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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 the Black Cohosh supplements under the Origin brand name:

- Helps Maintain Menopausal Health
- Studies document Black Cohosh's ability to support midlife health.
- As one of the leading herbs for women, Black Cohosh is famous for its ability to have a positive influence on the natural changes that occur before, during and after the menopausal years.

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

Sincerely,

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