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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:

Menoprim	Vitamin E (as d,l-alpha-tocopheryl acetate)	15 IU
	Vitamin B6 (as pyridoxine HCl)	1 Omg
	Folate (as folic acid)	400mcg
	Calcium (as calcium carbonate and Calcium phosphate)	250mg
	Phosphorus (as calcium phosphate)	40mg
	Magnesium (as magnesium oxide and Glycinate)	200mg
	Soybean concentrate (1% isoflavones) (Glycine max)	100mg
	Boron (as boron citrate)	2mg
	Mixed fatty acid blend	200mg
	Evening primrose oil (Oenothera biennis)	
	Borage seed (Borago officinalis)	
	Black Currant (Ribes nigrum)	
	Gamma-linolenic acid (GLA) from primrose oil	
	Kava kava root (Piper methysticum)	50mg
	Water balance blend	100mg
	Buchu leaf 4:1 extract (Barosma betulina)	
	Juniper berry 4:1 extract (Juniperus communis)	
	Green tea leaf (Camellia sinensis)	

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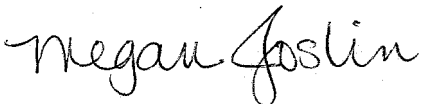
Uva ursi leaf 4:1 extract (Arctostaphylos uva-ursi)  
Herbal Support Blend 250mg  
Dong quai root (Angelica sinensis)  
Fo ti root (Polygonum multiflorum)  
Chinese privet fruit (Ligustrum lucidum)  
Eclipta herb (Eclipta prostrata)  
Chinese yam rhizome (Dioscorea opposita)  
Bugbane rhizome (Cimicifuga foetida)  
Greater burdock fruit (Arctium lappa)  
Chinese motherwort fruit (Leonurus heterophyllus)  
Field mint herb (Mentha haplocalyx)  
Chinese licorice root (Glycyrrhiza uralensis)  
Salvia root (Salvia multiorrhiza)  
Drynaria rhizome (Drynaria fortunei)  
Other ingredients: microcrystalline cellulose, croscarmellose sodium,  
stearic acid, silica, magnesium stearate and pharmaceutical glaze.

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

- Nutritional support for the changes Menopause brings
- intended to help support strong bones and sustain a positive sense of well being
- includes phytoestrogens from soy and herbs which studies have shown may help maintain normal hormone balance.
- with a proper diet and exercise, Advanced Menoprim can help you feel your best

Sincerely,

GENERAL VITAMIN CORP.



Megan Joslin  
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