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TO: Health Commissioners, Directors of Environmental Health and Interested Parties

RE: Recall Announcement (ODA/ODH) 2011-084

Finemost Corporation DBA Qualiherb Issues Voluntary Recall of Specific Lots of the Dietary Supplements containing Ephedrine Alkaloids.

July 28, 2011 - Finemost Corporation dba Qualiherb, 13839 Bentley Place, Cerritos, CA 90703 announced today that it is conducting a voluntary nationwide recall of the company's dietary supplements sold under the brand name Qualiherb specific to the following Lot Numbers:

Item No.	Products		Mfg. No.
20217	Shi Shen Tang	Mahuang & Cimicifuga Combination	CP10217
20802	Ding Chuan Tang	Mahuang & Ginkgo Combination	2008-12
21022	Shen Mi Tang	Mahuang & Magnolia Combination	CP11022
22101	Xu Ming Tang	Mahuang & Ginseng Combination	P122101

Qualiherb is conducting a voluntary recall after being notified by representatives of the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) that lab analysis by FDA of the Shi ShenTang, Shen Mi Tang, and Xu Ming Tang samples found the products contain the presence of ephedrine alkaloids.

FDA has concluded that dietary supplements containing ephedrine alkaloids pose a risk of serious adverse events including heart attack, stroke, and death and that these risks are unreasonable in light of any benefits that may result from the use of these products under their labeled conditions of use or under ordinary conditions of use if the labeling is silent.

Qualiherb advises any customers in possession of the above products with matching lot numbers return any unused products to the company directly for a full refund. Customers can call Quality Control at 1- 800-533-5907 Monday thru Friday 8: 30 to 5pm Pacific Standard time for instructions on the return and refund process. Any adverse reactions experienced with the use of this product, and/or quality problems should also be reported to the FDA's MedWatch Program by:

Online: www.fda.gov/medwatch/report.htm¹

Fax: 1-800-FDA-0178

Regular Mail: use postage-paid FDA form 3500 available at:

www.fda.gov/MedWatch/getforms.htm²

Mail to: MedWatch, FDA, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20852-9787

This recall is being conducted with the knowledge of the U.S. Food and Drug administration.