## **CATEGORY PLAN**

## ( Publish 60 Days Prior to Category Review)

Bleaches/Prewashes/Fabric Softeners

Category:

Universe of Items Included (Commodity Codes): Change from those published in Review Schedule?

No

1506, 1511

Category Segmentation:

Bleaches/Prewashes/Fabric Softeners

**Category Review Month:** 

Date Last Completed:

October 2010 October 2009

Category Manager:

Bill Wood

Category Role:

Routine

Marketing Strategy:

To be determined by Industry/DeCA during review. Discussion to include, but not limited to, topics below:

Number of Times Per Year:

Eleven Months

Seasonal: Theme Event

Method:

Mgr Special, Power Buy, Primary, Secondary, Club Pack, Case Lot Sales

Category Objectives:

Streamline assortment for small commissaries, assure variety, eliminate duplication

(Examples of Objectives - Increase/Decrease # of SKU's, Increase/Decrease Linear Footage of Section, Streamline Assortment, Increase/Decrease # of Promotions, Evaluate New Item Proposals, Plan for Trends and retail best practices, prioritize space for high velocity items, meet minimal pack out)

Special Factors/Notes:

Focus on emerging category trends and adjust POG based on new item introductions

(Examples - Focus on emerging category trends, new item introductions, consumer segmentation...)

## **Evaluation Criteria:**

K2

Current Category POG Size (Linear Feet):

K5 K4 K3

K1 Preferred Period Ending for Data:

Preferred Timeframe for Data: Data - Geography: Primary Ranking of Data: Secondary Ranking of Data: Comparison Market for Retail Data: 12 High Profile

12 High Profile

8 High Profile 8 High Profile

4 High Profile

Aug 2010 12 months CONUS Dollars

Packages Total US Food.