endocarditis and arthritis.

PB & Whey Protein Bites that are potentially affected can be identified by the following Best By Dates:

BEST BY 10NOV09
BEST BY 12MAY09
BEST BY 07NOV08

BEST BY 17SEP09
BEST BY 03MAR09
BEST BY 06NOV08

BEST BY 07JUL09
BEST BY 12DEC08

The bars are packaged in 1.25 oz. packages in 15-count printed boxes and 45-count plastic containers. The packages have the following UPC codes:

UPC Coding

Individual packages: 8 90391 00100 3

15-count boxes: 8 90391 00108 9

45-count containers: 8 90391 00101 0

Peanut Corporation of America is no longer a supplier to EB Performance and no other EB Performance products are involved in this recall. No illnesses have been reported to date in connection with these products. EB Performance has informed the Food and Drug Administration of its actions and is fully cooperating with the Agency.

Consumers who have purchased the bars with the above code dates are urged to return them to the place of purchase for a full refund.

If boxes or containers were purchased through the company Web site at www.ebperformance.com, cut out the UPC code found on the bottom or side of the boxes and containers respectively and contact the company directly by phone at 1-954-725-8393 from 9:00am-5:00pm EST or by email at websales@ebperformance.com.

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