

SPECIAL FEATURE

Dear Sirs,
Could I suggest dating the
canned foods so we can read them?

MAKING 16 FOODS SAFE

In May 2000, the Attorneys General of Connecticut, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, Ohio, Tennessee, Vermont, and Wyoming asked the Food and Drug Administration to make it easier for consumers to identify and avoid foods that can trigger allergic reactions.

You can help support their sensible proposal by mailing this coupon.

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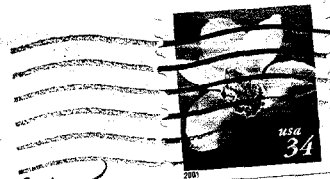
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As a member of the Center for Science in the Public Interest, I urge you to invest more resources to ensure that:

- food labels completely and accurately list the presence of all known allergens, including those used in flavorings;
- food manufacturers adopt measures to prevent the unintentional contamination of their products with undeclared food allergens; and
- food manufacturers include a toll-free telephone number on their labels that consumers can call for more information about ingredients.



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