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July 30, 2002

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

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 Women's Support Formula with Calcium supplement under the Origin brand name:

Ingredients: Vitamin E, Thiamin, Riboflavin, Niacin, Vitamin B-6, Folic Acid, Vitamin B-12, Calcium, Selenium, Boron, Soy Isoflavones, Kava Kava, Black Cohosh.

- Alleviates Hot Flashes and Night Sweats
- Natural Vitamin E and Folic Acid for a Healthy Heart
- Physical changes such as night sweats, hot flashes and mood swings related to mid-life can begin years before the onset of menopause.
- Women's Support Formula with Calcium has ingredients to help enhance your health, including:
  - Soy Isoflavones, which help alleviate the night sweats and hot flashes that can disrupt your normal routine.
  - Vitamin E and Folic Acid for heart health.
  - B Vitamins to help maintain energy metabolism.
  - Black Cohosh for well-being.
- Women's Support Formula with Calcium contains the same holistic ingredients recommended by leading women's health experts.
- Each serving provides the natural support you need to successfully cope with the years before, during and after menopause.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ona Scandurra". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letter of each word being capitalized and prominent.

Ona Scandurra, MS, RD

Director of Nutrition Communications

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