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To Whom it May Concern,

This letter is submitted pursuant to Section 406 (r)(6) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act for the purpose of notifying the agency of statements being made in connection with the marketing of dietary supplements being distributed by this company.

The product name and the dietary ingredients for which the statement is being made is as follows:

Menopausal Formula

Vitamin E (d-alpha tocopheryl

100 IU

Succinate)

Proprietary herbal blend

842mg

Soy germ concentrate (standardized

For 2% isoflavones)

Chasteberry fruit

Kudzu root

Korean ginseng root extract (standardized 5

For 7% ginsenosides)

Wild yam root extract

Boron (from citrate, aspartate, glycinate)

Other ingredients: Gelatin, purified water, arrowroot

The text of the statements that are being made in regards to the above stated product are listed below:

-Support healthy estrogen balance

-nutritionally provides phyto-estrogen. support from the all-natural botanicals proven over centuries to support women through this life transition

Sincerely,

GENERAL VITAMIN CORP.

Megan Joslin Product Development Coordinator