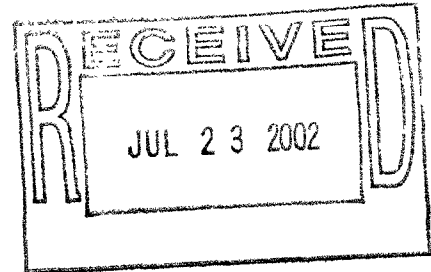


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This letter serves as a 30 day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 (DSHEA), that Country Life® is using the following statements on the label of CLA Tonalin® softgels (dietary ingredients: conjugated linoleic acid complex (from safflower seed oil). These statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer. To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in this notice is complete and accurate.

Human clinical studies have shown that Tonalin® CLA (Conjugated Linoleic Acid) plays a vital role in reducing body fat and enhancing lean muscle mass.

Supports fat loss.

Sincerely,

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