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DATE: March 5, 2014

TO: All Local Health Departments
Atty: Chief Food Inspection Officer

FROM: *A. Scott Gilliam*
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SUBJECT: House of Flavors Ice Cream Company - RECALL [Food]

**AFFECTED
PRODUCT:** Belmont Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough Ice Cream

SUMMARY: Unclassified Recall; This product is being recalled because it's ingredients may include an undeclared nut allergen.

Only Belmont Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough Ice Cream packed in 1.5 quart containers stamped with UPC code 4149816310 and date code 13340 and 13341 and marked "Best by Date: Dec. 7, 2014" are affected by the recall.

This product was only distributed in Aldi stores in Indiana, and the nearby states of Illinois, Michigan and Ohio.

**SUGGESTED
ACTION:** Recommend notification of affected parties via phone, fax, or e-mail. Consumers who have purchased the recalled products should return them to the store where they were purchased for a full refund. Anyone requiring more information should contact House of Flavors consumer affairs at 1-800-930-7740, extension 2229, Monday through Friday 7 a.m. until 5 pm. (EST). Furthermore, if any recalled products are found, notify this office at 317-233-8475.

Recall -- Firm Press Release

FDA posts press releases and other notices of recalls and market withdrawals from the firms involved as a service to consumers, the media, and other interested parties. FDA does not endorse either the product or the company.



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**House of Flavors Issues Voluntary Recall Due to Possible Undeclared
Nut Allergen in Belmont Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough Ice Cream
*Ludington, Michigan-based Company Issues Allergy Alert***

Contact

Consumer:
1-800-930-7740, 2229

Media:
Tom Watkins
800-930-7740 x 2229

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE - March 5, 2014 - Ludington, Michigan – House of Flavors Ice Cream Company, based in Ludington, Michigan, is recalling its Belmont Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough Ice Cream because its ingredients may include an undeclared nut allergen. Consumers who may have an allergy or severe sensitivity to nuts run the risk of serious or life-threatening allergic reaction if they consume this product. The Belmont Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough Ice Cream was only distributed in Aldi stores in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio. The recall was initiated after receiving two complaints of chocolate covered nuts found in the product and included associated allergic reaction from consumers allergic to nuts. The company is working to determine the type of nut allergen and conducting an internal audit to determine possible cause.

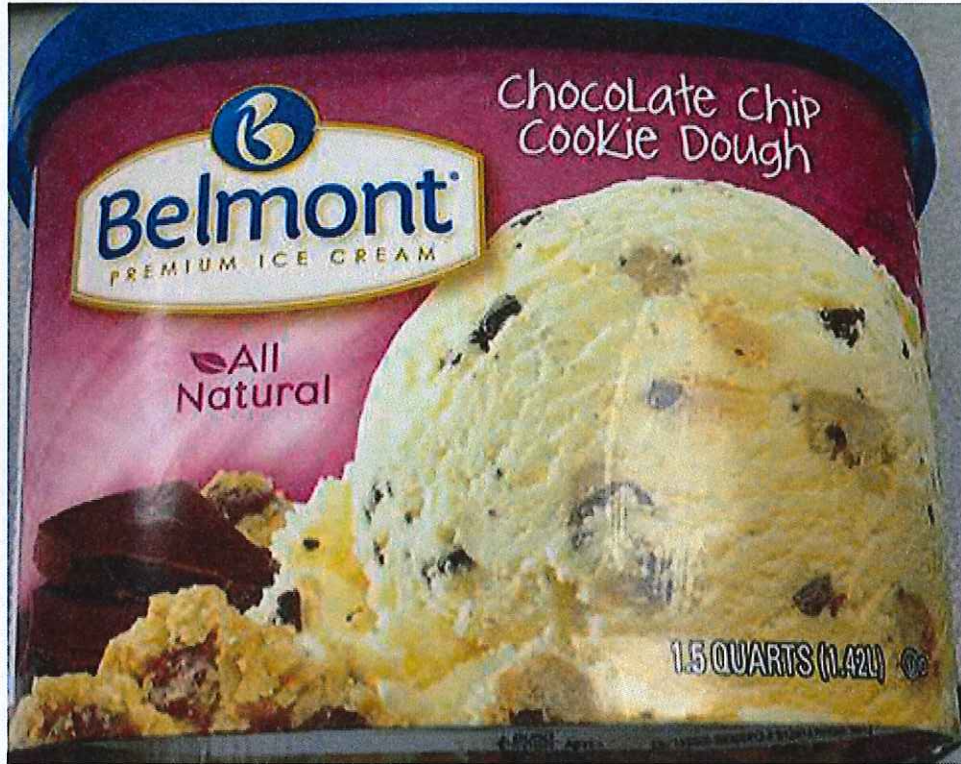
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No other Aldi products or are any other Belmont Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough Ice Cream or other Belmont Ice Cream products are affected by the recall.

House of Flavors it is taking precautionary steps, including removing all potentially impacted products from retail store shelves and the entire distribution system.

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Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 4 oz (68g)
 Servings Per Container 12

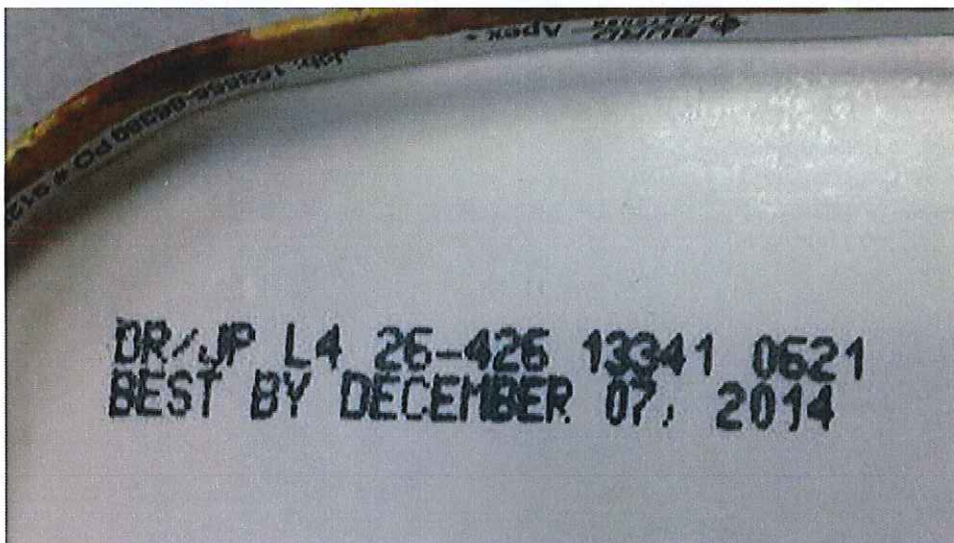
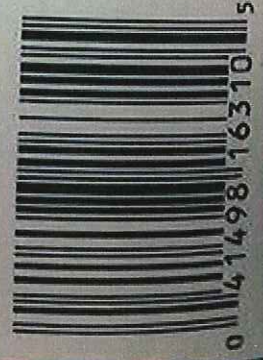
Amount Per Serving	
Calories 180	Calories from Fat 80
	% Daily Value*
Total Fat 9g	14%
Saturated Fat 5g	25%
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol 20mg	7%
Sodium 70mg	3%
Total Carbohydrate 21g	7%
Dietary Fiber 0g	0%
Sugars 16g	
Protein 2g	
Vitamin A 6%	Vitamin C 0%
Calcium 6%	Iron 0%

Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. Your daily values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs:

	Calories: 2,000	2,500
Total Fat	Less than 65g	80g
Sat. Fat	Less than 25g	35g
Cholesterol	Less than 300mg	300mg
Sodium	Less than 2,400mg	2,400mg
Total Carbohydrate	300g	375g
Dietary Fiber	5g	8g

INGREDIENTS: SKIM MILK, CREAM, SUGAR, COOKIE DOUGH PIECES (UNENRICHED WHEAT FLOUR, SUGAR, BUTTER (CREAM, SALT), BROWN SUGAR, WATER, CORN OIL, FRUCTOSE, CORN SYRUP SOLIDS, SALT, VANILLA EXTRACT, SODIUM BICARBONATE, COCONUT OIL, CORN SYRUP, CHOCOLATE FLAKES (SUGAR, COCONUT OIL, COCOA PROCESSED WITH ALKALI, BUTTER OIL, SOY LECTHIN, NATURAL FLAVOR), MILK FLAVOR BASE (BROWN SUGAR, WATER, NATURAL FLAVOR, MOLASSES, SALT), EGG, CAROB BEAN GUM, GUAR GUM, CARRAGEENAN, ANNATTO (COLOR).
 CONTAINS: MILK, WHEAT, EGG, SOY.

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