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Aboca USA Inc., located at 126 South Spokane Street/Suite C, Seattle – Washington 98134, submits the following notification of marketing in the United States of an herbal dietary supplement imported from Italy. Aboca will sell the product to medical practitioners, primarily in the Pacific Northwest.

NOTIFIES

The marketing of the following Herbal Supplement:

Brand Name:	FINOCARBO PLUS
Presentation:	1.17 Oz (33.3 g) 90 Capsules in Glass Bottle
Name and address of the manufacturer:	Aboca S.p.a., Loc. Aboca 20, I-52037 Sansepolcro - ITALY
Name and address of the distributor:	Aboca USA Inc., 126 South Spokane Street/Suite C, Seattle Washington 98134

TEXT OF THE STATEMENT: For indigestion, bloating and intestinal gas*

Text of the disclaimer: *This statement has not been evaluated by the Food and Drug Administration. This product is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure or prevent disease.

HERBAL INGREDIENTS (Amount per Serving – 2 Capsules):

- Vegetable Charcoal - 174 mg;
- Fennel – W.P.C.** (fruit) - 116 mg;
- Cumin – powder (fruit) – 87 mg;
- ^Chamomile – freeze-dried extract (flower) – 87 mg;
- Star anise – powder (fruit) – 40.6 mg;
- ^Lemon balm – freeze-dried extract (leaf) – 29 mg;
- Caraway – powder (fruit) – 29mg

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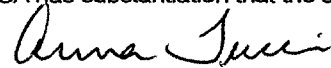
Other ingredients: gelatin (capsule), essential oils of fennel, peppermint and marjoram.

^=Organic

**** W.P.C.:** Whole Phytocomplex Concentrate (**W.P.C.**) is a combination of the **freeze-dried extract and micronized powder from a specialized portion of the same plant**, which assures a full-spectrum of constituents and a uniform content of active principles.

WARNING: Do not take if you are pregnant or nursing. For other contraindications and cautions, or if are taking medicinal products, please consult your health practitioner. Keep out of reach of children.

I Anna Tucci, Executive Vice-President and General Manager of Aboca USA, certify that all the information presented and contained in this notice is complete and accurate, and that Aboca USA has substantiation that the statement is truthful and not misleading.



Anna Tucci

Executive Vice-President
Aboca USA