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

RE: Recall Announcement (ODA/ODH) 2015-25

Whole Foods Market Recalls Items Prepared With Supplier-provided Ground Cumin Spice Due To Possible Health Risk*

Whole Foods Market has recalled items prepared with a supplier's ground cumin spice ingredient that may have contained undeclared peanut. People with an allergy or severe sensitivity to peanuts run the risk of serious or life-threatening allergic reaction if they consume these products.

No allergic reactions have been reported to-date, and recalled items have been pulled from store shelves. Whole Foods Market was notified by its supplier that undeclared peanut protein was found in cumin supplied to some of its facilities.

Items that contained ground cumin spice subject to the recall were sold from January 14, 2015 through February 6, 2015. Not all items or all products were sold in all store locations. Affected items such as prepared salads, seasoned meat items, tacos, and other seasoned items were sold in Whole Foods Market stores in CT, KY, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, OH, PA, RI, VA, and Washington, D.C. Additionally, Whole Foods Market pulled and destroyed the recalled ground cumin spice and all items containing this recalled ingredient in all regions where it was available. The following is a list of recalled items:

UPC or PLU Code	Product Description	Sell By Date	Region	States
26157400000	Burger, Lentil Dal	Use by 1/20/15-2/7/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,PA,VA
00000480430	Burrito, Black Bean	Use by 2/8/15 - 2/11/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,PA,VA
00000480432	Burrito, Shrimp	Use by 2/8/15 - 2/11/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,PA,VA
00000480428	Chili, Beef Blazin	Use by 3/6/15-3/11/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,PA,VA
00000484003	Dip, Black Bean	Use by 1/20/15-2/7/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,PA,VA
00000480504	Dip, Mexican Layer Large	Use by 1/20/15-2/7/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,PA,VA
00000480505	Dip, Mexican Layer Small	Use by 1/20/15-2/7/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,PA,VA

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267356000	Enchilada, Adobo Black Bean	Use by 2/8/15 - 2/11/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
48000088750	HotBar, NE Tofu Meatloaf	Use by 1/20/15-1/25/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
48000088650	HotBar, Latin Comfort, Beef Barbacoa	Use by 2/8/15 - 2/9/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
48000088655	HotBar, Latin Comfort, Stewed Black Beans	Use by 2/27/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
285263000	Meatloaf, Tofu	Use by 1/20/15-2/7/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
261872000	Quesadilla, Black Bean	Use by 2/8/15 - 2/11/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
272677000	Quesadilla, Vegan Beef	Use by 1/20/15-2/7/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
00000480502	Salad, Bowl, Mediterranean	Use by 1/20/15-2/7/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
48000086479	Salad, Papas con Remolachas	Use by 1/20/15-2/1/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
48000011103	Sauce, Adobo	Use by 7/25/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
48000025248	Vegetarian, NEW Falafel	Use by 1/20/15-2/7/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
00000480435	Soup, Butternut Collard Posole Cups	Use by 3/4/15-3/22/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
00000480508	Soup, Moroccan Green Lentil Cups	Use by 3/4/15-3/22/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
261871000	Quesadilla Adobo Black Bean	Use by 2/8-2/11/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
48000088656	Mexican Lasagna	Use by 2/8/15-2/12/15	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
61584	Chipotle Marinated London Broil	Use by 2/10/2015	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA
67544	Adobo Chicken	Use by 2/8/2015	Mid Atlantic	DC,KY,MD,NJ,OH,P A,VA

Whole Foods Market was notified by a spice supplier that it was recalling its ground cumin spice due to a positive test for peanut allergens.

Signage is posted in Whole Foods Market stores to notify customers of this recall. Customers who have purchased recalled product from Whole Foods Market should discard it, and may bring in their receipt for a full refund. Consumers with questions may call 512-477-5566, extension 20060, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Central Daylight Time.

The above list has been modified to provide just the product sold in Ohio. A complete list of product sold outside of Ohio can be found on the FDA webpage at <http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm433572.htm>.