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Mr. Jonathan A. Harris, Commissioner Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection 165 Capital Avenue Hartford, CT 06106

Dear Commissioner Harris:

It is my understanding that Connecticut state regulations concerning standards for manufactured foods will be updated to clarify and promote uniformity with federal regulations and to support the adoption of the FDA Code under 21a-101. Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes (Section 21a-115), I am pleased to act jointly with you in this proposal and in concert with the US Food and Drug Administration to improve local programs that regulate food manufacturers and retail food sanitation. Please keep me informed of the progress made as the proposed regulations proceed through the legislative process. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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