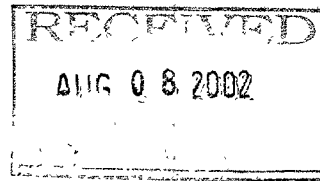




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July 25, 2002

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 Malic Acid +<sup>TM</sup> supplements under the PhysioLogics brand name:

Ingredients: Magnesium, Potassium, Malic Acid, Coenzyme Q-10.

- Combat Muscle Fatigue
- This energizing formula combines malic acid, coenzyme Q10, magnesium and potassium - nutrients that can help promote cellular energy levels while soothing your muscles.

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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Director of Nutrition Communications

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