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

RE: Recall Announcement (ODA/ODH) 2019-018

Oskri Organics Corporation Recalls All Nut Butters because of Possible Health Risk

Oskri Organics Corporation of Lake Mills, WI is recalling ALL Oskri Corporation manufactured nut butters.

This recall has been initiated due to positive test results for *Listeria monocytogenes* found in multiple Oskri Corporation manufactured nut butters. Consumption of this product may cause potential health risk.

Listeria monocytogenes, an organism which can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Healthy individuals may suffer only short-term symptoms such as high fever, severe headache, stiffness, nausea, abdominal pain, and diarrhea. *Listeria monocytogenes* infection can cause miscarriages and stillbirths among pregnant women.

No illnesses have been reported.

We began production of the recalled Oskri Corporation manufactured nut butters the beginning of January 2018. This recall pertains to ALL Oskri Corporation manufactured nut butters with Best By dates of June 2020 (6/20) and earlier.

Oskri Corporation has distributed Nut Butters to the following states: NY, MI, CA, PA, OH, WI, NH, IL, FL, MA, TX, AZ, IN, ID, OR, SC, and RI.

Nut butters subject to recall include: Almond, Cashew, Coconut, Peanut (all flavor varieties), Pumpkin, Sunflower, and Tahini. Nut butters are sold in 16 oz plastic jars with the Lot Number either on the top or bottom of the jar near the Expiration Date, in Pouches with the Lot Number and Expiration Date located on either the top or bottom of the back of the pouch. On bulk packaging, which would be Oskri Corporation boxes, the label should be located on the box in the upper right-hand corner of one of the four sides. This label will list the lot number, production date, as well as the expiration date.

If you are in possession of any of these products, we urge you to quarantine and destroy the product immediately.

Organic Peanut Creamy 666016316285	Organic Peanut Crunchy 666016316469	Organic Peanut Espresso 666016401103
Organic Peanut Chia Flax 666016401097	Organic Peanut Honey Sea Salt 666016400724	Organic Peanut Spicy Cayenne 666016401110
Almond Creamy 666016401318	Almond Crunchy 666016316452	Almond Chia Flax 666016401127
Cashew 666016316476	Cashew Coconut 666016401141	Organic Pumpkin Seed Butter 666016316841

Organic Sunflower Butter 666016316308	Organic Tahini Butter 666016316292	Hazelnut Cacao Spread 666016401134
Almond Coconut 666016401882	Organic Peanut Coconut 666016401899	Organic Coconut Butter 666016401905
Peanut Butter Mixed Berry 666016401912	Pouch Organic Peanut Creamy 666016401592	Pouch Organic Peanut Espresso Cacao 666016401622
Pouch Organic Peanut Honey Sea Salt 666016401615	Pouch Organic Peanut Spicy Cayenne 666016401646	Pouch Organic Tahini Butter 666016401639
Pouch Almond Creamy 666016401653	Pouch Cashew Coconut 666016401691	Pouch Hazelnut Cacao Spread 666016401608
Bulk Organic Peanut Creamy 666016401714	Bulk Organic Peanut Crunchy 666016401721	Bulk Organic Peanut Espresso 666016401738
Bulk Organic Peanut Chia Flax 666016401745	Bulk Organic Peanut Honey Sea Salt 666016401752	Bulk Organic Peanut Spicy Cayenne Honey 666016401769
Bulk Almond Creamy 666016401776	Bulk Almond Crunchy 666016401783	Bulk Almond Chia Flax 666016401790
Bulk Cashew 666016401806	Bulk Cashew Coconut 666016401813	Bulk Organic Pumpkin Seed Butter 666016401820
Bulk Organic Sunflower Butter 666016401837	Bulk Organic Tahini Butter 666016401844	Bulk Hazelnut Cacao Spread 666016401851

Consumers who have purchased Oskri manufactured nut butters may contact Oskri at (920) 648-8300. Hours phone will be answered are Monday through Friday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. You may also contact us via email at info@oskri.com.