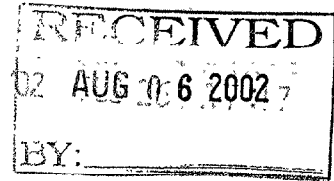


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Office of Special Nutritionals (HFS-450)
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Food and Drug Administration
200 "C" Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20204

Dear Sir:

This notification is on behalf of Dee Cee Laboratories, Wonder Laboratories and Foster Regal Laboratories, manufacturer and distributors, 304 Dee Cee Court, White House, TN, 37188.

We intend to include the following statement of nutritional support on our SHARK CARTILAGE POWDER, #952, a dietary supplement containing Shark Cartilage.

"The pure Freeze dried shark cartilage contained in this product is a natural source of chondroitin sulfate, which is a key structural component in human cartilage. Chondroitin also plays an important role in the maintenance of joint cartilage."

Please be advised that the information contained herein is, to the best of our knowledge and information, accurate. Our firm has information substantiating that the above statement is truthful and not misleading.

Respectfully submitted,

DEE CEE LABORATORIES, INC.

Harry F. Hester
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