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Office of Nutritional Products  
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Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition  
Food and Drug Administration  
5100 Paint Branch Parkway  
College Park, MD 20740-3835

July 30, 2002

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our CardioSmart™ and Heart Assure supplements under one or more of the following brand names: American Health, Bioenergy Nutrients, Body Fortress, Good 'N Natural, Health's Finest, Heartland, HealthSmart Vitamins, HealthWatchers, Life's Finest, Natural Wealth, Nature's Bounty, Nutrition Headquarters, Nutrition Warehouse, PhysioLogics, Precision Engineered, Puritan's Pride, US Nutrition and Vitamin World:

Ingredients: Vitamin E, Vitamin B-6, Folic Acid, Vitamin B-12, Fish Oil, Policosanol, Coenzyme Q-10.

- Heart Health Protection
- Supports Healthy Heart Function
- Nutritional Support for Healthy Heart Function
- CardioSmart™ is the intelligent/smart choice to insure a sufficient daily intake of the heart supplements you need most.
- Each active ingredient has been clinically shown to have a supportive role in contributing to heart health.
- As one of the best products on the market, CardioSmart™/Heart Assure is designed to strengthen and promote the health of your cardiovascular system.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,

Ona Scandurra, MS, RD

Director of Nutrition Communications

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